



CUPE 1004
WILF GREENSILL
and MO CERRA
MEMORIAL
SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION FORM
(General Studies)
2021



Application Deadline:
11:59 PM - JUNE 30, 2021

Wilf Greensill and Mo Cerra Memorial Scholarships (General Studies)

In 2000, CUPE Local 1004 named our scholarship the “*Wilf Greensill Memorial Scholarship*” in memory of **Brother Wilf Greensill** who was fatally injured on the job by a hit and run driver on March 3, 1997.

Brother Greensill was employed by the City of Vancouver Sewers Branch since 1972. He was a truck driver and was checking an unusual noise on his vehicle when he was fatally injured. He left behind a wife, three daughters, family and friends. He was scheduled to retire within two months and reminds us all how fragile life is.

A bench has been dedicated to Wilf on the east side of the train in Stanley Park. The Sewer’s Branch retired Wilf’s Truck, Number 1359, in his memory.

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In 2020, Local 1004 dedicated the “*Mo Cerra Memorial Scholarship*” in memory of **Brother Mo Cerra** who was fatally injured on the job in a workplace accident on September 28, 2019.

The incident occurred on a Saturday afternoon while our members were working in the area of Boundary Road and Second Avenue.

Brother Cerra worked for the City of Vancouver Streets Branch. He was a long-serving member and a very well-loved individual - the kind of person who always had a smile on his face and was always went out of his way to brighten the lives of those he worked with.

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CUPE Local 1004 wants to ensure that Brothers Greensill and Cerra are remembered and honoured by dedicating these scholarships.

**CUPE LOCAL 1004
Wilf Greensill and Mo Cerra
Memorial Scholarship Application Form
(GENERAL STUDIES)**

NAME:	
ADDRESS:	
TELEPHONE:	

Relationship to 1004 (please include: Employer and Unit/Branch. If Spouse or Child, the member's name):

Name of School You will be Attending:

Field of Study:

Student Number (if known)

Please state why you want this scholarship:

Please submit a 500 word essay on trade unionism. (i.e., history, impact on society pros and cons, etc.). Essay should be typed or neatly written. Your essay may be published on the 1004 website: <http://www.cupe1004.ca>. A copy of your last year's transcript or school marks is also required.

Application Deadline is 11:59 pm, June 30, 2021

Submit to Hitomi Nasu at: hnasu@cupe1004.ca
(Attach completed Application Form, Transcripts and Essay)

MEMORANDUM - CUPE LOCAL 1004
Wilf Greensill / Mo Cerra Memorial Scholarship
(General Studies)

TO: Scholarship Applicant(s)
FROM: CUPE Local 1004 Scholarship Committee
RE: Scholarship Requirements

The Scholarship Applicant(s) are considered on the following Guidelines:

1. Although qualified candidates may apply for both CUPE **Local 1004** scholarships, **applicants are only eligible to receive one scholarship**. Previous recipients of any of the scholarships will not be considered.
2. The money will be awarded to members of CUPE 1004, their spouses or children.
3. The money will be awarded annually and the date of the award established as of August of each year.
4. The conditions and requirements for qualifying for the Scholarship will be clearly defined.
5. The members of the Scholarship Committee will be made known to the membership, and anyone applying for the Scholarship.
6. We will have two (2) \$1,500.00 Scholarships for General Studies. If there should be less than two (2) eligible applicants in any one (1) year, the money would be carried forward to the following year.
7. An individual must have sufficient educational credits to enter into University, College or Technical School.
8. We will supply an application form which will be sent out to applicants.
9. The notice to apply for the scholarships will be placed on the 1004 web site (www.cupe1004.ca).
10. The Scholarship money will be sent directly to the Institution the winner has designated with the proviso that the money should be returned to the Union if the individual does not register.
11. The schedule for the Scholarship Fund will be as follows:
 - the notice of the scholarship will appear in the March and April member's update
 - the deadline for applications will be **June 30 at 11:59 PM**. If June 30 falls on a day the Local office is closed, the deadline shall be at 11:59 PM on the next business day the office is open;
 - the decision will be made in August
 - the cheque(s) will be issued in August.
12. The Scholarship form will include the following:
 - Name/address
 - Field of study
 - Return date
 - Transcript from last school year
 - Why the individual wants this scholarship
 - Where they are going to school
 - Association with 1004
 - 500 word essay on Trade Unionism (ie, history, impact on society, pros and cons, etc.)
 - The essay may be published in the Union publication.