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Frank Ledwell Memorial Scholarship in English

DESCRIPTION

This scholarship was established at the University of Prince Edward Island by friends and family of the late Frank Ledwell, BA, MA, OPEI, Professor Emeritus of English.

Mr. Ledwell was born in St. Peter's Bay, PEI, and graduated from one of UPEI's predecessor institutions, St. Dunstan's University, in 1951 followed by the seminary and Notre Dame University. He served as Prince Edward Island Poet Laureate and was revered as a gifted storyteller. He served as principal of the high school at St. Dunstan's before accepting a position as professor in the Department of English.

As a colleague, he was always willing to help, and was exceptionally reliable and hard-working. While most widely known for his teaching and written poetry and prose, Mr. Ledwell was also a sports enthusiast and coach, with an encyclopaedic knowledge of sports trivia and history. He is survived by his wife, Carolyn, and six children.

CRITERIA

The Frank Ledwell Memorial Scholarship in English will be awarded annually to a student entering their second, third or fourth year as a UPEI English major or honours student with strong academic performance who has shown a particular engagement with the written word. A student will be eligible to receive the scholarship only once.

APPLICATION PROCESS (Deadline: August 31)

Applicants are required to submit with their application a one-page personal essay that describes an aspect of university life, volunteerism, sports involvement or other personal experience to be considered in the selection of the annual recipient.

Application materials should be submitted to:

University of Prince Edward Island
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550 University Avenue
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scholarships@upei.ca

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APPLICATION FORM

Name: _____

Home Address: _____

UPEI Student ID: _____ Telephone: _____

UPEI Email Address: _____

Please include the following in your application package:

Application Form (Deadline – August 31)

Application Personal Statement (maximum one page typed)

Please describe in your statement an aspect of university life, volunteerism, sports involvement or other personal experiences for consideration

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Note: Incomplete application packages will not be considered. For official communication purposes, the Scholarships and Awards Committee will contact successful recipients through their UPEI Email Address. It is the student's responsibility to check their UPEI email account.

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