



# 2023 REPORT TO COMMUNITY

*Charitable Foundation of Canadian Federation of University Women, Sherbrooke & District*

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### ABOUT US

LAMPE Foundation, founded in 1993, is a community-based, volunteer-managed, not-for-profit organization. It is dedicated to supporting students who have demonstrated their ability to serve their communities as leaders and/or who are training to become bilingual health professionals and who choose to build careers and serve the communities of the Townships. The Foundation is governed by an independent board of directors.

### OUR MISSION

We are dedicated to encouraging women and men from the Eastern Townships and across Canada to continue their education in order to improve their own lives and the wellbeing of the Townships community. We offer financial and mentoring support to students who have demonstrated their ability to become leaders in their community, and to those who are training to become health care professionals in the Townships.

Dear Stakeholders,

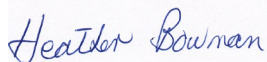
As President of the Lampe Foundation, it is heartwarming for me to hear the many success stories of our scholarship winners and how appreciative they are of the financial support they have received that has contributed to their educational successes. Lampe Foundation donors have continued to donate to maintain the sustainability of Lampe awards. 2023 marked the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Lampe Foundation. To celebrate this milestone, Lampe launched the 30 for 30 campaign for a new scholarship, the Rural Opportunity Scholarship, specifically to recognize students who, despite challenges, have completed high school and are pursuing a post-secondary education. Thanks to our many generous donors, the 30 for 30 campaign raised \$30,000 in just six months! The first scholarship will be awarded in May 2024.

From the beginning, the Lampe Foundation has awarded scholarships and bursaries to young women and men at several levels of education from high school to university. In 1993, four awards were given out valued at just over \$1000; in 2023, forty awards were handed out valued at over \$47,000. More than half of the awards were in the health sector largely thanks to the generous donation from the Sherbrooke Hospital Foundation in 2008. As a result, the number of future physicians, nurses, orderlies, social workers, physiotherapists and occupational therapists, and others in healthcare are being strengthened at a time when medical shortages continue to mount across the health spectrum.

The members of CFUW Sherbrooke & District are the greatest supporters and donors of the Lampe Foundation. The list of visionary women, Eastern Townships families and organizations who have made major contributions to the success of their charitable foundation is lengthy. They continue to feel a great sense of pride and derive immense satisfaction as it continues to recognize the noteworthy students of the Eastern Townships and beyond.

Thanks to the generosity of the Sherbrooke Record, we have been able to continue showcasing our scholarship winners in December and May. Lampe is also very appreciative of our partners who help make possible several of Lampe's scholarships, namely, The Tillotson Coaticook Region Fund, Richmond Regional High School, Phelps Help, North Hatley Village Improvement Society, Alexander Galt Regional High School, CFUW Sherbrooke & District and Université de Sherbrooke, who endure as important financial contributors to the success of Lampe. In addition, Lampe has been pleased to collaborate with families wishing to preserve the memory of a cherished loved one.

I hope that you enjoy reading our 2023 Report to the Community. A special thank you to all our scholarship winners, our donors, our community, and institutional leaders who are our partners in helping the Lampe Foundation build relationships that endure a lifetime.



President

## Making a Difference in Their Community

### Caitlyn Gerrish, Eileen Healy Scholarship for Leadership Recipient 2022 & 2023



I have just completed my undergraduate degree at Bishop's University, with an Honours in English Literature and a Minor in Communications and Digital Culture. I spent my time at Bishop's pouring my energy into things that mean the most to me. Notably, I worked as an editor for The Campus Newspaper, Bishop's independently student-run paper. I was also a peer mentor for aspiring student entrepreneurs (like myself), through The Path, an entrepreneurship incubator startup that runs across 4 Canadian universities. Post-graduation, I will be working for a year as an elementary school tutor in English, French and Math. I also plan to continue working on my small ice cream business, which I started up in the spring of 2021, while I was in my second year of university studies. My academic goals extend beyond my undergraduate degree as well, with aspirations to attend graduate school in the fall of 2025 to pursue a Masters of English.

I feel fortunate to have been selected as the recipient of the Eileen Healy Scholarship for Leadership (2022 and 2023). To feel so incredibly supported by the Lampe Foundation really gave me the boost I needed to continue giving back to my communities both on and off campus. In addition, the reduced financial stress these incredibly generous scholarships provide allowed me to focus much more intently on my studies, as well as the many extracurricular initiatives that meant so much to me. Most recently, I am honoured to have joined the board of directors of the Lampe Foundation. I am greatly looking forward to giving back and supporting future generations of scholarship and award recipients, all of whom will undoubtedly be touched in the same meaningful ways I was.

