

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

This document constitutes the official Social Impact Catalyst powered by RBC Future Launch (“Agreement”).

### 1. Objective

The Social Impact Catalyst powered by RBC Future Launch supports youth impact entrepreneurs in the Peel and Halton regions by providing one of up to six Two Thousand Canadian Dollars (\$2,000) honorariums to pursue their idea, project, or venture.

### 2. Important Dates

Applications open: November 2, 2020  
Applications close: November 22, 2020 at 11:45 pm EST  
Successful applicants notified by: December 14, 2020  
Program dates: January – April 2021  
Changemaker Showcase: August 2021

### 3. Application Process

- a. In order to participate, eligible applicants must submit an online application by following this link: [edge.sheridancollege.ca/catalyst](http://edge.sheridancollege.ca/catalyst).
- b. Eligible applicants must also submit with their application a 2-minute pitch video (Unlisted YouTube Link) by the founder that includes information about them, their team, their idea, project, or venture and the tangible impact they are trying to make.
- c. Applications will be evaluated by the Selection Committee based on selection criteria (See “Selection Criteria”).
- d. Applicants may be contacted for a call/meeting in the event that the Selection Committee has questions.

### 4. Eligibility Criteria

To qualify for this Honoraria, applicants must meet all requirements below:

- a. A youth (15-29 years of age).
- b. Living in Peel or Halton Regions or are a Sheridan student/graduate.
- c. Leading a project or venture (or have a compelling idea) that will positively impact Peel or Halton Regions.
- d. Must not be an EDGE staff member.
- e. Must not be an existing Leap, Rise, or Soar member.
- f. Be able to commit to required programming between January – April 2021 for an average of 2 hours per week. (Leap program participants are also required to complete a weekend bootcamp).

## 5. Application Review Process

- a. Applications for funding will be evaluated by a Selection Committee comprised of EDGE mentors and Sheridan representatives who are not related to, in a non-arms length relationship with, or in a direct advisory relationship with applicants. All decisions made by this Selection Committee are final. Successful applicants will each receive up to Two Thousand Canadian Dollars only (\$2,000) (“Honoraria”).
- b. In order to be declared the confirmed recipient of the Honoraria, a selected applicant must, in addition to meeting the eligibility criteria in the rules, correctly answer, in person, a mathematical skill testing question without assistance of any kind, whether electronic or otherwise.

## 6. Receipt of Honoraria

- a. If awarded, the Honoraria will be advanced with 50% in January 2021 and the remaining 50% in April 2021 after meeting certain requirements or milestones.

## 7. Obligations

- a. Honoraria recipients are responsible for completing relevant surveys conducted by EDGE and RBC.
- b. Honoraria recipients will be available between January – April 2021 for an average of 2 hours per week to participate in EDGE programming. (Leap program participants are also required to complete a weekend bootcamp)
- c. Honoraria recipients commit to presenting their progress at the annual Changemaker Showcase in August 2021.

## 8. General Criteria

- a. By participating in the Social Impact Catalyst powered by RBC Future Launch, each entrant agrees to be legally bound by this Agreement. All schedules attached hereto are hereby incorporated in and made a part of this Agreement as if set forth herein.
- b. Sheridan reserves its right to cancel, terminate, modify, amend, extend, or suspend the Social Impact Catalyst.
- c. To be considered an eligible entry, Sheridan reserves the right to vet entries based on consistency with Sheridan’s policies and procedures.
- d. Social Impact Catalyst powered by RBC Future Launch recipients are solely responsible for payment of any applicable taxes and reporting any taxable income associated with the Honoraria money received from the Social Impact Catalyst. The Honoraria cannot be substituted or transferred to a third party and cannot be exchanged for cash value. Any additional costs not described in these rules as part of the Honoraria process that are incurred in collecting and/or using the Honoraria are the Honoraria recipients’ responsibility.
- e. Sheridan shall not be liable for the failure of any applicant submission or entry to be received by Sheridan for any reason, including, but not limited to technical problems, traffic congestion, or any other issues.

- f. Sheridan shall not be liable for any injury or damage to an applicant's, or any other person's computer related to or resulting from participating in the Social Impact Catalyst.
- g. Termination of Competition: Sheridan reserves the right, in its sole and absolute discretion, to void any entry and/or withdraw, suspend, amend, or terminate this Honoraria Competition in whole or in part (or to amend these rules) in any way at any time without prior notice (but subject to applicable law), in the event of an error, technical problem, computer virus, bugs, tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical failure or any other cause beyond the reasonable control of Sheridan that in Sheridan's sole discretion determines, interferes with the proper conduct of this Honoraria Competition as contemplated by these rules, or in the event of any accident, printing, administrative, or other error of any kind, or for any other reason. Any attempt to deliberately damage any website or to undermine the legitimate operation of the Honoraria Competition is a violation of criminal and civil laws and should such attempt be made, the person will be automatically disqualified and Sheridan reserves the right to seek remedies and damages to the fullest extent permitted by law. Sheridan reserves the right, in its sole and absolute discretion, and without prior notice, to adjust any of the dates and/or time frames stipulated in these rules, to the extent necessary, for the purposes of verifying compliance by any entry with these rules, or as a result of technical problems, or in light of any other circumstances, which in the opinion of Sheridan, in its sole and absolute discretion, affect the proper administration of the Honoraria Competition as contemplated in these rules.
- h. Personal Information: By entering the Social Impact Catalyst, each applicant expressly consents to Sheridan, its agents and/or representatives, storing, sharing and using the personal information submitted with his/her/their entry only for the purpose of administering the Honoraria and in accordance with Sheridan's privacy policy <https://www.sheridancollege.ca/privacy-legal.aspx> unless the contestant otherwise specifies by giving the Sponsor notice in writing.

