

## Solly Patel Memorial Entrance Award (Politics and Governance)

**Source of Funds:** Solly Patel Fund 2 (Entrance Award)

**Award Value:** \$1000.00

**History and Purpose:**

The Solly Patel Memorial Entrance Award was created in 2009 to honour the memory of Solly Patel, who was a faculty member in the Department of Politics and School of Public Administration (as it then was), and served a term as the Department Chair in the 1980s. Solly Patel retired in 1996, after 29 years of dedicated and distinguished service to Ryerson, and returned to South Africa, where he died on 30 March 2006 at age 71 years. The endowed award was made possible through a generous donation by his sister, Khatija Patel.

The award is intended to recognise the academic achievement and aptitude of **one or two first-year students** in the Politics and Governance program with demonstrated financial need.

**Eligibility/Criteria:**

- Must be a Canadian Citizen; a Permanent Resident or a Protected Person;
- Must be an Ontario resident;
- Must demonstrate financial need as determined by Ryerson University through completion of a detailed budget submission in accordance with OTSS guidelines; form follows;
- Must be enrolled in a minimum of 3 courses/billing units in each of their first two semesters of study;
- Must have a solid academic performance with a minimum 80% overall average in final year of high school

**Decision:** The winner(s) will be notified via their Ryerson email.

**Presentation:** Annual Politics and Governance Awards Ceremony.

**Application:** Submit this cover page and the OTSS student budget form

**Deadline:** First Monday of October by 12:00pm noon

**Submit your application during in-person office hours:**

Mon-Fri between 10-12 or 2-5 to the Program Administrator in JOR 733

**Student Details (print or type)**

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Student number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name as it should appear on award certificate: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's current address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Ryerson e-mail \_\_\_\_\_ OAC Average: \_\_\_\_\_



Office of Student Financial Assistance

**OTSS –Undergraduate Student Budget**

This budget captures an individual student’s educational expenses. Tuition fees are for Ryerson undergraduate courses taken September to April (8 months) while on campus. Don’t include expenses while on a co-op or work term. Please complete all sections and check the appropriate boxes. Leave the amount blank in the amount field if there is nothing to report. The expense ranges in this budget may be higher or lower than actual expenses. Report actual expenses if lower than the range in the budget. **Ryerson bursary funds supplement not replace the funds a student is expected to contribute to their educational costs.** The expense ranges are intended to promote equality of opportunity and provide a transparent equitable method to assess unmet need. Student budgets submitted with NIL resources will NOT be considered for the bursary/award.

Educational Expenses	Amount	Study Period Resources	Amount
Current year’s Tuition fees, no late penalties	\$	Savings (include any funds used to pay current year’s tuition fees and other school expenses in the summer months)	\$
Current year’s Books and related supplies	\$	Expected/Earned Employment income, Stipends/ Teaching Assistants, etc. during the academic year	\$
Accommodation costs (check one box only). <b>Show up to maximum range or actual cost, whichever is less.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Away from home with shared rent. Report your share only. Allowable range \$3500 - \$4800. <input type="checkbox"/> Away from home on own. Allowable range \$4700 – \$5800. <input type="checkbox"/> Live in Ryerson residence. Allowable range \$3100 – \$5600 (excludes meal plan) <input type="checkbox"/> Living with family/relatives. Allowable range \$0 – \$1600.	\$	Government student assistance – OSAP loans and grants, QE II Scholarship etc.) Out of Province student loans and grants <b>Specify which one(s)</b> _____ _____	\$
Food (check one box only) <b>Show up to maximum range or actual cost, whichever is less.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Living away from home or in Ryerson residence. Allowable range \$1800 - \$2500. <input type="checkbox"/> Living with family/relatives. Allowable range \$850 - \$1250.	\$	Bank Line of Credit or Credit Cards Funds available or funds used to pay for current year tuition, other educational or living expenses through a Bank Line of Credit or Credit Cards	\$
Utilities, phone, cable & internet costs (check one box only) Show up to maximum range or actual cost, whichever is less. <input type="checkbox"/> Living away from home or in Ryerson residence. Allowable range \$450 - \$850. <input type="checkbox"/> Living with family/relatives. Allowable range \$250 - \$400.	\$	Other forms of government assistance (Social Services, Orphan/Disability pensions, allowances, etc.) <b>Specify which one(s)</b> _____ _____	\$
Personal/miscellaneous - includes clothing, personal medication, prescription glasses and dental work not covered by private medical/dental insurance. <b>Show up to maximum or actual cost, whichever is less.</b> Allowable maximum up to \$800.	\$	All money/cash/gifts/monthly allowances and/or loans received from parents, spouse/partner or other persons. Include any funds used to pay for tuition fees, books, etc.	\$
Transportation to and from classes only, whether driving or using public transit. <b>Do not include trips home. Show up to maximum or actual cost, whichever is less.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Within the GTA. Allowable maximum up to \$800 <input type="checkbox"/> Outside GTA. Allowable maximum up to \$950. <input type="checkbox"/> Within walking distance. Transportation costs \$0.	\$	All other sources of income received Check one: <input type="checkbox"/> Ryerson Scholarships/ Awards/ SAG or bursaries <input type="checkbox"/> Educational Scholarship Trust Funds/RRSP’s <input type="checkbox"/> Other income (investment dividends, insurance benefits, income tax rebate, etc.) <input type="checkbox"/> Other Scholarships/Awards/Bursaries	\$
<b>Total Educational Expenses (A)</b>	\$	<b>Total Resources (B)</b>	\$
To calculate unmet need: Subtract Total Expenses (A) from Total Resources (B) = unmet need	<b>Unmet Need</b> \$	<b>If your resources (B) are a larger amount that your expenses (A) do not submit this application and budget.</b>	

**Declaration and Understanding: Please check all boxes to be eligible for the bursary/award.**

- I am currently a resident of Ontario and a Canadian Citizen, landed Immigrate or Protected person
- The information I have provided is an accurate representation of my current financial situation. Receipts are available upon request to verify the information listed on the application.
- I understand if the information on this application is intentionally misrepresented this may be a violation of the Student Code of Non-Academic conduct and I may be asked to repay any bursary funding received.
- This bursary will be used to cover educational costs
- I authorize Student Financial Assistance to review my academic record and current address when required.

Student Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ SIN # \_\_\_\_\_ Student # \_\_\_\_\_

Student’s signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_