**Ed Note:** Caitlyn was recently awarded the Joan & Alex Paterson Award. The Award is given to a graduating student who, during their years at Bishop's, has contributed the most to volunteer work and activities in the off-campus community. Congratulations Caitlyn!!

**Janice Vaudry Carey** – 1984 Eileen Healy Prize winner teaches English at **Bishop’s College School**, Lennoxville, QC.

**Sharon Runions** - 1987 Eileen Healy Prize winner is a **Clinical Nurse Specialist, Regional Inpatient Stroke Prevention Clinic, North & East GTA Stroke Network at Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre**.

**Katherine Hamilton** – 1988 Eileen Healy Prize winner is **Assistant Professor, Chemistry at Acadia University**.

**Eleni Galanis** - 1991 Champlain College Science Award is a **Physician Epidemiologist, BCCDC and Assistant Professor, School of Population & Public Health, UBC**.

**Norma Husk** – 1997 Eileen Healy Prize winner is a **professor at Bishop’s University**, Lennoxville, QC.

**Erin Toole** – 1998 Eileen Healy Prize winner is **Associate General Counsel with the Financial and Consumer Services Commission of New Brunswick** in Saint John.

**Amy Kierstead** - 2000 Eileen Healy Prize winner is a **professor of Organic Chemistry at the University of New England**.

**Jessica Cady** - 2002 Champlain College Science Award winner is a **veterinarian at Ottawa-Carleton Veterinary Hospital**.

**Kerri Gibson-Grant**-2004 Eileen Healy award winner received her PhD in Psychology from the University of New Brunswick. She is living in Cheticamp, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia and is working as a registered clinical psychologist. During the day she enjoys working full-time as a psychologist with Child and Adolescent Services, working with families from across Cape Breton. Kerri also has her own part-time practice, working with individuals across the life span. Apart from work Kerri is incredibly grateful for her family, and loves being a Mom!

**Emilie Pelchat** – 2004 Marlis & Sigrid Wehr award winner is moving with family to Halifax where she will begin her residency program in radiation oncology at Dalhousie University in July 2021.

**Heather Dezan** – 2005 Eileen Healy award winner is currently living and working in Winnipeg, MB. Heather graduated from Bishop’s University in Business with a major in Human Resources. After completing a Master of Sciences in Organizational Behaviour at Queen’s University, Heather moved to Winnipeg about 7 years ago where she is currently **Human Resources Director for Investor’s Group** for Eastern Canada.

**Cora Loomis** - 2006 Diana & Jan Kuilman Memorial and Champlain Science awards winner is a **Nutritionist and works in Health Services at Bishop’s University**.

**Sara Limpert** – 2006 Eileen Healy Prize winner is **Quality Program Implementation Officer at the Nova Scotia Department of Health & Wellness**, Halifax, NS.

**Jenny Davis** – 2009 Sherbrooke Hospital Foundation Award in Health Assistance and Nursing Care is working as an LPN at the CLSC Deux Rives on King St. Est in Sherbrooke. She does triage and performs minor surgeries and personal clinics.

**Vannessa de Serre** – 2010-2012 Sherbrooke Hospital Foundation Donna Draper Award winner is working as Head Nurse at Charles LeMoyne Hospital.

**Lynda Goyette** – 2010 Sherbrooke Hospital VTC award winner works at **La Maison Aube-Lumière**.

**Claire Holt** – 2010 Eileen Healy Prize winner is **Executive Search Coordinator at Knightsbridge Robertson Surette** in Halifax, NS.

**Anum Ali** – 2011 recipient of the Champlain Science Award is now a **clinical development Associate Manager at AstraZeneca**.

**Caroline Fauteux** – 2011, 2013, 2018 and 2018 Lampe SHF award winner received her Nurse Practitioner designation from Université de Sherbrooke in May 2019 and is now working out of the CLSC on Camirand Street in Sherbrooke. Caroline is the first Nurse Practitioner in Quebec to work with individuals in a program called Opioid Replacement Therapy.

**Samantha Juraschka** – 2011 Eileen Healy award winner serves as **Chief Operating Officer of EDO Mobile Health Inc.** provides MobiCare, which helps to manage and coordinate the tasks and caregiving responsibilities in a private network.

**Meaghan Barlow** – 2012 Eileen Healy Award winner is a lecturer in the Department of Psychology at Concordia University.

