

The CYL Guido Chezzi Bursary Application



The bursary, created by the Ontario Credit Union Charitable Foundation in Guido Chezzi's name, is open to youth fourteen to fifteen years old who are interested in starting CYL as junior participants. It is being offered to teens wishing to attend the program who are not already partnered with a co-op or credit union, with the goal of sending a new participant each year.

With an illustrious career spanning an incredible fifty-plus years working within the credit union sector, which includes assisting credit unions in Africa, thirty-five years as a volunteer fireman and supporting community churches, Chezzi's energy and optimism for the sector has never wavered. Amongst his many accomplishments, he has been a passionate champion of the CYL program and has devoted many years as a facilitator, fundraiser, and guest speaker. Chezzi's impressive commitment to youth and the program was recognized in 2002 with a Co-operative Spirit Award for Youth Mentorship.

PART I: APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name:

Age:

Address:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

List one character reference (Facilitator, Teacher, Coach, etc.) and provide their contact information:

Name:

Position:

Phone Number:

Email:

PART II: SHORT ESSAY

In 250 words or less, please tell us about situations in which you demonstrated leadership and how you will use your experience from Co-operative Young Leader's program to benefit your community?

Please send your complete application to Ontario Co-operative Association via

Email: youth@ontario.coop

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