



2012 Membership Application/Renewal

MEMBERSHIP VALID UNTIL FEB, 2013. Complete this form to become a Foundation member!

Two thirds of the funds distributed by the Foundation are directed to education, healthcare and poverty relief in Ontario while one third is assigned overseas. Through its international alliances, the Foundation funds disaster relief and credit union development initiatives."

Name: _____ Title: _____

Credit Union/Company Name: _____

Tel. No. (Business) (____) _____ (Home) (____) _____ (Fax) (____) _____

Email: _____

Business Address: _____ Home Address (for personal memberships): _____

- Personal** Membership for one year @ \$50 **Lifetime Personal** Membership @ \$500
- Corporate** Membership @ \$200 **Corporate Lifetime** Membership @ \$2,000
- Please automate my yearly renewal on my credit card.**

Log on to www.ontariocucf.ca and click on *How To Donate*, then *Donate Online Now* to process your payment using Visa or MasterCard.

- OR -

Payment by:

- MasterCard No. _____ Expiry Date _____ Authorized Signature _____
- Visa Card No. _____ Expiry Date _____ Authorized Signature _____
- Cheque (enclosed payable to Ontario Credit Union Charitable Foundation)
- I would like to pledge an automated monthly gift of: \$ _____ on my credit card.

Send to: Ontario Credit Union Charitable Foundation
c/o 1100 South Service Road, Suite 220, Stoney Creek, ON L8E 0C5 * Fax 905-592-9844
(tony@ontariocucf.ca / devon@ontariocucf.ca)

Questions? Call us at 289-335-1152/ www.ontariocucf.ca

THE PURPOSE OF THE ONTARIO CREDIT UNION CHARITABLE FOUNDATION (OCUCF)

Our Foundation was organized in 1979 by a group of dedicated credit union leaders, a number of which were directors of the Credit Union Central of Ontario. These individuals, who made up the Board of the Foundation, were interested in sharing our collective resources with people from developing countries through the development of co-ops and credit unions and to support the activities of community charities and organizations in partnership with Ontario's credit unions.

What better way to leverage your own personal and corporate charitable donations than to help fund your own credit union Foundation. Over the last few years the OCUCF has donated hundreds of thousands of dollars to local credit union supported charities, some of which would be in your community.

FOUNDATION BENEFITS:

What are the Benefits of Supporting the Foundation through membership and donations?

- The vast majority of donations we raise go directly to credit union charities (two-thirds for Ontario charities and one-third for developing countries in partnership with the Co operative Development Foundation)
- Credit Unions can often **double their support** for charities in their community through our **matching program**.
- We have donor directed **Capital Fund** accounts that grow your donations for the disbursement of annual student bursaries or other donor directed purposes.
- We offer **Community Investment Funds** which are off balance sheet holding accounts for credit unions wishing to allocate their annual charitable budget and direct the Foundation to donate to charitable organizations in their name.
- Our **administration and fundraising costs** are less than the majority of Canadian charities.
- We financially support credit unions who annually register students in the **Co operative Young Leaders (CYL)** program through a matching program of 30 or more students each year. Interested in supporting the Ontario Credit Union Charitable Foundation? Call our Executive Director, Tony Niessen at 289-335-1152 (tony@ontariocucf.ca) or the Foundation Administrator, Devon Rowan at devon@ontariocucf.ca . While you're at it, take a look at our web site (www.ontariocucf.ca) as it will give you a complete accounting of how we can work together to support healthcare, poverty and educational related charities as "*Your Giving Partner*".