**Samantha Brooks** – 2012 Lampe and Tillotson VTC award winner, is giving back to her community. At the Tillotson Coaticook Regional Fund Presentation evening, she received a grant to develop a soccer league in Lennoxville for the summer of 2014. She has lots of interest and great help from her husband. Currently, Samantha is working for the **Sherbrooke CLSC home care** program.

**Alexia Colombe-Lévêque** - 2012 Lampe Foundation Champlain Science award winner is studying **Neuroscience at McGill University** and is training a Mira dog to be a companion for the visually impaired and autistic children.

**Sarah Fournier** - 2012 Marlis & Sigrid Wehr mature student award winner is studying **Liberal Arts at Bishop's University**.

**Brooke Latulippe** – 2012 Sherbrooke Hospital Foundation Scholarship award winner is now a board-certified nurse practitioner working for Dartmouth Health in New Hampshire. Her practice is in family medicine as well as adult and geriatric medicine. She will be moving back to Quebec with her husband this winter.

**Alyson Wener (Alyson Leah – as she is known professionally)** - winner of the first Helen F. Armstrong Award in 2012 is an actress in Montreal. Alyson is a **Montreal-theatre, film and voice actor**.



**Susan Magwood** – 2013 Marlis & Sigrid Wehr Mature Student Award winner is the **Administrative Athletic Assistant at Bishop’s College School**.

**Karen Painter** – 2013 One Room Schoolhouse Award winner is an **early intervention and resource teacher at Lennoxville Elementary School**.

**Emily Prangley Desormeaux** – 2013 Eileen Healy Award is a Development Officer in the Advancement Office at Bishop’s University.

**Trisha Thomas** – 2013 VTC Machining and Welder award winner is working as a **welder at Pro Par**.

**Vicky Fyfe** – 2013 École de Réadaptation Award winner has a successful physiotherapy practice in Chambly.

**Erica Zucker** – 2014 Eileen Healy Prize winner was awarded a community service award from the Golden Key International Honor Society.

**Cheryl Brus Peterson** – 2012-2018 Lampe-Tillotson Physician Award is practicing family medicine in Vernon, BC where she lives with her physician husband and two daughters.

**Daphnée Carrier** – 2015-2017 Donna Draper Scholarship winner is currently working in the long-term care facility in Weedon for the CIUSSS de l’Estrie-CHUS. She will be finishing her master’s degree in health science research at the University of Sherbrooke in the next few weeks. Daphnée is currently living in Lennoxville and was recently awarded a prize from the regional order of nurses, the Prix relève régionale.

**Kohl Kelso** – 2015 winner of One Room School House Award has had a diverse career in education. He taught for three years in Northern Quebec before returning to the ET to teach Grade 6 at Lennoxville Elementary School. During 2021-22, he was the replacement Vice-Principal at Alexander Galt Regional High School. He then returned to the Cree School Board in the role of Pedagogical Consultant with their Complementary Services Team. In November 2022, Kohl left the CSB as he was appointed the new Cycle 2 Vice-Principal at Alexander Galt Regional High School.

**Eric Bordeleau** – 2016-2018 Lampe/Tillotson Physician Scholarship winner finishes his residency in June and will practice family medicine in Cookshire (office), East Angus (CHSLD) and Magog Hospital.

**Kristen Branigan** – 2016 Eileen Healy Prize winner is an **elementary substitute teacher at Lester B. Pearson School Board**.

**Jessica Everett** – 2016 winner of the One Room Schoolhouse Award is teaching grades five and six at Pope Memorial Elementary School in Bury, QC. She is currently taking on-line courses at the University of Ottawa towards a Masters in Education.

**Natalie Demmon** – 2017 winner of the Helen F. M. Armstrong Award is a **technician at The Segal Centre for Performing Arts** in Montreal.

**Kathleen Weary** – 2017 CFUW Commemorative Award winner is President and CEO, Carleton University Students Association.

**Annie Gagné** – 2019, 2020 Lampe/Tillotson Physician 1 Scholarship has obtained a PREM (permit to practice) in Sherbrooke. She will be located at the GMF de la Rivière beginning September 1, 2023.

**Kathy Nodzynski** – 2020, 2021 Lampe/Tillotson Physician Scholarship is currently finishing her first year of residency in family medicine at St. Mary's Hospital (McGill University). She was recently elected co-chief resident for the upcoming year! She plans to do a Master's in Public Health once she has completed her second year of residency.

