



## Dr. Carrie Best Scholarship application form

**Please note:** This scholarship is open to **Indigenous students in Canada and Black Canadian students** enrolled in a four-year program of studies at King's leading to a Bachelor of Journalism (Honours), Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Music or Bachelor of Science.

**Instructions for submitting this form:** When saving your changes to this PDF, rename this PDF using the following format: [Last Name,First Name]\_Best\_Scholarship\_Application. For example: Smith,Joe\_Best\_Scholarship\_Application. Email your scholarship documents to [awards@ukings.ca](mailto:awards@ukings.ca) by **March 1**.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student number (if known), i.e. B00:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**High school:** \_\_\_\_\_

**High school address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**High school telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Guidance counsellor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Extracurricular high school, community and work-related activities**

Have you held a part-time paying or volunteer job while in high school? If so, what did you do?  
What did you learn?

In which extracurricular high school or community activities have you participated and in what capacity?

Please list any competitive activities in which you took part at a regional, provincial or national level (e.g. sport, artistic, theatre, debate, math competitions, science fairs, other).

**Please provide the names and email addresses of two references who will be contacted**

WORK OR VOLUNTEER REFERENCE

**Name of reference:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Title and organization:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

ACADEMIC REFERENCE

**Name of reference:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Title and organization:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

## **Essay**

Some have said “there are no facts, only interpretations.” Write an essay (maximum 500 words) that tries to explain what this controversial notion might mean. It could mean many things in many different contexts and you do not need to take up a strong agree/disagree position in your essay. What might lead a person to assert such a claim? Can you think of current or historical situations or debates that would lend weight to one side or the other? Do not do any research to find out what others have said on this topic, though you may engage authors or material you’ve already studied in your discussion if this helps you to develop your own thinking. The strongest papers will examine the claim from more than one angle, show evidence of creative thinking, and express ideas in clear, structured, and interesting ways.

### **Application checklist**

I have submitted a complete admission application to a degree program at the University of King's College, including application form, fee and required supporting documents to date.

I have asked two persons to act as references for me, and understand they will be contacted.

I have submitted an original essay in response to the topic provided by King's.

By signing below I certify that as an Indigenous student in Canada or Black Canadian student I am eligible to be considered for this scholarship.

**Signature of applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please note:** All completed scholarship application forms, your original essay and names of referees must be emailed to [awards@ukings.ca](mailto:awards@ukings.ca) no later than **March 1**.

**Reminder:** Your mid-year grades must be submitted to the King's Registrar's Office by **March 1**.