

BURC Awards 2025-2026

Early Career Researcher Grant		
Principal Investigator	Title	Amount Awarded
Domenique Gadsden	Navigating the Academy: Professors with Learning Disabilities in Canadian Higher Education	\$ 7,500.00
Jennifer Mateer	Sowing Seeds of Resilience: Phase 1 — Mapping the Food Desert at Oneida Nation of the Thames	\$ 7,487.00
Joanne Winsor	Understanding the Experiences of Practicing Midwives in Canada with a Disability	\$ 7,409.00
Krista Macpherson	The Comparative Study of Numerical and Memory Phenomena in Rats (<i>Rattus norvegicus</i>) and Dogs (<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>)	\$ 7,489.00
Mark MacDougall	Equipment for the Computed Tomography (CT) Investigation of Fossil Early Tetrapods	\$ 7,500.00
Sheila Novek	How Is Friendship Understood in Long-Term Care Research? An Integrative Review	\$ 7,499.00
Research Grant		
Principal Investigator	Title	Amount Awarded
Allison McCulloch	Power-Sharing, Sticky Institutions, and Iterative Attempts at Electoral Reform: A Case Study of Mauritius	\$ 5,000.00
Bruce Strang	Into the Abyss: Mussolini Decides on War, 1939-1940	\$ 5,000.00
Burcu Ntelioglou	Community-Led Indigenous Language Revitalization and Reclamation through Land-Based Approaches and Plurilingual Storytelling	\$ 4,998.00
Christopher Malcolm	Protecting Wildlife Habitat in The Lake Country, UK: The Conservation Legacy of Beatrix Potter	\$ 3,280.00
Dale Lakevold	Theatre Production of Rattle: A Sixties Scoop Play	\$ 5,000.00
Dominique Hétu	Burning Relations: Fire, Vulnerability, and Responsibility in Contemporary Francophone Literature	\$ 4,993.00
Jonathan Allan	I started the whole nudist movement in Canada: Ray and Mildred Connett's Archive, the Western Nudist Research Library, and Community-Based Research	\$ 5,000.00
Megumi Masaki	Hearing Indigo: Land-Based Textile Systems as Musical Scores	\$ 5,000.00
Scott Forbes	Resistance Training and Creatine on Muscle and Cognitive Function in Older Adults: A	\$ 5,000.00
Susan Chang Su	Empowering Academic Buoyancy and Psychological Well-Being of Racialized Postsecondary Students in Canada: Promoting Mattering, and Belongingness, and Overcoming Procrastination, Perfectionism, and Addictions	\$ 5,000.00
Knowledge Mobilization Grant		
Principal Investigator	Title	Amount Awarded
Aloysius Anyichie	Examining How Self-Regulated Learning Professional Development Workshop Impacts University Instructors' Knowledge, Self-Efficacy and Practice	\$ 2,000.00
Domenique Gadsden	Belonging as Pedagogical Practice: Lessons from High-Achieving Students with Learning Disabilities	\$ 2,000.00
Andrea Thomson	Accessibility in Nursing Post-Secondary Education	\$ 2,000.00
Angela Voutier	School Leaders' Perspectives on Developing Inclusive Schools	\$ 2,000.00
Cameron Boulton	Disseminating Knowledge on "Epistemic Assholes"	\$ 2,000.00

Candy Jones	Menopausal Powerhouses - Stories of Women Academics Approaching their Third Act of Life and Career (research title) Bringing the Heat: The Evolving Selves of (Peri-) Menopausal Academic Women	\$ 2,000.00
Dominique Hétu	"Le care intraduisible? Genre, Traduction et Pouvoir Linguistique" (Untranslatable care? Gender, translation, and linguistic power)	\$ 2,000.00
Doug Ramsey	Return to the Past or Diversify in the Future: Resilience as a Flawed Model for Understanding Rural Change	\$ 2,000.00
Eftihia Mihelakis	Solastagie Contemporaine dans Partout le Feu (2022) de Hélène Lorain: Santé Mentale, Girlhood et Mal de Pays [Contemporary Solastalgia in Hélène Lorain's "Partout le Feu": Mental Health, Girlhood, and Homesickness]	\$ 2,000.00
Gretta Sayers	Locating Belonging in the "Where, What, and Who" of Music Schools	\$ 2,000.00
Jonathan Allan	Fearfully and Wonderfully Made: An Introduction to Christian Nudism/Naturism	\$ 2,000.00
Laura Van Mulligen	2026 CASN Biennial Canadian Nursing Education Conference	\$ 1,935.00
Leon Laidlaw	Confined in the Binary: Anti-Colonial and Abolitionist Approaches to Canada's Trans Prison Reforms	\$ 2,000.00
Michelle Lam	Reciprocity in Reconciliation Work: Honouring Community Knowledge	\$ 2,000.00
Scott Forbes	The Latest Science on Creatine	\$ 2,000.00
Sherry Sawatzky-Dyck	Stories from the Drawer: Russlander Mennonite Women Recount Intergenerational Trauma	\$ 2,000.00
Susan Chang Su	Mattering, Anti-mattering, and Fear of Not Mattering on Psychological Well-being of International Students in Canada During COVID-19 Pandemic: The Role of Loneliness and Social Support as Mediators	\$ 2,000.00
Research Event Grant		
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Aloysius Anyichie	Beyond the Classroom: Lived Experiences, Belonging, and Success of Post-Secondary Students of African Descent in Brandon	\$ 5,000.00
Candice Waddell-Henowitch	What Were You Wearing? Exploring Rape Myth on a University Campus	\$ 5,000.00