### SHF Health Award



**Sue Kifemmabuh, Marie Trousdell**

### Lampe/PhelpsHelp



**Nick White, Sandra Lee Houle, Christine Young, Sarah MacNeil**



## Our Scholars 2023

**A**ward recipients are selected by the Lampe Selection Committee or by one of the Eastern Townships educational institutions. The Lampe Selection Committee is comprised of eight members who use a confidential and objective process to select each winner. The award recipients are as follows:

<b>Award</b>	<b>Award Recipient (s)</b>
<b>Daphne &amp; Lorraine Codere Awards, Alexander Galt Regional High School</b>	Junior – Kara Davidson Senior – Demitry Willard
<b>Marlis Wehr History Prize</b>	Grace Tetreault
<b>Lampe Leadership - Richmond Regional High School</b>	Damian Roberts
<b>Lampe Leadership - Massey Vanier High School</b>	Dannica Davies
<b>Lampe Leadership – Alexander Galt Regional High School</b>	Melina Ducharme-Lapointe
<b>Lampe/Richmond Regional High School Award</b>	Tiffany Frost
<b>Lennoxville Vocational Centre (VTC)</b>	
• <b>Sherbrooke Hospital Foundation (SHF) Health Awards</b>	Maybel Rodrigues-Salgado
<b>Lampe-Tillotson (VTC)</b>	Claudia Yadua Ramirez
<b>Lampe-Tillotson (Champlain Nursing)</b>	Tatianna Blom
<b>Ouida Ramon Moliner Science Award</b>	Not awarded
<b>SHF Health Awards</b>	Elizabeth Longpre Sandra Laroche Christopher Quintin Courtney Stone Émilie Vanasse Sue Kifemmabuh Jessica Mailloux Olivia Jondreville Andreeanne LeMoyne Jewel Ares Malisch Jo-Anne Andre
<b>Donna Draper Award – SHF</b>	Katie Price Jenny Richard
<b>Barbara Sample Allatt Award</b>	Pattie Powell

Awards	Award Recipient(s)
<b>Eileen Healy Leadership Prize – Bishop’s University</b>	Caitlyn Gerrish
<b>One Room Schoolhouse – Bishop’s University</b>	Morgan Passmore
<b>North Hatley Village Improvement Society</b>	
<b>Diana &amp; Jan Kuilman Memorial</b>	Mercedes Page
<b>Lampe-Phelps Helps</b>	Sandra Lee Houle Christina Young Caresse Comeau-Elman Chelsea Phaneuf Faith Rose Haskell
<b>Helen F. M. Armstrong in Fine Arts</b>	Kieva Earle
<b>Sherbrooke Hospital Ladies Auxiliary Health Award</b>	Sarah-Michelle Auger
<b>Dr. Roberta Cameron Aboriginal Awards</b>	Else Maurice Tommy Brazeau
<b>Marlis &amp; Sigrid Wehr Mature Student</b>	Jade Berube Morin
<b>Lampe Prize for Leadership – Alexander Galt</b>	Fernando Farfan
<b>Lampe-U de S École de Réadaptation</b>	Melissa Morin Marianne Laurin Élodie Beaudoin
<b>Lampe-Tillotson Prix de Médecin1/Physician’s Award 1</b>	Olivia Page
<b>Lampe-Tillotson Prix de Médecin 2/Physician’s Award 2</b>	Anya Bussiere-Fillion
<b>CFUW Sherbrooke &amp; District/Lampe Commemorative Award</b>	Bianca Beaulne
<b>CFUW 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Indigenous Scholarship</b>	Not awarded

## Our Mentors

One of the ways the Lampe Foundation provides educational support for students and graduates is through its mentorship program. We offer award winners, present and past, the opportunity to be matched with a mentor, a person who can help them and guide them in the attainment of their career goals.

**Members of the Mentoring Committee** include Nick White (Chair), Esther Barnett (Secretary), Mary-ellen Kirby and Randi Heatherington.

The benefits of having a mentor include:

- Networking contacts
- Tips on developing a professional image
- The opportunity to clarify career goals
- Knowledge concerning business ethics and etiquette
- Enhancement of employability
- Exposure to the workplace

The benefits of the relationship to the mentor include:

- A fulfilling way to help someone who is just starting out in their chosen profession.
- A way to give back as a bright new person embarks on the path the mentor might know something about.
- A meaningful opportunity to share their experience and knowledge gained over many years.

We have twenty-four mentors in various fields such as business, drama, education, health care, music and welding. In the past we have had eight matches and are projecting more when COVID is finished.



**Krystyna Kouri** is Director of Nursing at Champlain College, Lennoxville. She is a mentor for the Donna Draper Award recipients.

