

## Finch Family Undergraduate Award 2021W Reference Form

The Finch Family Undergraduate Award is offered by Ken and Jean Finch to a third-year student at UBC's Okanagan campus. The award recognizes one outstanding continuing student who has demonstrated academic strength and is a well-rounded citizen.

Candidates for the award must demonstrate high academic performance, enhanced by extra-curricular activities such as community service, research projects or summer employment. Subject to maintaining continued scholarship standing, the award recipient will have their award renewed for their fourth year of study.

The award is made on the recommendation of the Adjudication Committee.

### Criteria:

- The applicant is in their third year of study having completed their first two years at UBC's Okanagan campus
- The applicant has demonstrated a deliberate and focused approach to their education
- The applicant is an outstanding student with a minimum of 85% GPA, enhanced by extra-curricular activities such as research or summer employment
- Preference is given to students whose studies may lead to entrepreneurship, innovation, community involvement or local economic development

This form is to be completed by the referee and not the applicant. Please respond to the questions in this form to outline the student's character, focus and achievements. The information you provide will remain confidential and will only be used by Enrolment Services and the Adjudication Committee.

This form must be submitted by the referee no later than **4:00pm (PST) October 15th, 2021.**

**Reference Information:**

Full Name (Surname, Given Name):

Organization, UBCO Faculty and/or Department:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

**Applicant Information:**

Full Name of Applicant (Surname, Given Name):

Student Number of Applicant:

How long have you known the student for (please include the number of years and/or months)?

Describe in what capacity you have worked/interacted with the student. Please comment on what has impressed you the most in your interactions. Please provide specific example(s). (Maximum: 100 words)

What impact has this student had on your organization? How have they demonstrated leadership?  
(Maximum: 100 words)

Is there any information regarding the student's community, school, or background that would better contextualize their successes and/or challenges? (Maximum: 100 words)

Is there any additional information about the student that you would like to provide to the Adjudication Committee? (Maximum: 100 words)

## Declaration

I hereby declare that the information in this submission is, to the best of my knowledge, correct and complete. I understand that UBC retains the right to verify this information.

Signature

Date

You have reached the end of the reference form. Please review your responses carefully before submitting your reference.

## Submission Instructions

1. Please save this reference form with the following title format: applicant last name, applicant first name - applicant student number reference (ex. **Smith, John - 12345678 reference**)
2. Submit the completed reference form through the link below:  
<https://ubc.ca1.qualtrics.com/2021FinchFamilyUndergraduateAwardReference>

Please do not return this reference form back to the student for submission.