

Alan Ross Bursary Award - Evaluation Criteria

MEDICAL EXPERT

- Excellence of academic record
- > Awards, honours and distinctions

COMMUNICATOR

- > Clarity of personal statement
- Communication skills with patients/families

SCHOLAR

- Lectures, presentations and publications
- > Past research projects and research training programs

COLLABORATOR

- ➤ Ability to effectively work with colleagues/healthcare workers
- > Applicant's response to feedback

PROFESSIONAL

- > Demonstration of honesty, integrity and respect
- > Demonstration of strong sense of responsibility and adherence to professional obligations
- > Demonstration of commitment to the quality of work

LEADER

> Demonstration of leadership in professional practice and as related to research projects

HEALTH ADVOCATE

> Demonstration of advocacy of patient and/or communities/populations

PERSONAL STATEMENT

- > Applicant's commitment to research in general
- Justification of training environment
- > Commitment to the program and to the research project
- > Future career plans

QUALITY OF RESEARCH PROJECT

- > Clarity and conciseness of research topic
- > Clarity and consistency between the hypotheses and objectives
- > Relevance of the methods and analyses
- > Feasibility of the project
- Originality of project and contribution to the advancement of knowledge

SUPERVISOR AND RESEARCH TRAINING ENVIRONMENT

- > Quality of supervisor(s)'s publication record as it pertains to student research
- Quality of the research training program developed by the supervisor and program director