**Allison Connelly** is a mentor for Education. She received her degree from MacDonald College and has taught in elementary schools in Montreal, Rawdon, and Lennoxville. Allison is an active participant in community affairs.



**Maryse Simard** is a mentor for Music. She studied at Université St. Paul, Université d'Ottawa, École Vincent d'Indy and Bishop's University. Maryse is currently Organist and Choir Director at Bishop's College School as well as Music Director, Choir Director and Organist at Lennoxville United Church. In addition, she volunteers to play piano and organ for many organizations. Many young musicians have benefitted from her coaching and mentoring.



**Gabrielle Newman** is a mentor for Education. She obtained her M.Ed. from Bishop's University and various certificates from McGill University. She taught in North Hatley and Magog and retired in 2011.



**Sandra Klinck (centre)** is a mentor for Nursing. She is the Director of Care at Grace Village and teaches in the Nursing Program at Champlain College, Lennoxville.



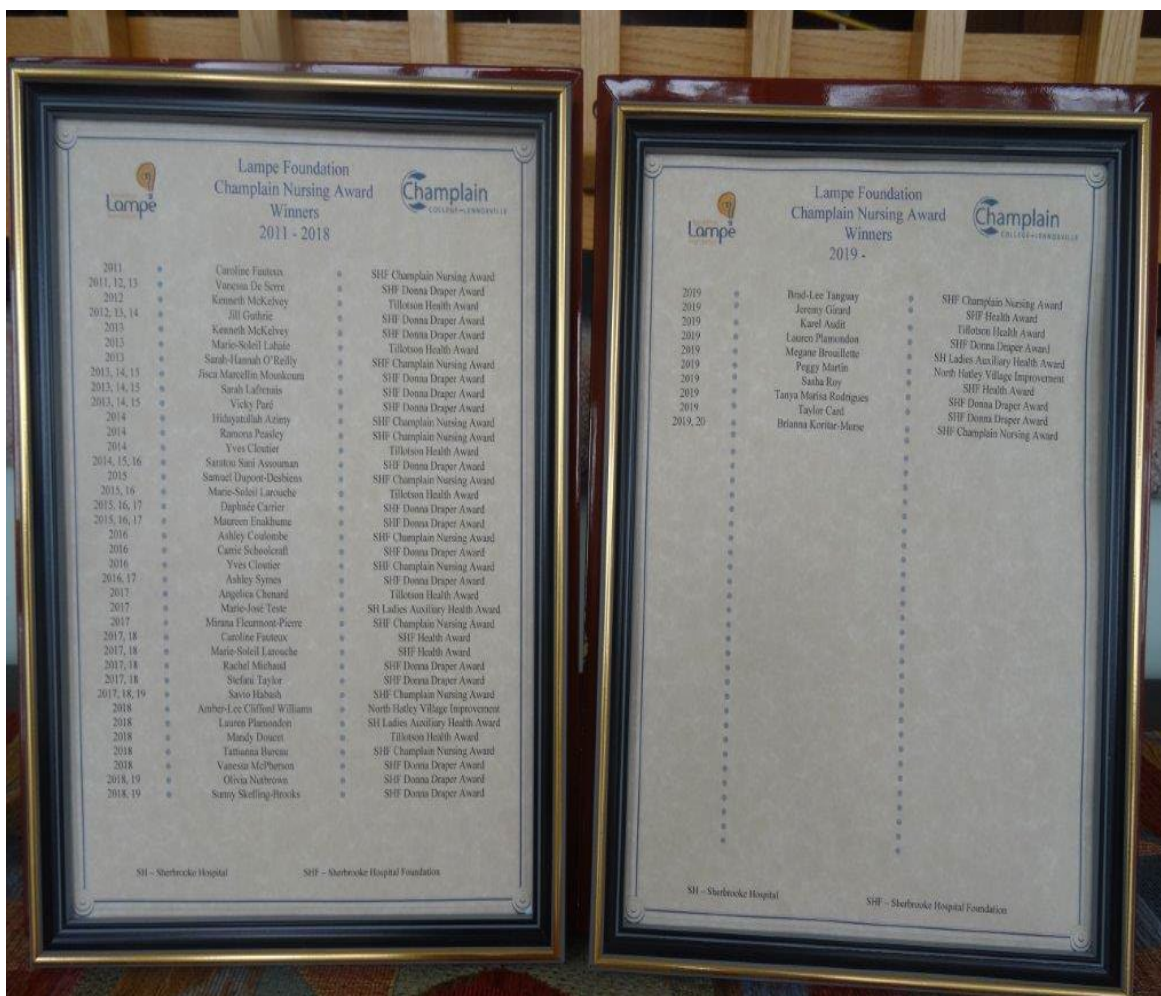
**Spring 2023 Award Winners**



**Fall 2023 Award Winners**

## Champlain Nursing Awards

Since the inception of Champlain, Lennoxville Campus Nursing Programme in Fall 2010, Lampe Foundation has awarded 102 scholarships to Champlain Nursing Students. This year, we added twelve more award winner for a total of 114 scholarships.



