

Students' Union, University of Calgary

COMMITTEE OF 10,000

Every year, the Students' Union, University of Calgary, collects a small levy from undergraduate students to give to charitable causes throughout the city. Intended to foster positive relations with the off-campus community, it represents a way for students to give back to the city that is home to their post-secondary institution.

Made up entirely of representatives from the student body, the Committee of 10,000 distributes approximately \$20,000 annually. Individual organizations are eligible to receive up to \$5,000. An ideal candidate will provide meaningful opportunities for University of Calgary students to get involved with and make a difference in the local community.

Criteria Points:

1. Provision of meaningful involvement opportunities for University of Calgary students
2. Relevance of the project to the interests of University of Calgary students
3. Impact of the project on the local community
4. Need for funding/access to other funding opportunities
5. Uniqueness of the project
6. How the funds will be specifically allocated

Applicants are rarely awarded the maximum grant of \$5,000. The Committee of 10,000 is more inclined to award the specific amount requested if it is smaller than the maximum and its allocation is clearly explained.

All applicants must be registered non-profit or charitable organizations. Applications from clubs registered with the Students' Union will not be considered.

GENERAL INFORMATION REQUIRED	
Organization's name:	
Registered charity or non-profit business number:	
Address:	
Phone number:	Fax number:
Contact name:	Email address:

ORGANIZATIONAL INFORMATION

Please type answers in a proposal and attach.

1. What is your organization's mission and what are you doing to achieve it? What makes you unique from other organizations?
2. **Describe and demonstrate the current and/or potential involvement of University of Calgary students in your organization and this project in particular. If relevant, how will this project have a positive impact on the campus community?**
3. What specific impact would a donation have on the community you serve? How many individuals will it have an impact on?
4. Outline a plan of action, including a timeline, for the use of the potential grant within your organization. Specifically, what do you require funds for?
5. What other organizations have you approached for funding? What plans do you have for sustainable funding?
6. Please include a reference or testimonial of your organization's success to date.
7. Have you received a Committee of 10,000 grants in the past? If so, how much money did you receive and when?

The application deadline is March 10, 2017 at 4:30 pm (All applications must arrive at the Students' Union by the deadline. Late applications will not be reviewed).

Mail 10 copies of your application (INCLUDING THIS COMPLETED FORM) to:

Committee of 10,000

Students' Union, University of Calgary

251 MacEwan Student Centre, 2500 University Drive NW T2N 1N4

Please limit the application length to NO MORE than 7 pages doubled spaced. Additional information will not be considered.

