

Laurentian University
NSERC Industrial Postgraduate Scholarship
Declaration of Scholarship Support

This is to certify that _____ (company), located at _____
_____ (address) pledges to support of the NSERC Industrial Postgraduate. Scholarship related to
the Research project entitled _____
to be conducted by _____ (the Postgraduate Scholar), Supervised by _____
in the _____ Department, Faculty of _____ at Laurentian University.

The signing of this document denotes agreement with the terms and conditions (as required by NSERC) outlined below.

1. The **Research Project** will be undertaken in accordance with the established NSERC and University policies and procedures.
2. The **Postgraduate Scholar** will spend 20% of her/his study time at the Company and will provide the Company with reports of the Research Project as the research progresses.
3. The **University** will provide space, facilities and services for the Research Project in accordance with the applicable policies and priorities of the University.
4. Should an NSERC Postgraduate Industrial Scholarship be awarded, the Company agrees to provide the **following annual contribution towards the Scholarship Award** over a four year period. (minimum \$6,000/yr): \$ 6,000.00 .
5. The advanced training of this student will help the host company innovate and develop new products, services and technology, which will in turn benefit the Canadian economy.
6. Unless otherwise agreed to by all parties in writing, **Intellectual property** arising from the research project will be owned by the Postgraduate Scholar and the University in accordance with University Policies. The company shall have first option for a license to the research results, which option shall extend two months past the completion of the scholarship award.
7. No delay is permitted for the defence of a student's thesis.
8. There will be no delay for the defence of the student's thesis. Granting the Postgraduate Scholar's degree **will not be delayed by any confidentiality obligations** which may arise during the course of the Research Project.
9. It is hereby acknowledged and confirmed that neither the student nor the student's supervisor have an economic interest in the Company.

A. For the Company

Signature

Name and Title (Position)

Date

B. Postgraduate Scholar

Signature

Date

C. Department

Signature

Name (Academic Supervisor)

Date

D. Laurentian University

Signature

Patrice Sawyer (Vice-President, Francophone Affairs, Research and Graduate Studies)

Date

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Note to Supervisor

Student Name: _____ Student Number _____

1. Is this student currently being funded for the same project from a grant from this company?

Yes

No

2. If yes, please give the account number

3. Are the previously paid funds to be applied towards the company's commitment for this scholarship?

Yes

No

Name of supervisor (please print)

Signature