

**American Society of Civil Engineers
Michigan Section
Southwestern Branch**

Engineering Scholarships For

**Civil and Construction Engineering
Western Michigan University**



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Scholarship Application

The Southwestern Branch of the Michigan Section of ASCE intends to award scholarships to civil and construction engineering students at WMU. Up to two, one-time scholarships may be awarded each year, with a combined award total of up to \$1,500. The scholarships are one-time, and are not automatically renewed. The scholarship award is paid directly to the student's account at the WMU Registrar.

Eligibility and Requirements

All applicants must:

- Be enrolled as a full-time student in good standing at Western Michigan University in the Department of Civil and Construction Engineering.
- Have a cumulative grade-point average of at least 2.5 at the time of application.
- Submit a current ASCE Scholarship Application (photocopies are accepted), and attach a minimum of one (1) Letter of Recommendation and an official college transcript.

Selection Process

Initial judging will be made on the basis of each candidate's academic record, participation in extra-curricular activities, evidence of leadership, character, and self-reliance, comments from employers and university officials, and financial need. Preference may be given to applicants that are student members of ASCE and that are active in the student chapter of ASCE. Semi-finalists may be contacted for an interview.

The scholarship committee reserves the right to use discretion in the award of the available scholarships, and all decisions of the scholarship committee are final.

Deadlines

Completed applications must be submitted to the Western Michigan University ASCE Student Chapter Faculty Advisor (Dr. Osama Abudayyeh) by 4:00 p.m. on December 22, 2016. Awards will be announced in January of 2017 and presented at the E-Week Dinner in February of 2017.

How to Apply

Submit the completed application (with required attachments) to the Western Michigan University ASCE Student Chapter Faculty Advisor (Dr. Osama Abudayyeh).

For More Information, Contact:

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Applicant Information (Home Address):

Name _____

Street
Address _____

City, State,
ZIP _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Are you a student member of ASCE? (circle one) Yes _____ No _____

Board member? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, what position(s) held. _____

University/College _____

Post-secondary schooling _____

Year/status in school _____ Anticipated Graduation Date _____

University (Temporary) Address:

Street
Address _____

City, State,
ZIP _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Transcript attached: (required) Yes _____ No _____

Cumulative G.P.A. at completion
of sophomore year: _____

Statement of Financial Need

Name of Parent or
Guardian _____

Street
Address _____

City, State, ZIP

Phone _____

Email _____

Total annual costs for tuition, books, fees, room & board: \$ _____

Describe in detail where the funds come from to pay for college, including:

- Financial support provided by applicant \$ _____
- Loans \$ _____
- Grants \$ _____
- Scholarships \$ _____
- Family Support \$ _____
- Other Sources (describe) \$ _____

Describe paid employment while attending college, including school year, weekly hours, duration of employment:
Describe summer activities, and summer employment including school year, weekly hours, duration of employment:
Describe organized volunteer and community service projects, and results of volunteer activities:

Authorization

I hereby authorize officials of my university to provide information concerning my academic records to ASCE. I hereby grant permission to ASCE to release information contained herein to other potential sources of scholarship assistance for engineering studies. I certify that all statements contained herein are true.

Applicant's Signature _____

Date _____

Statement of Accuracy:

I hereby certify that the financial information provided in support of the applicant's statement of financial need is true and accurate and complete.

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____

Date: _____

Required Attachments to the Application:

- At least one (1) letter of reference from professors, ASCE Student Advisors, employers, etc.
- An official college transcript.