

An Undergraduate  
Summer Research  
Program in Science  
and Biotechnology

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YOUR  
POTENTIAL



Every year, the Amgen Scholars Canada Program provides fifteen selected undergraduate students throughout Canada with the opportunity to engage in a hands-on research experience at the University of Toronto. Currently, 24 premier universities and research institutions across the world host the summer research program in different regions. The Amgen Foundation has committed \$74 million over sixteen years to this global initiative to make the opportunity possible for thousands of students.



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## Inspiring the Scientists of Tomorrow

As Amgen Scholars, students will have the opportunity to:

- Take part in important university research projects, gain hands-on lab experience and contribute to the advancement of science;
- Interact with and receive guidance from faculty mentors, including some of the University of Toronto's top academic scientists; and
- Participate in engaging scientific seminars, workshops and other networking events.

## The Amgen Scholars Symposium

A signature component of the program is a mid-summer symposium held in California where students hear firsthand from leading scientists working in industry and academia. The symposium for students in the Canada Program provides students with a valuable opportunity to discuss their research, learn about drug discovery and development, and network with other Amgen Scholars from all over the U.S. and Canada.



### Academic Research Areas

Any disciplines related to the discovery, development, manufacture and delivery of human therapeutics, as well as the overall biomedical and biotechnology enterprise.

## Financial Support

Financial support is a critical component of the Amgen Scholars Program. See the University of Toronto's Amgen Scholars Program website for more information.

## Eligibility

Amgen Scholars Canada Program applicants must be:

- Canadian citizens or Canadian permanent residents;
- Undergraduate students enrolled in accredited four-year universities in Canada;
- Undergraduate students who have not completed their bachelor's degree (or its equivalent) prior to participating in the program

Canada Program applicants must also have:

- A cumulative GPA of 3.2 or above
- An interest in pursuing a Ph.D.

The application deadline for the University of Toronto Amgen Scholars Program is in early February.

For more information, check out [amgenscholars.com](http://amgenscholars.com) or contact the University of Toronto at [amgen.scholars@utoronto.ca](mailto:amgen.scholars@utoronto.ca) or +1 416-978-4707. For questions about the global Amgen Scholars Program, please contact the Amgen Scholars Global Program Office at [amgenscholarsglobal@harvard.edu](mailto:amgenscholarsglobal@harvard.edu) or +1 617-384-6758.

Amgen Scholars is an international program funded by the Amgen Foundation with direction and technical assistance provided by Harvard University. The Amgen Foundation seeks to advance excellence in science education to inspire the next generation of innovators, and invest in strengthening communities where Amgen staff members live and work. To date, the Foundation has donated over \$300 million to local, regional, and international nonprofit organizations that impact society in inspiring and innovative ways. The Amgen Foundation brings the excitement of discovery to the scientists of tomorrow through several signature programs, including Amgen Scholars, Amgen Biotech Experience, and LabXchange. For more information, visit [amgeninspires.com](http://amgeninspires.com) and follow us on [twitter.com/amgenfoundation](https://twitter.com/amgenfoundation).

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