

**ASCE HOUSTON BRANCH
2008/2009 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**



The American Society of Civil Engineers Houston Branch Scholarship is funded solely from the ASCE Houston Branch Student Fund and is awarded annually to one or more outstanding students enrolled in a Civil Engineering Degree plan at one of the three core colleges.

The scholarship(s) will be awarded on the basis of overall merit, in recognition of personal student achievements, and with regard to financial need. The number and value of each scholarship will be determined upon receipt of the scholarship applications. Past awards have ranged from \$500 to \$1500, and this year's awards will be \$2000 to \$4000. The scholarship will be awarded in May 2008, at the ASCE Houston Branch Meeting.

Who is Eligible?

The candidate must meet all of the following qualifications to be considered:

1. At the time of application, the candidate must be from one of the following categories:
 - College Sophomore
 - College Junior, or
 - Non-Graduating College Senior
2. The candidate must be a full time student in the 2007-2008 academic year.
3. The candidate must sign a statement that they will be enrolled for a minimum of one semester during the 2008-2009 academic year, and indicate their expected graduation date.
4. The candidate must be a current member in good standing of the ASCE student chapter.
5. The student must be enrolled in one or more of the following ASCE Houston Branch core colleges: Prairie View A&M University, Rice University, and University of Houston.
6. The recipient(s) must return to the ASCE Houston Branch Board in the Fall Semester and tell what the money was used for.

How do you apply?

1. In order to be eligible for consideration, the application must be postmarked no later than **5:00 pm on April 18, 2008.**
2. In addition to the attached application form, the candidate should submit the following:
 - a. Most recent university transcript
 - b. One letter of recommendation written by a current or past civil engineering professor from your current university.
3. **Mail or Email** application package to:
Paul M. Baxter, P.E.
CivilTech Engineering, Inc.
11821 Telge Road
Cypress, Texas 77429
pmbaxter@civiltecheng.com

If you have any questions or are in need of additional information, please feel free to contact Paul M. Baxter, P.E. at (281)304-0200.

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FULL NAME
ADDRESS
E-MAIL ADDRESS
TELEPHONE NUMBER
UNIVERSITY
EXPECTED DATE OF GRADUATION

Academic Performance

Overall G.P.A.: _____

Major G.P.A.: _____

Financial Need

The 2008-2009 school year is expected to be paid for by the following (please check all that apply):

- Parent Support
 - Fully
 - Approximately half
 - Less than half
- Scholarship – Please list all known 2008-2009 scholarships and their dollar amounts on the back of this sheet.
- Work Study (on campus)
- Summer Job
- Self (other than above, please describe on the back of this sheet)
- Other (please describe on the back of this sheet)

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Enrollment Statement

I, _____, hereby state that I expect to be enrolled at
_____ for a minimum of one semester during the
2008-2009 academic year.

SIGNED: _____ DATE: _____

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Questions (Please limit your response to the space provided)

1. What do you consider the greatest Civil Engineering achievement of all time? Why?

2. What led you to pursue a career in Civil Engineering?

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Questions (Cont'd):

3. Explain any challenges that you have had to overcome to pursue your Civil Engineering career.

4. Which extracurricular activities do you participate in and why did you get involved in these activities? Tell us about your involvement.

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Questions (Cont'd):

5. How critical is professional licensure in the Civil Engineering field? Why?