

Mandate of the Foundation

The mission of The Sheldon Chumir Foundation for Ethics in Leadership is to promote action which exemplifies ethical principle. To fulfill this mandate the Foundation develops and implements specific programs and projects, sometimes on its own but often in partnership with other organizations. In addition, the Sheldon Chumir Foundation provides limited funding to other organizations, normally in the context of partnerships where the mutual objective is devoted to ethics in leadership and where we work together with the requesting organization to achieve those objectives. The Foundation is interested in innovative projects in the field of **ethics in leadership** and preferably projects which have the potential to be extended and replicated for the benefit of broader communities.

Collaboration is encouraged

If you or your organization is interested in working on issues connected with **ethics in leadership**, please get in touch with us. You will find our coordinates below or at "Contact us". Please have a look at some of our recent projects and events to gain a sense of our priority areas.

Funding parameters

As noted above, the Foundation provides only limited funding to other organizations. It is important to note that the Foundation does not normally provide funding for:

- operational or core expenses
- office equipment, furnishings, or infrastructure
- retroactive funding, debt payments
- endowment campaigns or capital projects, or
- conferences

To be eligible to apply for support from The Sheldon Chumir Foundation, an applicant must be a Canadian Registered Charity with a Charitable Business Number/Registration Number. All applicants must demonstrate that their proposed initiatives will substantially deal with issues of ethics in leadership: only projects in the field of **ethics in leadership** will be considered for funding.

Letter of inquiry

There is no application form and the Foundation does not encourage full proposals, as we prefer to engage with potential partners in substantive planning. We do invite brief letters outlining the activity you would like to pursue with us. Letters of inquiry may be submitted at any time to <info [at] chumir.ca>, or sent by regular mail to:

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