## 9. Use of Names

- a. The Honoraria recipient gives Sheridan the permission to publish, in any format, their name, image or likeness, and participation with Social Impact Catalyst powered by RBC Future Launch without compensation, for teaching, learning, advertising, and promotional purposes for use now or in the future. This includes the telling of "success stories" that arise from Social Impact Catalyst. By signing the Media Consent Waiver set forth in Schedule A of this Agreement, the Honoraria recipient gives Sheridan consent to being photographed, interviewed, podcasted, and/or videotaped.
- b. The Honoraria recipient may not use Sheridan's name in any publication or advertisement without Sheridan's express written consent.

## 10. Order of Precedence

In the event of an inconsistency or conflict between a Schedule and the main Agreement, the main Agreement shall prevail.

## 11. Independent Parties

Honoraria recipients acknowledge that they are acting independently from Sheridan and that they are solely responsible for its actions or inactions, and that nothing in this Agreement will be construed to create a partnership, agency, or employment relationship between Sheridan and the Honoraria recipient or its representatives.

## 12. Termination

Sheridan reserves the right to terminate this Agreement if the Honoraria recipient fails to comply with the terms and conditions contained herein. Should termination occur, the Honoraria recipient shall return all Honoraria received to Sheridan promptly at Sheridan's request.

## 13. Assignment

This Agreement or the Honoraria may not be assigned or transferred by the Honoraria recipient to another entity without the prior written consent of Sheridan.

## 14. Indemnification

The Honoraria recipient agrees to be responsible for its own negligent or intentional acts, and those of its officers, agents, and employees, arising out of or as a result of spending the Honoraria, and agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold Sheridan, and its officers, Governors, agents, employees, and students harmless from any such liability, including without limitation misuse of the Honoraria, legal fees, and costs.

## 15. Governing Law

This Agreement is governed by the laws of the Province of Ontario and the laws of Canada applicable therein and treated in all respects as an Ontario contract. The Parties hereby irrevocably and unconditionally agree to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the Province of Ontario and all courts competent to hear appeals.

Need more information?

This competition is administered by The Sheridan College Institute of Technology and Advanced Learning. Any questions, comments, or complaints regarding the Social Impact Catalyst powered by RBC Future Launch should be directed to:

Email: [edge@sheridancollege.ca](mailto:edge@sheridancollege.ca)

Phone: (905) 845-9430 ext. 8291

Web: [edge.sheridancollege.ca/catalyst](http://edge.sheridancollege.ca/catalyst)

## SCHEDULE A

### Media Consent Waiver

I hereby irrevocably give The Sheridan College Institute of Technology and Advanced Learning (“Sheridan”) the right and permission to record my image or likeness while I participate in the Social Impact Catalyst powered by RBC Future Launch identified above.

Furthermore, I hereby irrevocably give Sheridan the right and permission to use my image or likeness so recorded.

Sheridan’s right of use shall include the right to publish, adapt, exhibit, reproduce, edit, distribute and display my image or likeness in connection with any product or service for any purpose (including, promotion advertising and trade) in all markets, media or technology now known or hereafter developed. For certainty, and without limiting the above, Sheridan’s right of use shall also allow it to publish my image or likeness on the internet, incorporate my image or likeness into promotional videos and share my image or likeness with media organizations for any purpose. I acknowledge that Sheridan owns all rights to the images and recordings.

I shall not have any entitlement to compensation for Sheridan’s recording and use and shall not make any claim against Sheridan, its affiliates, agents, event partners, governors, officers and/or employees for damages that may arise from its recording or use including, without limitation, any claim that is based on an alleged misrepresentation, negligence, defamation, breach of privacy, right of publicity infringement or an infringement of any applicable privacy legislation.

By signing my name, I acknowledge that I have read, understand and agree with the contents contained within this Consent and Release.

Project/Event/Purpose: Social Impact Catalyst

Name:

Phone:

Email:

Signature of Participant:

Date:

If under 18 years of age, a signature of a parent or guardian is required.

I acknowledge that I have read and understood this Consent and Release. I agree to its terms in connection with the photographic or electronic records of the likeness of my child.

Parent or Guardian’s Name:

Signature of Parent/Guardian:

Date:

Sheridan is authorized to collect this personal information by section 2 of the Ontario Colleges of Applied Arts and Technology Act. Personal information on this form is collected under the authority of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA) and may be used to solicit authorization to use such personal information on Sheridan’s promotional materials. Sheridan adheres to all legislative requirements with respect to protecting privacy.

Any questions should be directed to Office of General Counsel - 1430 Trafalgar Rd., Oakville, ON L6H 2L1 905-845-9430.