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***ABORIGINAL FISHERIES STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP***  
*Supported by Fisheries and Oceans Canada*

***UBC Fisheries Centre is pleased to announce funding for an Aboriginal Masters or PhD student doing research on aquatic ecosystems and fisheries.***



***CHIEF SIMON SAYS:***

*'We need to greatly expand our educational system, to give the traditional knowledge and values from our Ancestors its proper place.*

*We need a whole new generation of Aboriginal fisheries scientists.'*

A great role-model. Chief Simon Lucas, from the Nuu-Chah-Nulth Nation, and co-Chair of the BC Aboriginal Fisheries Commission, receiving an Honorary Doctorate for his lifetime services to fisheries conservation. UBC, May 2002.

**The Opportunity**

The enrolment of Aboriginal Masters and PhD students is a priority of a 1997 Memorandum of Agreement between UBC Fisheries Centre [www.fisheries.ubc.ca](http://www.fisheries.ubc.ca), UBC First Nations House of Learning [www.longhouse.ubc.ca](http://www.longhouse.ubc.ca) and BC Aboriginal Fisheries Commission [www.bcafc.org](http://www.bcafc.org).

**Value:** \$21,000/year plus research support costs. Renewable for another two years.

**Admission Deadline and Requirements:**

Students at the Fisheries Centre are admitted through Resource Management and Environmental Studies graduate program (RMES), Zoology and other departments.

RMES deadline June 30 for September 2003 admission.

**Contact:** Fisheries Centre Graduate Student Secretary, [office@fisheries.ubc.ca](mailto:office@fisheries.ubc.ca), (604) 822-2731.

**Other dedicated Aboriginal student funding (some with earlier deadlines):**

Please see [www.grad.ubc.ca/prostudents/awards/fogsawd/research/nserc.htm](http://www.grad.ubc.ca/prostudents/awards/fogsawd/research/nserc.htm) - Aboriginal;  
<http://www.grad.ubc.ca/prostudents/awards/fogsawd/misc/first.htm>; and,  
<http://www.bchydro.com/scholarships/>.

**Funding available to all students (some with earlier deadlines):**

Please see: <http://students.ubc.ca/finance/awards/list.cfm>  
<http://www.grad.ubc.ca/prostudents/awards/fogsawd/ugf/affil.htm>;  
(and complete list following); and,  
<http://www.grad.ubc.ca/prostudents/awards/fogsawd/ugf/killam.htm>.