

CSA-SCS: Work, Professions and Occupations Research Cluster Best Student Paper Award



The [Work, Professions and Occupations Research Cluster](#) will confer a Best Student Paper Award to the paper adjudicated by the cluster's awards committee to make the most significant contribution to the study of work, occupations, and/or professions. One recipient will be selected for the award.

Eligibility Criteria:

Primary Author of Nominated Paper

- MA student or PhD student
- Canadian Sociological Association membership in good standing

Authorship of Nominated Paper

- Sole authored, co-authored with other students

Conference Presentation of Nominated Paper

- Presentation in a Canadian Sociological Association Conference hosted session is mandatory
- Paper must be presented in a session affiliated with the Work, Professions, and Occupations Research Cluster

Nominated Paper Status

- Unpublished and not yet approved for publication

Nominated Paper Format

- Maximum 10,000 words or 40 pages

Submission Instructions:

We will accept submissions until **May 9, 2025**.

Please e-mail a copy of the paper (in PDF format), along with the information below, to Vivian Shalla (vshalla@uoguelph.ca):

- Primary author's name, e-mail address, affiliation (academic institution), and student level (MA, PhD)
- Co-author name(s), affiliation(s), and student level(s) (if applicable)
- Abstract that is included in the Canadian Sociological Association Conference program
- Canadian Sociological Association Conference session in which the paper is being presented
- Authors are welcome to self-identify as members of equity deserving communities

Award Recipient:

The award recipient will be sent a certificate of achievement and a \$100 prize. The recipient will be identified in the Conference program, on the Canadian Sociological Association Conference website, and on the Work, Professions, and Occupations Research Cluster website.