Scholarship Memo # 2 Thursday, September 12, 2024

KY Transportation Cabinet: Civil Engineering Scholarship

Deadline: February 01, 2025

KYTC awards 10-20 scholarships to new students each year who are either attending or planning to attend the University of Kentucky (UK), Western Kentucky University (WKU), or University of Louisville J. B. Speed School of Engineering (UofL) to obtain a Bachelors of Science in Civil Engineering (BSCE).

Scholarship Qualifications

All scholarship recipients must be graduates of an accredited Kentucky high school, or high school graduates who are residents of Kentucky, and must meet the admission requirements of the university and its respective engineering department. It is anticipated that successful applicants for scholarships will have qualifications considerably higher than the minimum required for acceptance into the Department of Engineering.

Method of Selection

Selections will be made on a statewide competitive basis according to the following criteria:

- Scholastic standing
- " Recommendations
- " Input from the universities, KYTC staff and management
- " ACT score

Note: A minimum composite ACT score of 24 is required.

The scholarship application packet is available in the guidance office and online. It must be returned by February 1 by email (kytc.scholarships@ky.gov) or mail to the following address:

Kentucky Transportation Cabinet 200 Mero Street, 6th Floor East Frankfort KY 40622

Online application can be found at: https://transportation.ky.gov/Education/Pages/

For more information contact 502-782-4970.

Fidelity Scholar Program

Deadline: January 30, 2025

This is a need-based scholarship. Bachelor's degree recipients may be funded for up-to four years of study. The amount of financial support provided will depend on the cost of attendance determined by the in-state college or university in which you are enrolling. This is a last-dollar approach. That means your scholarship funds will only be applied after your family contribution and all other financial aid sources have been granted, greatly reducing the need for you to take out loans and incur educational debt related to the cost of attendance.

Eligibility

This program is open to under-resourced and underrepresented students who are permanent residents of Kentucky that meet the following criteria:

- 2.5 3.5 unweighted GPA or GED
- Pell eligible and/or demonstrate financial need
- Attend an in-state college or university

To Get Started:

- 1. Register an account at UNCF opportunities.uncf.org
- 2. Visit <u>UNCF.org/FidelityScholars</u> to learn more about the program
- 3. Mark your calendar for the application opening on October 1