

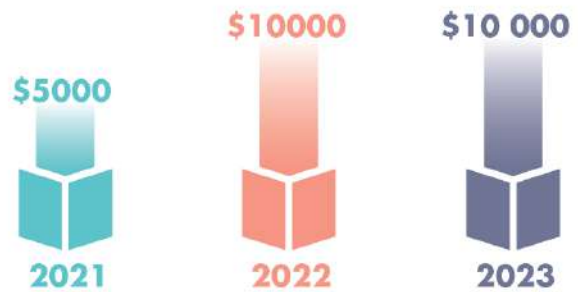


The **Alexandre-Parks Foundation** is dedicated to the promotion of education and research. To achieve this goal, it has established a scholarship program - the Alexandre-Parks Graduate Scholarship (BESAP) which is awarded annually to students enrolled in the doctoral program in life sciences at the Université de Moncton. These scholarships are intended for students whose fields of study focus on diseases that closely impacted Alexandre, including autoimmune enteropathy (which he suffered from), other autoimmune diseases, breast cancer (the subject of his doctoral research), and pulmonary fibrosis, which was one of the many complications that cost him his life.



The number and value of scholarships offered undergo rigorous analysis to create an optimal and equitable offer. Information sessions about the Alexandre-Parks Graduate Scholarship (BESAP) and their implications for advancing education are a part of our charitable activities.

Our scholarships play an important role in making the university more accessible and affordable, as well as facilitating the success of doctoral students enrolled in the life sciences doctoral program at the Université de Moncton.



Alexandre suffered from a very rare autoimmune disease of the digestive system. Despite his medical constraints, Alexandre completed a Bachelor of Science degree (specializing in Biology) at the Université de Moncton in 2014 and a Master's degree in Experimental Medicine at Université Laval in 2016. He began a doctoral program in life sciences (focusing on breast cancer) at the Université de Moncton in January 2017. Alexandre passed away on December 21, 2017, at the age of 26.



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