

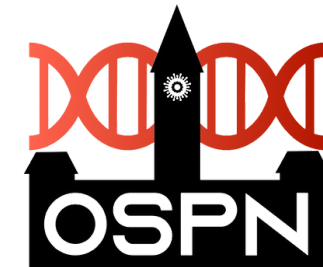


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Key Findings

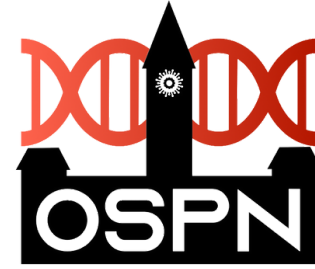
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OTTAWA SCIENCE POLICY NETWORK'S
NATIONAL GRADUATE STUDENT FINANCE SURVEY

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Key Findings



1

ETHNIC IDENTITY

Black, Middle Eastern and South Asian graduate students have significantly **LOWER** average stipend compared to **White students**.

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Key Findings



2

INDIGENOUS GRADUATE STUDENTS

1.2%

of respondents identified
as Indigenous.

These individuals have **HALF** the
annual stipend value compared
to non-Indigenous respondents.

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Key Findings

3

GRADUATE STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

10%

of respondents
identified having a
disability.

These individuals have **similar** government award status, stipend amounts and equally have a “struggling” or “tight” financial situation.