

Name of Award:	The Margaret O'Gara Scholarship for Advanced Degree Students in Ecumenical Theology
Value:	Up to \$2,500
Awarding Body:	Committee composed of the Regis St. Michael's Dean of Theology (or designate) and two TST professors familiar with Ecumenical Theology appointed by the Dean.
Purpose:	This is an in-course scholarship aimed at fostering the type of theological work in which Professor O'Gara was centrally involved throughout her career, namely, engaged study of the divisions between the Christian churches for the sake of overcoming them.
Criteria:	The scholarship is open to master's and doctoral students registered in any college of the Toronto School of Theology. Applications may be made on the basis of such theological projects as a doctoral dissertation, a master's thesis, one or more courses, perhaps even just a major paper. Applicants' theological projects will be assessed in terms of their academic quality and ecumenical relevance. The deadline for applications is December 1, 2023  The application procedure has three steps: (i) in a statement of up to 300 words, the applicant describes his or her theological project and how it contributes to Ecumenical Theology; (ii) the applicant arranges to have a professor who is familiar with his or her theological project write a brief confidential letter commenting on its academic quality and ecumenical relevance; (iii) the applicant insures that, no later than the annual deadline, both documents are submitted by email to:  Emil Iruthayathas, Director, Office of the Dean of Theology usmctheology.registrar@utoronto.ca
umber of Awards	1 or more as allowed by the annual income
N.B. Only successful applicant(s) will be notified.	