



## Honoured by the Peter Watts Memorial Media Foundation

### Who was Peter Watts?

Peter Watts exemplified the very best of the Canadian media industry. He was revered for his professionalism, journalistic integrity and passion for his craft.

Born and raised in Kingston, ON, Peter attended Queen's University, obtaining his degree in history and politics. While attending Queen's he found himself in the radio booth working for the campus radio station CRFC while also managing the university football and hockey teams.

That radio experience was the start of his life's work in the media industry. Some of his most memorable positions included CKWS TV in Kingston hosting news, weather and sports, CKLC radio show "Kingston Today", CBC Sports Edmonton, Commentator for TSN Sportsdesk, and Host/Producer of the Alberta Morning News on the Corus Radio Network.

Throughout his 40+ year career, Peter patiently offered his time and expertise to the next generation of broadcast journalists.

The Peter Watts Memorial Media Foundation was established to help continue Peter's legacy of mentorship.

### Grant Criteria:

If you are enrolling in a journalism or media studies program beginning in September 2020 at a university registered with Universities Canada, please submit the following to [PWmemorialgrant@usports.ca](mailto:PWmemorialgrant@usports.ca) by March 31, 2020:

1. A copy of your resume
2. A written answer to the following question: Why is it important for you to pursue journalism and/or media studies? (1,000 word maximum)
3. An example of an article, interview or media clip that you have produced.

### Grant Details:

A selection committee will review all applications and the selected applicant will be awarded a \$3,000 grant to put towards their 2020 university tuition and resource fees. (Proof of university acceptance and admittance will be required).