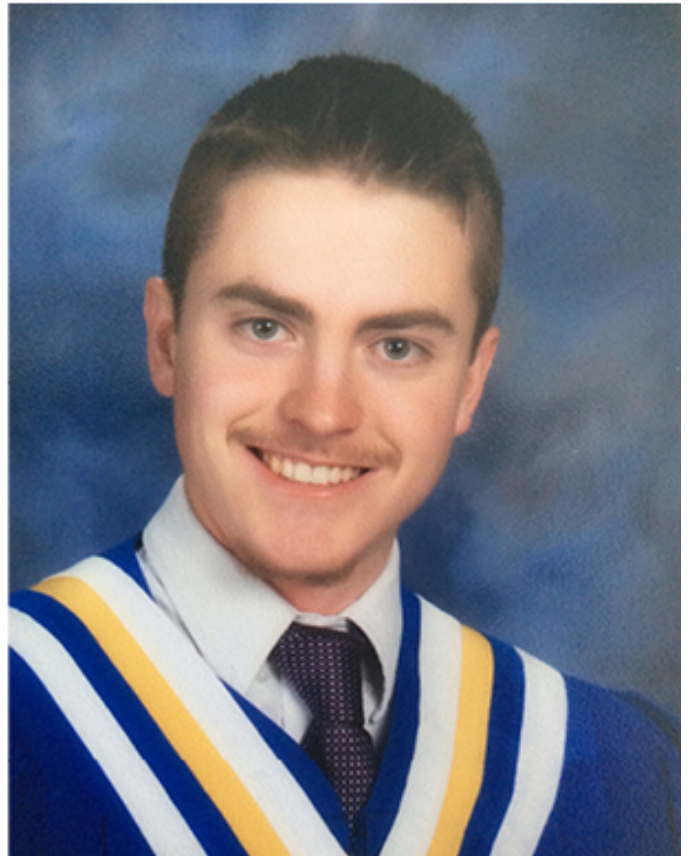


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## McMaster welcomes four new Schulich Leaders

By Wade Hemsworth

The Schulich Leader scholarship program that supports high-performing students at leading Canadian universities is doubling down on McMaster, naming four incoming students as recipients of the prestigious award.

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The program, founded by philanthropist Seymour Schulich, has been providing undergraduate scholarships in the STEM fields since 2012. It is funded by The Schulich Foundation and co-administered by UJA Federation of Greater Toronto.

Under the program, each participating university selects its Schulich Leaders from a pool of candidates nominated by their high schools.

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**McMaster's 2015 Schulich Leaders are (clockwise from top left):**

Baden, Ontario's Erika Kropf, a graduate of Waterloo Oxford DSS (Science)

Burlington's Jessica Loiseau, a graduate of Notre Dame (Science)

Welland's Conary Coyne, a graduate of Notre Dame College School (Engineering)

Newmarket's Melissa Cusack Striepe, a graduate of Newmarket High School (Engineering)

A Q&A with each of the incoming Schulich Leaders is available [here](#).

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