

**BAIRD of BUTE SOCIETY**

*Lord Smith of Kelvin KT, Patron*

**Canadian Science Scholarship**

**Toronto Canada, July 2016**

**Eligibility requirements**

The Baird of Bute Society welcomes high-quality nominations from young people who have secured an unconditional offer for a university place and who meet the essential criteria:

**Personal**

* High academic achievement
* Good character
* Can use the experience to have positive impact on others
* Citizen or permanent resident of Scotland
* Possess a passport valid until at least December of 2016
* Meets Canadian Government Visitor admission requirements
* 18 years of age by 1 June 2016
* Unconditionally accepted to a Scottish University life science course or related discipline
* No criminal record
* Record of community involvement
* Team player
* Prepared to maintain daily blog with other participants
* Prepared to complete weekly blog during 1st year of University
* Able to be insured for Visitors to Canada health insurance coverage
* Submit a personal *Letter of Application*
* Agree to be interviewed, as required, for selection (in person or on-line)
* Possess immunisation as may be required by participating institutions

**Local**

* Proposed, endorsed and supported by their school
* Prepared to fundraise, as might be required, to cover personal incidentals and travel to/from Glasgow airport