

J.W. Johnstone Jr. Award

The J.W. Johnstone, Jr. Scholarship in the Faculty of Professional Studies is awarded annually to a student entering their final year of an undergraduate degree program in the Faculty (may include BEd students if a previous degree from Acadia is held). The criteria for the scholarship shall be broadly based on academic excellence as demonstrated in the previous years marks, an interview and a dossier which will be reviewed by an examining committee. J.W. Johnstone, Jr. graduated with the Bachelor of Arts degree as one of our four members of Acadia's first graduating class in June 1843. Following graduation, he studied law in Halifax and practiced there until 1876 when he became the first County Judge for District Number 1, Halifax County. He was the first President of the Associated Alumni of Acadia College. The award is provided by the Associated Alumni of Acadia University.

Past Recipients:

2022 – Rachel Whiteside, Code	2007 – Carole Nickle, Education
2021 – Cassandra Palmer, Music	2006 – Jennifer Wilson, Business
2020 – Guy Harrison-Murray, Business	2002 – Jennifer Miner, Education
2019 – Baylee Saulnier, Music	2001 – Beth Whalen, Business
2018 – Jennifer Steinmann, Kinesiology	2000 – Angus Bonnyman, Business
2017 – Michelle Lavoie, Education	1999 – Duncan Retson, Education
2016 – Katie Ross, Kinesiology	1998 – Matthew Moddy, Business
2015 – Katrina Gould, Education	1997 – Jessica Everett, Recreation
2014 – Jenny Roy, Kinesiology	1996 – Karen Miner, Business
2013 – Stephanie Morton, Business	1996 – Jonathan Fowler, Education
2012 – Rachel Eisener, Recreation Management with ESST	1995 – Jennifer Melville, Business
2011 – Robynn Moody, Education	1994 – Robert Binns, Business
2010 – Michael Chiasson, Recreation	1993 – Jennifer Veinot, Education
2009 – Garren Surette, Education	1992 – Laura Brock, Education
2008 – Carrie Dillman, Kinesiology	1991 – Claudine Bouvrette, Recreation

