

Dear Sponsor of The Catherine & Maxwell Meighen Foundation,

My name is Jacqueline, and I am a 2nd year student at McMaster University. I am doing a combined degree of Indigenous Studies and Anthropology. Indigenous culture and history is my passion and this degree will help me gain the skills needed to further advance me in my career in Archaeology. I have been in the field for 6 years and with the education I will be able to take a leadership role in the organization that I work for, Six Nations Lands & Resources.

My employer has asked me to take on her role once I receive my bachelor's degree, as she will be going into retirement. This would mean I will become the Archaeology Supervisor for Six Nations Band Council. It would be an honour for me to take on this responsibility for our culture and history.

Receiving this bursary is a huge help to me and my family. Any financial support during my studies is greatly appreciated. Thank you so much for your generous support. It really made my day and put a huge smile on my face.

Thank you & Nya:weh,

Jacqueline Porter