

The Ronald C. MacDonald MBA Scholarship

(Bedford NS) ISI is pleased to announce that the Ronald C. MacDonald MBA Scholarship has been established at Saint Mary's University in Nova Scotia, as of May 2009. The endowment to fund this scholarship is intended to provide a legacy to commemorate the accomplishments of our respected friend and colleague, Ron MacDonald.

Ron had a distinguished career in the supply management/purchasing profession in Canada and held the Certified Professional Purchaser (C.P.P.) designation. In 1988, he was made a Fellow of the Purchasing Management Association of Canada. At the time of his death in February 2008, Ron was Chief Executive Officer, Interuniversity Services Inc. (ISI), a company he helped establish and which now provides services to 19 post-secondary institutions in Atlantic Canada. He served in various capacities with the Purchasing Management Association of Canada becoming its President in 1984. He was active in the Canadian Association of University Business Officers (CAUBO) and received the Ken Clements Distinguished Administrator Award and was honoured by the Canadian Research Knowledge Network (CRKN) with the establishment of the Ron MacDonald Distinguished Service Award. He was guest speaker at several conferences and was a frequent contributor of procurement related articles to the University Manager magazine. Ron graduated with a Bachelor of Commerce from Saint Mary's University where he later became an instructor and lecturer.

This scholarship can only become a reality through the generous support of friends, colleagues and family. A donation to this fund is a unique and meaningful way to remember Ron.

Please consider contributing today!

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<u>Field of Study:</u>	MBA program, Sobey School of Business
<u>Value:</u>	The exact value of the award will be determined by the Endowment Spending Policy ¹ .
<u>Number of Awards:</u>	One award to be presented annually.
<u>Terms of Reference:</u>	<p>Open to full-time graduate students at Saint Mary's University enrolled in the MBA program in the Sobey School of Business. Students must demonstrate academic excellence. Preference will be given to students with employment experience in, or who intend to pursue a career in Supply Management or a related field. A high level of commitment to volunteer activities in the institution and/or the community is required.</p> <p>The scholarship is not renewable but may be awarded to qualifying students more than once.</p> <p>Award selection will be determined by the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research Office in consultation with the Senate Scholarship Committee.</p>
<u>Power to Vary:</u>	Should it become difficult to present the award or the program ceases to exist, the appropriate authority of the University will have the power to vary the purposes of the award but will try to honour the original intent of the donor as much as possible.
<u>Investment Guidelines:</u>	Investment management of the fund shall be at the discretion of the University's Investment Committee in accordance with the University's investment policy.

¹ Currently the annual spending limit is 4.5% of the market value of the endowment principle based on a three-year moving average calculated on a December 31st anniversary. For the first two years after creation, the average market value for endowments will be measured from the date of creation.

Donor:

This award honours the memory of a respected friend and colleague, Ronald C. MacDonald. Ron had a distinguished career in the supply management/purchasing profession in Canada and held the Certified Professional Purchaser (C.P.P.) designation. In 1988, he was made a Fellow of the Purchasing Management Association of Canada. At the time of his death in February 2008, Ron was Chief Executive Officer, Interuniversity Services Inc. (ISI), a company he helped establish and which now provides services to 19 post-secondary institutions in Atlantic Canada. He served in various capacities with the Purchasing Management Association of Canada becoming its President in 1984. He was active in the Canadian Association of University Business Officers (CAUBO) and received the Ken Clements Distinguished Administrator Award and was honoured by the Canadian Research Knowledge Network (CRKN) with the establishment of the Ron MacDonald Distinguished Service Award. He was guest speaker at several conferences and was a frequent contributor of procurement related articles to the University Manager magazine. Ron graduated with a Bachelor of Commerce from Saint Mary's University where he later became an instructor and lecturer.



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Ronald C. MacDonald Graduate Scholarship

If you wish to make a donation to the Ronald C. MacDonald Graduate Scholarship at Saint Mary's University, please complete this form and mail (or fax) to the address below. A charitable receipt will be issued.

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