Dear Sponsor of the SSR Mining Award and Government of Canada.

Thank you for this award!

I am from Saskatchewan Treaty 6 Territory, Plains Cree and I am out here in Toronto, Ontario studying at a Theatre Arts school as a First Year.

With this Award, it'll help with my debt situation and help with rent. To relieve me from stress while I am at school.

I am aspiring to be a cinematographer, photographer, story weaver and hopefully a film director one day to continue sharing stories to my relations here on turtle island and to show them the importance of following their passions and goals. After my program, I do wish to continue in this field as it is a passion of mine I enjoy.

Thank you for your generous support. It is truly appreciated and helps with my relations as well receiving these awards!

- Brandon McDonald