

ACEC OF MICHIGAN EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



The American Council of Engineering Companies (ACEC) of Michigan is the voice of Michigan's engineering industry. Council members – numbering 100 firms representing more than 6,500 employees throughout Michigan – are engaged in a wide range of engineering works that propel the State's economy and enhance and safeguard Michigan's quality of life. ACEC member firms employ engineers, architects, land surveyors, scientists, and other specialists responsible for millions of dollars of private and public works annually. Member firms range in size from a single registered professional engineer to corporations employing thousands of professionals. The Council's mission is to contribute to America's prosperity and welfare by advancing the business interests of member firms.

ACEC/Michigan annually awards 4 - 6 scholarships totaling \$15,000 - \$20,000. Visit the ACEC/M website to see last year's winners.

EDUCATION GRANT SELECTION CRITERIA

To qualify for consideration for an Education Grant, an applicant must:

1. Be a full or part-time student (sophomore, junior, senior or graduate student status) pursuing an engineering or surveying degree and enrolled in an ABET accredited engineering or surveying program; and
2. Have, in the past 24 months, worked for a consulting engineering, surveying, or architectural/ engineering firm.

Criteria used in selecting grant recipients are:

- GPA
- School & work references
- Work experience
- Extra-curricular & community activities
- Quality of written essay

Applicants are eligible to win an Education Grant twice.

Applications may be mailed to:

ACEC of Michigan
Attn. Kathy VanZee
530 W. Ionia St., Ste. D
Lansing, MI 48933

Or submitted electronically to:
kvanzee@acecmi.org

Phone ACEC/Michigan at 517-332-2066 with questions.

SCHOLARSHIP ENTRY DEADLINE: FRIDAY, JANUARY 6, 2023



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name

Home Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

E-Mail

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Age

Citizenship

Place of Birth

Parent or Guardian

Parent/Guardian Address

City

State

Zip

Parent/Guardian Phone

EDUCATION BACKGROUND

High School

Location

Date of High School Graduation

Previous College/University

Location

Dates Attended

Degree(s) Awarded



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EDUCATION BACKGROUND (CONTINUED)

Current College/University

Location

Degree Expected (Major/Minor)

Expected Graduation Date

Status (Fall 2022)

☐ Sophomore

☐ Junior

☐ Senior

☐ Grad.

Overall GPA

Department GPA

CONSULTING ENGINEERING WORK EXPERIENCE

Employer

Supervisor

Location

Dates

Type of Business

Year in School

Duties Include

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

Employer

Supervisor

Location

Dates

Type of Business

Year in School

Duties Include



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OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

Employer	Supervisor
Location	Dates
Type of Business	Year in School
Duties Include	

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Please provide a detailed list of participation in student organizations, athletic activities, committees, etc. in the space provided below (use additional sheets if necessary).

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Please provide a detailed list of participation in community activities in the space provided below (use additional sheets if necessary).



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REFERENCES

A *minimum of two* reference letters must accompany each scholarship application. One reference should be a faculty member and the other should be a supervisor at the consulting engineering firm where you work(ed). Additional references will be accepted.

Each reference letter should be on official letterhead and must contain:

Applicant's Name
Company, College, University, etc.
Department
Reference's Address
Reference's Phone
Original Signature of Reference

Each reference letter should be mailed to:

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Lansing, MI 48933

Or the letter may be emailed by the reference to: kvanzee@acecmi.org

ESSAY

On a separate sheet of paper, write a short essay (limited to 500 words) on the following topic:

Describe how consulting engineering firms provide value to their clients and long-term benefits to their communities.

Your interest, understanding and commitment to the business and management of the profession are important and should be reflected in the essay.

PERMISSION TO RELEASE INFORMATION

By signing this application, I authorize ACEC/Michigan to release any and all information on this form to any ACEC/Michigan member firm.

Applicant's Signature _____

Date ____/____/____

Please complete application checklist before submittal:

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|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Completed Official Application Form | <input type="checkbox"/> Essay |
| <input type="checkbox"/> University Reference Letter | <input type="checkbox"/> Official Transcript |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Company Reference Letter | <input type="checkbox"/> Signed Release |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Additional Reference Letter(s) <i>Optional</i> | |