

ANNOUNCING THE ANNUAL

Dr. R. JOHN CRAIG
MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
for
Full-time undergraduate study
During the 2024-2025 academic year

offered by the

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS
NEW JERSEY SECTION

For advancing the interest of
the civil engineering profession

**Amount of scholarship:
Minimum of \$2,500.00**

**Applications shall be emailed to:
ASCE NJ Section Scholarship Committee
scholarships@ascenewjerseysection.org**

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A scholarship is available for award to student members of ASCE who are members of the ASCE student chapter at the New Jersey Institute of Technology. The Board of Directors of the ASCE New Jersey Section established this scholarship in 1988. The first award was granted for the academic year 1989-90.

I. ELIGIBILITY:

- a) Any third-year full time undergraduate junior student of a four-year BSCE program at NJIT, enrolled for 12 credits or more per semester, who is a member in good standing of the ASCE NJIT student chapter and *who will receive their baccalaureate degree within the calendar year following the date of application*, may apply for this scholarship without restriction as to academic class standing or marital status, subject to the requirement that the applicant must be an ASCE NJIT student chapter member in good standing at the time of application and award.
- b) The scholarship shall be awarded only to a student who will utilize the funds to continue with undergraduate education in civil engineering at NJIT.

II. APPLICATION:

Applications in the prescribed form are to be submitted to the NJIT student chapter faculty advisor, and shall be forwarded to: ASCE NJ Section Scholarship Committee at scholarships@ascenewjerseysection.org no later than March 31, 2024. Additional applications and information are available from the faculty advisor of the NJIT student chapter. The following information must be provided in the application:

- a) Proof of ASCE NJIT student chapter membership;
- b) A statement by the applicant of reasons believed to justify an award to him or her;

- c) The applicant's plans for continuing his/her/their formal education and a statement outlining how the applicant will finance remaining education if an award is granted;
- d) Records of academic performance and standing (at a minimum, a copy of the applicant's transcript – may be an unofficial copy);
- e) Statements of appraisal of the applicant in terms of potential growth, character, leadership capacity and interest (to be written by the NJIT student chapter faculty advisor and two other members of the NJIT civil engineering faculty).

III. SELECTION:

- a) One applicant may be selected each year to receive the award.
- b) Selection will be made by the ASCE NJ Section Scholarship Committee of the ASCE New Jersey Section.
- c) Selection will be based upon appraisal of the applicant's justification of award, education plan, academic performance and standing, potential for development, leadership capacity, financial need, extra-curricular activities, and participation in activities related to the civil engineering profession.

IV. AWARDS:

- a) The successful applicant will be notified of his or her selection by the ASCE New Jersey Section on or about April 21st following submittal of the application.
- b) The scholarship amount to be awarded for this academic year will be a minimum of \$2,500.00.
- c) The scholarship award winner will be invited to the annual awards dinner of the ASCE New Jersey Section, typically held the first or second Thursday evening in May for recognition of the award.
- d) The award shall be deposited to the awardee's account with the business office of NJIT before the end of the fall semester of the awardee's senior year. The award shall be utilized only for education, books, fees, etc. which expenses are directly associated with the awardee's education in civil engineering.