



**September 10, 2015**

## ***2015 Catherine Lalonde Memorial Scholarships for Wood Related Research***

The Catherine Lalonde Memorial Award is presented to graduate students who demonstrate excellence in their studies of structural wood or wood design. The Canadian Wood Council (CWC) invites submissions from graduate students in engineering, architecture, wood science and forestry. Research projects must demonstrate direct benefit for structural products manufactured by the Canadian forest products industry.

Catherine, a professional engineer, was a passionate representative of our industry who relentlessly championed the use of wood in residential and commercial construction. She was president of the CWC from 2000 to 2003, when sadly she lost her battle with cancer. This award was created to honour Catherine's memory and to perpetuate the legacy she left to the Canadian forest products industry through her 10 years of work at CWC.

CWC will be granting two scholarships this year. One scholarship will recognize excellence in architectural wood design while the other scholarship will recognize excellence in engineering.

**Scholarships value:** 2 scholarships at \$2500 each

**Who can apply:** Students enrolled in an engineering, architecture, or science graduate program that contributes to the advancement of wood products in construction.

**Application:** One introduction or presentation letter (no CV please);  
Two page description of the relevant project;  
Official transcript of marks (graduate and/or undergraduate if in first year of graduate studies);  
Letters of references (preferably 2)

**Deadline:** **October 26, 2015**  
Applicants will be notified by November 5, 2015 of the winning selections.

**Submission:** **By Email:** [ilazea@cwcc.ca](mailto:ilazea@cwcc.ca)  
Or:  
**By Mail:** Canadian Wood Council  
Attn: Ioana Lazea  
400-99 Bank Street  
Ottawa, ON K1P 6B9

**Note:** Selected scholarship recipients are expected to travel to Toronto on November 11/12, 2015 (paid by CWC) to receive the scholarship at the WOOD WORKS! Awards Gala.

For additional information please contact **Ioana Lazea** at [ilazea@cwcc.ca](mailto:ilazea@cwcc.ca) or **613-747-5544 ext.227**.