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Former Heritage College Student receives \$10,000 Scholarship

“This is literally a dream come true!” was the reaction of former Heritage College Social Science student Sarah Lawrance (from the Hull sector of Gatineau) after hearing that she will be receiving a \$10,000 USD Killam Fellowships award (plus \$500 USD for health insurance) from the Foundation of Educational Exchange between Canada and the United States to participate in a one-year exchange at American University (AU) in Washington, D.C.

Sarah is about to enter her fourth, and final, year of a Joint Honours Bachelors program in Communication and Sociology at the University of Ottawa, and will be studying in that same field during her exchange. As she intends to specialize in media ethics and related issues, she was happy to learn that AU has many options to offer her in those areas.

During her time as a student at Heritage, Sarah Lawrance was very active as President of the Student Association and as a member of the College Board of Governors.

The Foundation of Educational Exchange between Canada and the United States (the Canada-U.S. Fulbright Program) was established in 1990 and has its headquarters in Ottawa. The Killam Fellowships Program is a five-year pilot program, offered by the Foundation and designed to encourage exceptional undergraduate students in the two countries by providing a unique opportunity for formal student exchange.

For more information about Heritage College, West Quebec’s only English CEGEP, visit the College website at www.cegep-heritage.qc.ca.

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