

Financial aid

Students registered in the *Bachelor of Global Engineering* may benefit from financial aid provided by McGill University as well as that offered by CentraleSupélec. The applications will be reviewed by McGill University, but financial aid will be provided by both institutions.

Two Merit-based award scholarships and one Need-based bursary are available. These are described below.

1. Merit-based award scholarships - One-year entrance scholarship

Entrance scholarships for undergraduate program are extremely competitive.

The table below provides estimated scholarship minima by admit type based on averages from McGill historical data. The minima are for consideration only. Depending on available scholarship funds and the number of applicants, the minima may be lower or higher. This table is for reference purposes only. You are not guaranteed a scholarship even if you meet the standards listed.

Scholarship decisions are made during the admission process and are based on academic information available at that time. There is no reconsideration of additional or final results.

Note 1: When class rank is available, it should be provided. Rank in the top 1% is expected.

Note 2: Concurrent IB: For applicants at high schools in Canada or the United States who are completing a high school diploma concurrently with an International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma, the review for admission and scholarships is normally based on high school grades. Predicted IB results are taken into additional consideration on a case-by-case basis.

Estimated Minimum Academic Requirements

Academic background	Minimum academic performance for consideration for all entrance scholarships based on averages from historical data
Quebec CEGEP	MINIMUM 36 overall cote de rendement au collégial (CRC)
Canadian High School (outside Quebec and Ontario)	MINIMUM 97% average on all academic grade 12 and grade 11 level courses and/or rank in top 1% of class
Ontario High School	MINIMUM 97% overall average on all 3U, 3M, 4U and 4M courses and/or rank in top 1% of class
United States High School	MINIMUM A, 4.00 GPA, or equivalent unweighted average over last two years of full-time studies, and a minimum score of 730 in each SAT test or a minimum composite score of 33 in the ACT test and/or rank in top 1% of class. Note: As a result of the interruption in testing services due to the Covid-19 pandemic, applicants for September 2023 from US-based curriculum schools will not be obligated to submit SAT or ACT scores for admission and scholarship applications.
Overseas High School	MINIMUM A average (approximately 97.0% or equivalent) over last two years of full-time study and/or rank in top 1% of class
Advanced Levels	MINIMUM of 4 A-Level/CAPE/Pre-U subjects with predicted or final grades of A*A*A*A* (or equivalent), plus AS (<i>if written</i>) and GCSE/IGCSE/O-Level results also with A grades. Exception: MINIMUM of AAAA on predicted or final results when the Exam Board does not award the grade of A* (Caribbean CAPE, Scottish Advanced/Highers, Singapore A-Levels).

International Baccalaureate	41 subject points (not including bonus points) on predicted or final grades
French Baccalaureate	MINIMUM overall average of 18, with minimum score of 15 in each course

As soon as an admission offer is done, the admission office automatically considers your application to the One-year entrance scholarship. The amount is around \$3,000 (non-renewable).

2. Merit-based award scholarships - Major entrance scholarship

A separate application must be submitted soon after submitting your application for admission.

How to apply for major entrance scholarships

1. After you submit your application for admission to the *Bachelor of Global Engineering*, you will receive an email acknowledging your application, and a link to submit your application to the major entrance scholarship competition.
2. You will be prompted to provide specific information which may include some or all of the following:
 - **A factual list** of your school activities and community/volunteer involvement for the last three academic years (including athletic/artistic and other activities)
 - **A general essay** either on a contemporary or historical figure that influenced/inspired you, or on a memorable event/experience which provided you with a new outlook on life
 - **A one-page letter of reference** that you have written – for yourself – in the third person
3. Concerning grades and transcripts, please see the *www CS Expected levels and required document*.
4. You must obtain no more than 2 letter references provided by your referees or school administrator. Provide contact information for your referees or school administrator. Their letters must include statements of rank, only if available. These documents must be:
 - **typed on official letterhead stationery**
 - **duly signed and converted to PDF**

Applications for major scholarships are reviewed by members of the selection committees that determine the finalists. **Finalists may be interviewed.**

Deadlines

The supporting documentation required to apply for major entrance scholarships varies according to region, as do the deadlines for submission: applicants from a Quebec CEGEP - March 7, 2024; other applicants - February 7, 2024 no later than midnight, Paris time.

Documentation requirements

- **Two letters of reference:** One academic and one activity-related letter of reference. Letters should be typed on **letterhead stationery, duly signed and converted to PDF**.
- **Ranking/Signed statement:** A signed statement from your school indicating the **size of your class** and **your class rank**, if your school provides such information. All documents should be provided on **school letterhead**. **Please note:** If your school does not rank or if the class rank is available on a student's transcript, there is no need for any statement.

After submitting the documents

Documents submitted on the admission site in support of the application to be *Bachelor of Global Engineering* admitted or considered for a scholarship including, but not limited to: transcripts, diplomas,

letters of reference and test scores (in paper or electronic format), become the property of CentraleSupélec and McGill University and will not be returned to the applicant or forwarded to another institution. Applicant-reported/uploaded grades are verified against official grades from the school or examination board. Should significant discrepancies or irregularities arise, applicants may be required to provide an explanation at any point. CentraleSupélec and McGill reserves the right to revoke admission, scholarship and financial support, and registration in cases of misrepresentation.

3. Need-based financial aid - Entrance Bursary Program

In the context of the *Bachelor of Global Engineering*, McGill University and CentraleSupélec are committed to supporting the academic pursuits of qualified undergraduate students who require financial assistance. The Entrance Bursary Program offers **entrance bursaries** to students from low to modest-income families who demonstrate financial need. The goal of the program is to make the University more accessible to those who face financial challenges by supplementing other funding resources such as government aid, Indigenous Band Support Funding, part-time work, parental support, and other sources of funding.

Entrance bursaries range in value and award amounts are determined by:

- the level of need demonstrated by the student and their family, relative to other applicants
- the tuition fee rate charged based on the student residency (France, rest of Europe, Quebec, rest of Canada, US, International)

While these awards are not automatically renewed in the second and subsequent years of study, students may continue to receive assistance through the In-Course Financial Aid Program of McGill University.

We offer a limited number of entrance bursaries which are renewable and tenable until completion of the *Bachelor of Global Engineering* (four years) provided the criteria for renewal are met (financial need and academic standing).

Eligibility

To be considered for the Entrance Bursary Program, applicants must:

- enrol in the *Bachelor of Global Engineering*
- **demonstrate financial need**, including the intention to apply for government student aid and/or Indigenous Band Support Funding

Students registered with the Student Accessibility & Achievement of McGill University may be eligible for financial aid while pursuing a reduced course load.

How to apply

Upon notification of acceptance to the *Bachelor of Global Engineering* (either by formal letter), applicant could ask for a bursary by sending an email to admissions@centralesupelec.fr.

- **Canadian (citizen or permanent residents) students living outside of Canada** must submit a [CSS Financial Aid Profile](#) to the Scholarships and Student Aid Office in addition to the McGill Minerva aid application.
- **U.S. students** who wish to apply to the Entrance Bursary Program from the University must submit a [CSS Profile](#) in addition to the McGill Minerva aid application.
- **International (non-US) students** who wish to apply to the Entrance Bursary Program from the University must submit a [CSS Profile](#) in addition to the McGill Minerva aid application.

If you are a student with a disability who requires help completing online applications, please do not hesitate to admissions@centralesupelec.fr.

When to apply

We strongly recommend applying **within 30 days from the date of formal acceptance** to the University as funding for this program is limited and offered on a rolling basis until resources are exhausted. The application officially closes on June 30th, 2024.