### Our Gratitude

The members of the Mentoring Committee wish to express our gratitude to all health care professionals, health care workers, teachers, and school personnel for their tireless efforts. We are especially proud to support our award winners.

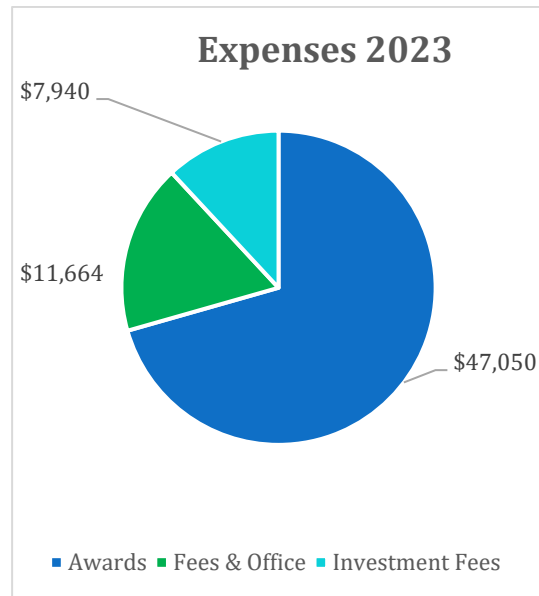
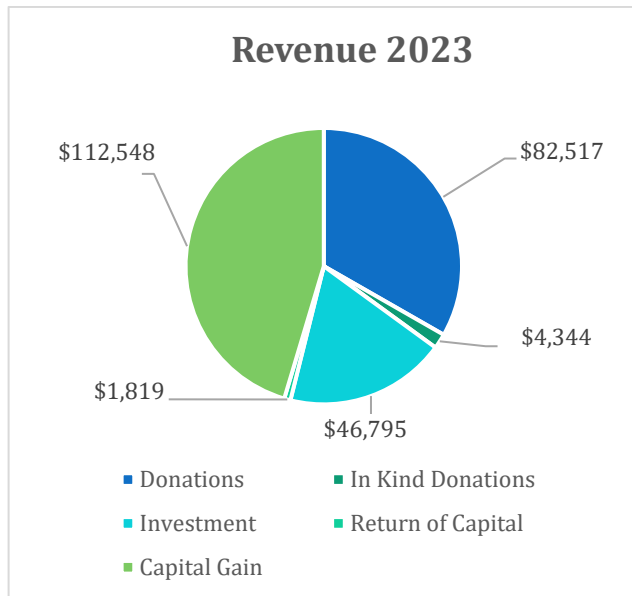


## Our Financial Summary

Since its founding in 1993, the Lampe Foundation has increased its asset base from less than \$20,000 to \$1,073,225. The assets provide the Foundation with the necessary reserves to offer a minimum of 25 awards and enable Lampe to provide the ongoing funding to our scholars holding renewable scholarships and bursaries.

The following is a summary of our financial statements for the year ending December 31, 2021. Statements are available at [www.lampefoundation.org](http://www.lampefoundation.org).

		December 31 <sup>st</sup> 2023	December 31 <sup>st</sup> 2022
		\$	\$
<b>Assets</b>			
	Cash	9,300.60	16,148
	Investments	1,063,925.21	875,707.71
		<u>1,073,225.81</u>	<u>891,856.04</u>
<b>Capital</b>			
		<u>1,073,225.81</u>	<u>891,856.04</u>



## Our Donors & Partners

All contributions, large and small, help to advance our mission. The Lampe Foundation thanks the following individuals for their support. This report gratefully acknowledges those who made a donation between January 1, 2023 and December 31, 2023.

