

**2021 CAE Scholarship Winners Announced
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The Canadian Academy of Engineering is pleased to announce the winners of its 2021 national scholarship competitions.



The winner of the 2021 CAE Bruce Aubin SAE Aerospace Design Award is Mr. Shadman Sajid, a Chemical Engineering student at the University of Calgary. He is recognized for his excellent leadership roles with various undergraduate design teams, first place finishes in emerging aviation design competitions as well as his development of tools and techniques to help his design teams work through COVID -19.



The winner of the 2021 CAE William G. Belfry SAE Award is Ms. Katrina Cecco, a Mechanical Engineering student at the University of Toronto. She is recognized for her impressive combination of theoretical and practical knowledge in the design, prototyping and validation of an automated package development system for drones as well as her overall leadership experience and passion for autonomous vehicles.

The Canadian Academy of Engineering (CAE) partnered with the SAE Foundation Canada and the Aubin and Belfry families in 2017 to offer an undergraduate scholarship in transportation and mobility engineering, and an award for university students' outstanding aerospace design. The *CAE Bruce Aubin SAE Aerospace Design Award* is valued at \$2000, and the *CAE William G. Belfry Memorial SAE Scholarships* is \$2000. The awards and scholarships are given annually to top engineering students from across Canada. Information about the scholarships can be found at:

<https://www.cae-acg.ca/projects/scholarships/>.

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