

Post Graduate Opportunity for Your Students

Pathy Foundation Fellowship

Do you know an exceptional student who is passionate about making a difference? The Pathy Foundation Fellowship is a perfect post-graduation opportunity for emerging leaders who want to initiate change in their community. The Pathy Foundation Fellowship is an intensive, **12-month experiential-learning opportunity in youth leadership and community engagement.** We provide comprehensive training, wrap-around supports, and generous funding to equip Fellows with the best possible tools and supports to grow as leaders, make an impact in a community they're connected with, and gain competencies that will serve them for life.

Graduating students from universities across Canada may apply with a self-directed initiative idea they would like to implement in a community anywhere in the world. This year-long Fellowship is designed for students who show a capacity and potential to develop and evolve as leaders and who have a meaningful and rooted connection in a community anywhere in the world.

The Fellowship Experience

This post-graduate program is delivered through a hybrid education model, underpinned by a strengths-based, participant-focused approach, technical expertise, and a flexible learning agenda. Additional dedicated supports are integrated throughout the program to optimize participant learning and growth.

Each Pathy Fellowship cohort will participate in the following program phases:



Foundations for Community Change is an intensive experiential learning component hosted at Coady Institute. During this training, Fellows explore their personal and professional development goals, establish rich, dynamic bonds within their cohort, and learn about topics such as participatory community engagement and leadership principles, initiative planning and management, strengths-based approaches and fund development.



During the **Transition Phase**, Fellows return home and further develop their initiatives based on learning from program training. Transition Phase includes regular check-ins with peers and program staff, along with further distance-based learning and planning before beginning the Community Phase.



An extended **Community Phase** makes up the majority of the Fellowship timeline. During this phase, Fellows will work in and with their identified communities to implement their initiative. Fellows also receive ongoing dedicated support and distance learning from program staff, their mentors, and their peers.



The **Debriefing** is the final component of the program, where Fellows will evaluate personal and professional growth, outcomes from the community phase, and identify next steps. Fellows will celebrate their Fellowship year and complete a visioning of possibilities in their journey as changemakers.

PRE-COMMUNITY PHASE

FOUNDATIONS FOR
COMMUNITY CHANGE TRANSITION PHASE

COMMUNITY PHASE

DEBRIEF

Nova Scotia 4 weeks Home Locations 4 weeks

In Communities 10 months

Montreal 1 week

Developing the Next Generation of Leaders

The Pathy Fellowship is a self-directed opportunity for young leaders to test and develop their skills in their respective fields while benefiting from a rich support network of driven peers, skilled facilitators, and experienced practitioners. By participating in this Fellowship, your students will gain and benefit from:

- ***** In-demand and transferrable personal and professional skills;
- ****** One-on-one mentorship with industry experts and a personal coach;
- ***** Generous funding to cover personal and initiative expenses;
- State-of-the-art training;
- Access to international professional networks;
- ***** Robust peer supports;
- An incredible Alumnx network;
- ***** And much more!



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We're Looking for Students at Your University

We are looking for passionate students who demonstrate the capacity and potential to develop and evolve as changemakers, and who have the readiness and desire to learn and grow. This program is designed for creative and innovative thinkers who can thrive in both a self-directed and collaborative learning environment. Applicants should have a connection to a community anywhere in the world and an idea of how to support and improve that community. Application advising is available to support candidates in identifying their strongest community connections and initiative ideas. For full eligibility criteria, please visit our website.

"The Fellowship provided us with an immense amount of support and resources to grow as impact-driven leaders."



Impact Framework for CleanTech Community Quebec, Canada





"This experience has fundamentally changed me as a leader and strengthened my capacity as a changemaker."

** Asia Van Buuren

Disability Advocacy through Art Nova Scotia, Canada

"The Pathy Fellowship has been the most transformational year of my life so far. It has been a fundamental part of my career trajectory."



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