

Michigan Tech Rail Transportation Program Railroad Scholarships

Michigan Tech Rail Transportation Program Alumni and Friends Scholarships, plus the new Albert J. Reinschmidt Memorial Scholarship:

- RTP Alumni and Friends Scholarships Each year RTP awards scholarships to several students at Michigan Tech with a demonstrated interest in the railroad industry. The number and value depend on available funds. The applications include a short essay on how the rail industry fits into the student's career plans, a description of how the student has been involved in the RTP and REAC, and a transcript demonstrating the student is in good standing. This year's application is a Google Form, which you can access <u>HERE</u>.
- This year we have also added the Albert J. Reinschmidt Memorial Scholarship, using the same application form. The scholarship provides \$2500 to a student with a demonstrated interest in the railroad industry.
- The deadline for Alumni and friends applications is Jan 10, 2024.

AREMA Scholarships – The American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way Association awards scholarships each year, with an application similar to the one we use for the Alumni and Friends scholarship, you can find it <u>HERE</u>. Our students have often done well in this competition. AREMA applications are due by Dec 29th. Other Industry Scholarships – There are a number of other industry scholarships available. RTP staff provide support and suggestions to students applying for these opportunities.

The rail industry has opportunities across the spectrum of disciplines, including computers, electrical and mechanical systems, and civil infrastructure. Construction and business are also areas that feature prominently.



