



2017 Host Institutions

- ★ University of British Columbia
- ★ University of Calgary
- ★ University of Saskatchewan
- ★ University of Western Ontario
- ★ University of Toronto
- ★ University of Ottawa
- ★ National Research Council Canada
- ★ Université de Montréal
- ★ McGill University
- ★ Université du Québec à Montréal
- ★ UPEI
- ★ St Francis Xavier University

The **RISE Student Exchange** is Canada's largest summer research exchange program in the chemical sciences. Every summer, research scholarships are awarded to undergraduate students who will have completed the equivalent of two or three full years of study toward a BSc degree in Chemistry, Chemical Biology, or Biochemistry as of May 2017.

RISE Scholarships include a research stipend for work in the laboratories of a RISE Advisor at another institution, travel funding to help you get to your job, and also funding to go to the annual RISE Conference at the end of the summer. The RISE Conference is a highlight of the summer, where RISE Scholars present their research results to other RISE Scholars and their advisors. This year, the conference will be hosted by the University of Calgary.

The specific research interests of the RISE Advisors vary considerably and interested

candidates are encouraged to check the web sites of the research mentors for information. (These are accessible as links at www.risecanada.ca).

Those universities with Coop programmes normally recognise the RISE Canada summer placement as the equivalent of a Coop work term. All RISE Scholars are expected to apply for an NSERC Undergraduate Student Research Award (USRA) where applicable at their host institution.

The application process requires applicants to submit the following for consideration:

- completed application form
- most recent academic transcript
- one letter of recommendation

See attached form for details.



**APPLICATIONS ARE DUE on November 7th, 2016.
please submit your application to your local RISE Advisor**

name _____ institution _____

phone _____ email _____

current address _____

permanent address _____

academic program _____ year of study _____

status in Canada _____ (Citizen/ Landed Immigrant/Other (specify))

relevant work experience, if applicable (give year, position, supervisor, etc)

career goals and plans _____

other relevant information _____

Preferred Placement for Award (1) _____

(2) _____

(3) _____

(4) _____

I am willing to be placed at any of the participating institutions

A complete application consists of a completed copy of this form, a copy of your **current academic transcripts**, and **one letter of reference**.

Submit it by **November 7, 2016** to
pierre@chem.ubc.ca