

What is The Marilyn Booth Award?

Marilynn Booth served as Dean of The G. Raymond Chang School of Continuing Education from 1993 through 2005. The Marilyn Booth Award was established in recognition of her immense and lasting contribution to The Chang School, Ryerson University, and the Canadian and international continuing education communities. It acknowledges her commitment to adult learners and lifelong learning. The award recognizes demonstrated academic objectives, academic performance, and financial need. The award provides financial assistance and rewards Chang School continuing education students in two categories, a new student and a returning student.

What is the value of The Marilyn Booth Award?

Awards are valued at \$1,000 (per student). The number of awards will vary from year to year.

Who is eligible to apply?

Eligibility for **All** Students:

1. Be a Canadian Citizen, Permanent Resident, or Protected Person (with valid *PPSD*)
2. Be an Ontario resident for at least one year (12 consecutive months)
3. Have demonstrated financial need (see Application, Part 3)

Eligibility for **New** Students:

1. Be a Chang School continuing education student enrolled in your first course and considering registration in a certificate program

Eligibility for **Returning** Students:

1. Be a Chang School continuing education student enrolled in a course and registered in a certificate program
2. Have successfully completed a minimum of three courses through The Chang School
3. Have maintained a minimum cumulative grade point average (CGPA) of 3.0 (B)

Who is ineligible to apply?

You are ineligible to apply if you have received the award in the past.

How will students be selected?

Students will be evaluated and ranked according to the following criteria:

- All Students - essay (approximately 250 words) outlining your life and/or career aspirations and how this award would help you to achieve your goals
- Returning Students - evidence of academic achievement (*Unofficial Transcript*)

Students are expected to be honest in providing information on the application and in any subsequent discussions. If there is clear evidence that a student has misrepresented their circumstances or achievements, the award will be refused or withdrawn.

Application and Notification

The Marilyn Booth Award application is available online on The Chang School website and at The G. Raymond Chang School of Continuing Education, Heaslip House, 297 Victoria Street. Your completed application must be printed and handed in at the information desk in The Chang School lobby by **4:00 p.m. on Friday, August 18, 2017**.

All students will be notified by email. The successful students will have their name posted on The Chang School website and a formal presentation of this award will be made at The Chang School Awards ceremony in Fall 2017.

Part 1: PERSONAL INFORMATION

Last Name		First Name		Student Number	
Mailing Address			City	Province	Postal Code
Email Address			Cell Phone		Home Phone

Part 2: STUDENT INFORMATION & ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO INCLUDE WITH APPLICATION

Please select each option that applies to you:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Canadian Citizen, Permanent Resident, or Protected Person (with valid <i>PPSD</i>)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ontario resident for at least one year (12 consecutive months)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Must include most recent, government-approved proof of total annual family income from all family members and sources in the household. Government-approved consists of Notice of Assessment, Income Tax Return, unemployment, disabilities, etc.

NEW STUDENT		RETURNING STUDENT	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Chang School continuing education student enrolled in your first course and considering registration in a certificate program	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chang School continuing education student enrolled in a course and registered in a certificate program
		<input type="checkbox"/>	Successfully completed a minimum of three courses through The Chang School; please flag on your <i>Unofficial Transcript</i>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	Maintained a minimum CGPA of 3.0 (B)
Course in which you are enrolled and certificate in which you are considering registration		Certificate in which you are registered	
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		Program level/courses completed	
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Essay (approximately 250 words) outlining your life and/or career aspirations; how this award would help you to achieve your goals; and describing the difference this award would make to your life, career goals, and aspirations	<input type="checkbox"/>	Evidence of academic achievement (<i>Unofficial Transcript</i>)
		<input type="checkbox"/>	Essay (approximately 250 words) outlining your life and/or career aspirations; how this award would help you to achieve your goals; and describing what access to a Chang School education has enabled you to achieve, where it may have taken you in your life and career, or where you believe this award would take you

Part 3: FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The chart below illustrates the eligibility for The Marilyn Booth Award based on the total number of family members and the total annual family income from all family members and sources. Number of family members consists of the student, and where applicable, spouse (married or common-law), dependent children, and dependent parent(s). A dependent student, living at home, must include their parent(s) income.

To prove and assess your financial situation, you must **complete** all three steps and **attach** the most recent, government-approved proof of total annual family income from all family members and sources in the household, upon submission of this application. Government-approved consists of Notice of Assessment, Income Tax Return, unemployment, disabilities, etc.

STEP 1 Total Number of Family Members <small>(including yourself)</small>	STEP 2 Total Annual Family Income from All Family Members and Sources <small>(including yourself)</small>	STEP 3 Family Members Information <small>(Please list full name of family member(s) and state relationship to you)</small>	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> up to \$30,000	Name	Relationship
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> \$30,001 - \$38,700	Name	Relationship
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> \$38,701 - \$47,500	Name	Relationship
<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> \$47,501 - \$54,400	Name	Relationship
<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> \$54,401 - \$60,200	Name	Relationship
<input type="checkbox"/> 6	<input type="checkbox"/> \$60,201 - \$66,300	Name	Relationship
<input type="checkbox"/> 7	<input type="checkbox"/> \$66,301 - \$72,200	Name	Relationship
<input type="checkbox"/> 8	<input type="checkbox"/> \$72,201 - \$76,500	Name	Relationship
<input type="checkbox"/> 9	<input type="checkbox"/> \$76,501 - \$79,100	Name	Relationship
<input type="checkbox"/> 10	<input type="checkbox"/> \$79,101+	Name	Relationship

Part 4: DECLARATION

The above information is, to the best of my knowledge, true and accurate. I understand that any false statements I may make could disqualify me from The Marilyn Booth Award. By signing below, I indicate that I understand and agree to these terms and conditions. The information on this application is collected under the authority of the Ryerson University Act. It will be used to process your application for this award and to determine the recipients of the award. If you have questions about the collection, use and disclosure of this information by the University, please contact the Manager of Student Financial Assistance and Awards, Ryerson University, 350 Victoria Street, Toronto, Ontario, M5B 2K3, 416.979.5113.

Name (Printed)	Signature	Date Signed