



## Willi Fida Culinary Bursary

Each year, a bursary of \$1,500 shall be awarded up to two young people (under 30 years of age) from Prince Edward County who are pursuing a post-secondary culinary education.

FIRST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ LAST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

POST SECONDARY INSTITUTION: \_\_\_\_\_

Application should include the following component pieces:

1. A written letter of introduction OR short video (less than 5 minutes to be sent to [info@thecountyfoundation.ca](mailto:info@thecountyfoundation.ca) or to our social media channels) that provides an overview outlining your school or community activities. Be specific in listing any leadership activities, special projects or initiatives, including what motivates you to pursue culinary education and what your ambitions are after school.
2. Two letters of recommendation from a direct supervisor (work, school, community agency, etc). The letters should cover such topics as your academic motivation and growth potential, your creativity, self-discipline and leadership qualities, and your personal initiative. The letters must include contact information for the person writing the letter.
3. Your most recent high school transcript or if you are a life-long learner, we are happy to accept a copy of your most recent transcript or copy of your grades to show us your academic standing.
4. A copy of the letter of acceptance from your post-secondary institution.

### **Declaration of applicant:**

I have read the terms of the scholarship and certify that the attached information is true.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

The deadline for applications is May 31st each year.

Should you have any questions about this application, please contact:

Grants & Communications Administrator, The County Foundation

[info@thecountyfoundation.ca](mailto:info@thecountyfoundation.ca) 613-519-4470

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### **Willi Fida Culinary Bursary**

The Willi Fida Culinary Bursary was established by the friends and family of Willi Fida, to honour his pioneering efforts to develop fine culinary experiences in Prince Edward County.

Willi Fida was born in Austria, trained as a chef and worked in many fine restaurants before moving to the County to open Angeline's Restaurant in Bloomfield in 1988. Willi was a great promoter of the County, and made every effort to showcase locally grown food. He gradually attracted other chefs to the area, thereby helping to establish the County as a culinary mecca. He passed away in 2007. His two children, Alexandre and Melanie, continue to run the restaurant.