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Prince Edward Island Union of Public Sector Employees

Call for Director (Vacant Position)

UPSE's *Membership Services Committee* has issued a call for nominations for a vacant Director position in local 13. Nomination forms are available to print from the union's website (www.peiupse.ca), or call UPSE at 902-892-5335 (toll free 1-800-897-8773), or e-mail (peiupse@peiupse.ca).

To be eligible for nomination as a Director a member must:

- be in good standing for at least the previous twelve months (1 yr.)
- be nominated by a member in good standing of the applicable local
- have completed the Welcome to UPSE or equivalent course



Nomination forms can be printed from the UPSE website and must be submitted to the union office by **4:30 pm** on **November 1, 2019**. A biography must be included with the nomination form (mandatory).

Snow Clearing Tender

- Please submit tenders for a seasonal contract agreement for the 2019/20 Winter Season.
- The services will include snow removal from UPSE's upper and lower parking lots by 7:30 a.m., as well as shoveling, sanding and salting of entrance areas.
- Return visits may be required on the same day depending on conditions.
- Preference will be given to members and the lowest tender may not necessarily be accepted.



Please send tenders by
November 1/2019 to:

*Union of Public Sector Employees
c/o Kevin Gotell, Secretary Treasurer,
4 Enman Crescent,
Charlottetown, PE
C1E 1E6*

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UPSE Bursary Program

UPSE Bursary Program for Members, Spouses or Dependents

UPSE is once again opening our Bursary Program to UPSE members, spouses or dependants, who are in full-time attendance at an accredited College or University. You are invited to submit an application for one of the bursaries that UPSE awards annually. Twelve of the bursaries are **\$500** and one, the Laurie Jenkins Memorial, is valued at **\$1000** as well as another valued at **\$1000**.

UPSE is proud to offer this support as part of its ongoing efforts to promote the importance of life-long learning and education. In order to qualify, recipients must be enrolled full-time at an accredited post-secondary institution. Bursaries are available for both in-province and out-of-province studies. Both the bursaries and the scholarship are for the second semester (after Christmas) and are awarded on the basis of approved criteria.



To be eligible, applicants must be employed by one of UPSE's bargaining units and be a member in good standing (or be a spouse or dependant of a member in good standing). Applicants must be enrolled as full-time students at a post-secondary institution during the current academic year. An **official, sealed transcript (no photocopies)** of the applicants last set of marks should also be included. Students attending Holland College or other institutions that do not use traditional marking systems **must** include Grade 12 marks and an evaluation from a college official.

The UPSE Public Relations and Recreation/Convention Committee will base its decision regarding the bursaries on three factors.

They are – in order of importance:

1) Academic ability

2) UPSE involvement (as it relates to the applicant or to the UPSE member of whom the applicant is a spouse/dependant)

3) Financial need

A fourth factor - **community involvement** - will determine the top award winner for the **Laurie Jenkins Memorial Scholarship**.

Applications are reviewed using a "blind test" procedure whereby Committee members are not provided with any identifying information about an applicant. The Public Relations Committee selects the successful recipients of the bursaries and/or the scholarship from the applications received. The awards are usually presented over the Christmas break.

All applications must be received by: **December 3, 2019 at 4:30 p.m.** Application forms are available at the UPSE office or on the Union's website at (www.peiupse.ca).

Please note: failure to meet the criteria provided in this description may result in the committee ruling your application ineligible. No application will be considered without an official, sealed transcript, and all questions must be answered.