J. Allard	M. Fitzsimmons	C. Mooney
S. Allatt	Dr. P. Gagné	J. Oldland
J. Anderson	R. Heatherington	N. Pitman
K. Baldwin	J. Hebert	S. Priest
E. Barnett	J. Hopps	P. Provencher
P. Bibeau	B. Hunting	M. Rhodes
H. Bowman	C. Jones	C. Richards
H. Brodie	J. Keeley	J. Saint Marie
N. & M. Burns	J. Keenan	E. Scheib
S. Butler	K. Kouri	A. Sicard
L. Chacra	M. Labbee	S. Slater
L. Chartier	J. Loiselle	L. Sullivan Lapp
J. Crook	J. Luxton	B. Taber-Smith
S. Davidson	C. MacDonald	M. Tessier
D. Duncan	G. McGurk	M. Trousdell
W. Durrant	S. Meesen Bradley	Y. Voisard
B. Dyer	C. Milne	M. Wallis
E. Fillion	B. Mitchell	J. Warren
		J. Watson

The Lampe Foundation also gratefully acknowledges the financial support of our partners who help make several our awards possible.

- Alumni Association Sherbrooke Hospital School of Nurses
- CFUW, Sherbrooke & District
- Island Brook (Aryshire)
- Golden Rule Chapter #1 of Royal Arch Masons
- Masonic Lodge Wales Home
- Phelps Helps
- Quebec Farmers Association (Bulwer)
- Tillotson Coaticook Region Fund
- Syndicat l'Enseignant
- Université de Sherbrooke, Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences

## Our Volunteers

Volunteers are the heart and soul of the Lampe Foundation. From its beginning, the Lampe Foundation has relied on a cadre of volunteers to provide direction, strategy, selection, mentoring, marketing and promotion as well as a variety of administrative duties. The ability of people to work willingly together for the betterment of their community is truly a priceless resource. Had our volunteers been paid according to their skills, their hours, if billed, would be in excess of \$95,000.

Esther Barnett  
 Heather Bowman  
 Allison Connelly  
 Joanne Craig  
 Wendy Durrant  
 Randi Heatherington  
 Judy Hopps  
 Mary Ellen Kirby

Sandra Klinck  
 Krystyna Kouri  
 Mary Labbé  
 Katie Lowry  
 Sue Meesen  
 Carol Mooney  
 Gabrielle Newman  
 Karen Painter  
 Sharon Priest

Mary Rhodes  
 Bev Taber Smith  
 Maryse Simard  
 Rosemary Turmel

### Donner Draper Award -- SHF



Ines MacNeill, Katie Price

### SHF Health Award



Christopher Quintin, Heather Bilkes

## Our Governors

### Board of Directors

#### **Dian Cohen, C.M., O.M., Honorary President**

Dian is a Corporate Director, Founding organizer of Centre de Santé de la Vallée Massawippi. In 2018, Dian retired from the Board and was named Honorary President in recognition of her invaluable contribution to the Foundation.

#### **Heather Bowman, President**

Heather has been involved in the Health Care system for over 40 years. She has been President of Townshippers' Association and of CFUW, Sherbrooke & District.

#### **Sharon Priest, Vice-President**

Sharon has been involved in the school system for many years, first as a parent volunteer in her sons' schools, as a school board commissioner and recently retired as the communications consultant for the Eastern Townships School Board.

#### **Mary Labbé, Treasurer**

Mary has been Treasurer of Lampe since 2009. After a successful career in Human Resources management in the Montreal area, Mary has returned to her hometown of Ayer's Cliff and now enjoys adventure travel and golfing.

#### **Linda Schachtler, Secretary**

Prior to her retirement and moving to the ET in 2021, Linda spent half of her career as an administrator in secondary and post-secondary academic institutions and switched sectors to Health and Social Services, as Executive Director of Maison Elizabeth House, where she led the organization and started the Elizabeth House Foundation. Linda enjoys quilting, gardening, and working with youth.

## Foundation Review Council

**Esther Barnett** – After teaching at both elementary and high school level, Esther served as a Commissioner for the Eastern Townships School Board. She also worked in the Advancement Office, Bishop's University for 22 years.

**Heather Bowman** – Heather was Director of the CSSS-IUGS Foundation and is committed to the community as a volunteer. Director of Townshippers' Association Board of Directors, Involved with Regional Table for services to the elderly, interested in politics and the arts. She has volunteered with Lampe since 2009.

**Wendy Durrant** – A member of the Corporation of Professional Librarians of Quebec since 1972, Wendy retired from Bishop’s University Librarian duties in 2004. Wendy is on the Board of the Lennoxville Ascot Historical and Museum Society and is Past Chair of the Lampe Mentoring Committee since 2009.

