



## Admissions and Scholarship Committee

Report to Academic Council  
at its meeting of June 19, 2012

### FOR INFORMATION

#### 1. Governor General's Academic Medals

The Admissions and Scholarship Committee approved the recipients of the Governor General's Academic Medals that were awarded at the June 8, 2012 Convocation ceremonies as follows:

- a) **Gold Medal:** Fahim Javid, Masters of Applied Science in Mechanical Engineering
- b) **Silver Medal:** Laura Henderson, Bachelor of Science in Physics

The Governor General's Academic Medals are awarded annually to graduating students who have achieved the highest cumulative GPA in the courses required for their degrees. The Gold Medal is awarded to a graduand at the graduate level, and the Silver Medal is awarded to a graduand at the undergraduate level. The medal winners must be approved by the Admissions and Scholarship Committee.

#### 2. Major Scholarship Recipients

The Committee finalized the selection of recipients for the major entrance scholarship awards for 2012, and the following recipients have accepted their scholarship:

- a) **Chancellor's Scholarship:** Christine Strelchuk, Oshawa
- b) **President's Scholarship:** Talisa Haskins, Keswick  
Swapna Valookaran, Pickering
- c) **Founder's Scholarship:** Nicole Deziel, Bowmanville  
Samuel Little, Orillia

The Committee reviewed 71 applications for the major scholarship awards who met the grade qualification of 85% minimum based on completed and mid-term U/M level or equivalent courses. Each qualified applicant was first read independently by 8 committee members and scored on an evaluation rubric. The top ten scoring applications were then read by all members and resulted in a ranking of these individuals and offers being made.

- d) **Global Leadership Award:** Muhammad Mahad, Pakistan
- e) **Naheed Dosani Scholarship:** Declined

Generously established by a UOIT student, this award focuses on outstanding community and co-curricular service. There were 14 applicants for this award and the recipient was selected by the Registrar's office as having demonstrated impact of involvement as well as personal growth through humanitarian action.