

AWARD CONTRIBUTION REPORT

For the Academic Year – Sept 2016 to May 2017

Public Service Credit Union

*Education is not preparation for life;
Education is life itself!*

John Dewey

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OUR PARTNERSHIP

Great sponsors like **Public Service Credit Union** enhance the learning experience of its students with considerable financial awards and in-kind donations. Access to education due to financial limitations continues to be a barrier to educational success and your support helps to remove that barrier. For that the college, students and our communities are very thankful.

Public Service Credit Union is recognized yearly at the college's award ceremonies, and at various speaking engagements and community events. Your contribution provides an incentive for our students to strive to do their best. In today's competitive labour force every scholarship, award and bursary is vital for students as they seek to make an impression on future employers upon graduation.

At CNA we remain committed to our students by keeping tuition fees low and providing additional supports whenever and wherever possible. The ongoing support provided by **Public Service Credit Union** to our students has proven invaluable, as it helps reduce debt and also provides students with motivation for hard work and dedication to their programs of study.

Again, we are truly thankful for all you do in enriching the lives of students and giving them a much needed first step in the advancement of their educational goals and future careers.



CNA is focused on staying connected and supporting graduates by continuously looking forward to building new partnerships.

As partners in advancement, our donors continue to contribute to CNA and our students' successes in many new ways. We disperse over \$400,000 annually in awards across the province as a result of donations and significant in-kind support which provides valuable training tools and upgrades to support enhanced student engagement and learning.

We are very thankful for all those who give generously to the college.



"We are able to provide a better educational learning environment for our students across all our campuses when we have our communities engaged in the learning process. Our donors are critical to ensuring we provide that extra level of support to student success to meet financial needs and provide recognition for well-deserved hard work. For that, CNA is sincerely thankful for all those who give and make CNA a great place for educational advancement." Elizabeth Kidd, Interim President College of the North Atlantic.



2016/2017 AWARD RECIPIENTS

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	CAMPUS	PROGRAM	AWARD NAME
Samantha	Welsh	Ridge Road	Electronics Engineering Technology (Biomedical)	Public Service Credit Union Bursary
Michaela	Dunne	Prince Philip Drive	Business Management - Accounting	Public Service Credit Union Bursary
Jenna	Cotta	Prince Philip Drive	Sound Recording & Production	Public Service Credit Union Bursary





In the words of one of this year's award recipients,

"Thank you for supporting us, students of College of the North Atlantic. As a student, I have learned that one of the largest struggles of obtaining an education can sometimes be the financial struggle. Thank you for helping lift the weight of costs and fees off my shoulders so I can focus on my studies more, and work towards my end goal of obtaining an education, without the "speed bumps" in my path."



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