**Randi Heatherington** – Randi is professor of Special Care Counselling and Advisor for Aboriginal Services at Champlain College Lennoxville. She is an active member of several Administrative Boards including Carrefour Jeunesse Emplois du Haut St. François, St. Paul’s Rest Home of Bury. Randi’s hobbies include wildlife photography and painting with watercolor.

**Judy Hopps** – Judy brings more than 30 years of experience in the field of philanthropy working with a variety of non-profit organizations in institutional advancement, major gift fundraising, corporate communications and donor relations. She is also President, Memphremagog Nature Foundation.

**Mary Ellen Kirby** – Married for 38 years, mother of 4, grandmother of 8, sheep farmer, passionate gardener, ETSB commissioner for Ward 11 (Sawyerville, Cookshire, Bury area) for past 5 years. Mary Ellen loves to do workshops/presentations on aspects of agriculture especially for children. She is also a scrapbooker, folk art painter, crafter and enjoys being generally involved in her community.

**Mary Labbé** – Upon retirement, Mary returned to her hometown of Ayer’s Cliff and now enjoys golf and adventure travel. She has held the post of Treasurer since 2009.

**Katie Lowry** -- Katie has been an educator in 3 continents over the better part of the last 2 decades. Upon her return to Eastern Townships in 2012, Katie helped launch Phelps Helps, a non-profit organization providing career and educational support to youth in the Stanstead area where she continues to work as executive director. She enjoys taking in the beauty of the Townships while hiking or swimming with her husband and young daughter and son.

**Suzanne Meesen** – Suzanne joined the Review Council in the Fall of 2018 where she is a member of the Scholarship Criteria Committee. Sue has worked for over 25 years in the field of postsecondary education in the Townships. She is currently an Educational Advisor to the Director of Studies at Champlain Regional College. In her spare time, Sue enjoys playing golf with family and friends and is the Ladies Club Captain at the Lennoxville Golf Course.

**Carol Mooney** – As a retired educator, Carol now volunteers in local community organizations. Currently, she is on the Board of the Massawippi Valley Foundation. She is a former president of CFUW, Sherbrooke & District. Carol organizes walking groups and participates in golf, bike-riding and gardening.

**Sharon Priest** – A graduate of Bishop’s University, Sharon and her husband raised their family in Lennoxville where they lived for 23 years. Sharon has been involved in the school system for many years, first as a parent volunteer in her sons’ schools, as a school board commissioner and the communications consultant for the Eastern Townships School Board. Sharon retired from the ETSB in 2021 and now enjoys travel with her husband and her work with Lampe.

**Linda Schachtler** – joined the Lampe Foundation in 2021 after moving to the Eastern Townships following her retirement. She spent half of her career as an administrator in secondary and post-secondary academic institutions. Switching sectors to Health and Social Services, as Executive Director of Maison Elizabeth House, Linda led the organization to an accreditation with honorable mention; started the Elizabeth House Foundation; and advocated for affordable housing for young mothers, seniors, physically disabled, low income and single families. Linda enjoys quilting, gardening and working with youth.

**Marie Trousdell** - is a certified health executive who has worked in the health care field for over 45 years. Since her retirement in 2012 she has been working part-time as a consultant with Accreditation Canada International. Marie is on the Board of Directors of the Foundation of the Musée des beaux arts de Sherbrooke.

### Our Committees

#### Finance

Mary Labbé (Chair)  
Heather Bowman  
Judy Hopps  
Carol Mooney (Secretary)  
Sharon Priest  
Marie Trousdell

#### Mentoring

Nick White  
Esther Barnett  
Mary-Ellen Kirby  
Randi Heatherington

#### Selection

Heather Bowman (Chair)  
Esther Barnett  
Allison Connelly  
Wendy Durrant  
Randi Heatherington  
Mary Labbé  
Carol Mooney  
Sharon Priest

#### Scholarships & Criteria

Heather Bowman (Chair)  
Carol Mooney  
Judy Hopps  
Randi Heatherington  
Sharon Priest

#### Marketing/Communications

Sharon Priest (Chair)  
Heather Bowman  
Judy Hopps  
Katie Lowry  
Carol Mooney

#### Governance

Heather Bowman  
Katie Lowry  
Carol Mooney  
Linda Schachtler



**Lampe/Tillotson Physician I & II**



**Anya Bussière-Fillion, Olivia Page, James Crook**

**One Room Schoolhouse Scholarship**



**Morgan Passmore, Jackie Loughheed**

**CFUW Sherbrooke & District  
Commemorative Scholarship**



**Bianca Beaulne, Deborah Dimitruk**

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