

November 20, 2024



The Austin Branch of the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) is proud to announce the availability of three (3) scholarships in amounts of \$2,500, \$1,500 and \$1,000. The Austin Branch encourages all interested students who meet the following criteria to apply:

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1. Eligibility

Applicants must fulfill the following criteria to be considered for a scholarship:

- University of Texas at Austin or Texas State University student registered for the Spring 2025 semester.
- Undergraduate enrolled in the Department of Civil Engineering currently classified as a sophomore, junior, or senior.
- Membership in the ASCE Student Chapter at the University of Texas at Austin or Texas State University. Active participation is encouraged.

2. Evaluation Criteria

Merit of the applicant will be evaluated using the following selection criteria:

- Official Grade Report / GPA
For UT students, obtain a free copy of your unofficial Grade Report here:
<https://utdirect.utexas.edu/apps/student/gradereport/student/>
For TXST students, obtain an unofficial copy through the self-service portal
- ASCE Participation
- Other Extracurricular Activities
- Financial Need
- Quality of theme submission (see Section 5 for more details)

3. Scholarship Application Checklist

Applicants will be responsible for providing the following:

- Completed and signed five (5) page application form.
- Digital copy of Grade Report
- Digital theme submission: Original two-dimensional artwork with accompanying one paragraph caption, photo(s) with accompanying one paragraph caption, 2-5 minute video, or a written statement (up to one page, 12 pt font) on the theme of "The importance of Civil Engineering in today's society, the role of ASCE, and what difference you wish to make as a Civil Engineer."

4. Submission Information and Deadlines

Applications must be received by 11:59 PM on Friday, March 7, 2025.

Using your First and Last Name:

- Save completed digital application as: Lastname_Firstname_ASCE_Application
- Save completed digital theme submission as: Lastname_Firstname_ASCE_Theme
- Save digital Official Grade Report as: Lastname_Firstname_ASCE_Grades
- Send one email with the subject line "2025 Spring Scholarship Application" and these three digital attachments to: scholarships@austinasce.org

5. Other Information

Recipients will be notified of their selection by March 28, 2025 and are invited to attend the Austin ASCE Branch Luncheon on April 15, 2025 to be recognized.

Please direct questions to:

ASCE Austin Branch Scholarship Committee: scholarships@austinasce.org

APPLICATION FORM
AUSTIN ASCE 2025 SPRING SCHOLARSHIPS

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name:

(Last, First MI)

DOB:

(MM/DD/YYYY)

Mailing Address:

(Street, Apt. #)

(City, State, Zip Code)

Permanent Address:

(Street, Apt. #)

(City, State, Zip Code)

Phone Number:

E-Mail Address:

ASCE Member ID:

Student enrollment is free at www.asce.org/join/

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SECTION 1: SCHOLASTIC INFORMATION

University: _____

GPA: _____ **Major GPA:** _____

Classification: Sophomore Junior Senior

Major: _____

Primary Area of Interest: _____

Expected Graduation Date: _____

Number of hours and courses you are currently registered to complete in the Spring 2025 Semester. *Please spell out each course name.*

Additional Information. *Include any personal, academic, and/or professional achievements or any additional information that you would like for us to know about you.*

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SECTION 2: ASCE PARTICIPATION

Participation in ASCE Student Chapter. *Include duration of membership, outreach and social participation, and any leadership roles or special positions held.*

SECTION 3: OTHER EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Activities, Community Service, and Leadership Positions. *Please list in reverse-chronological order any activities, volunteer, or community service work outside of ASCE. Include leadership roles or officer positions held.*

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SECTION 4: FINANCIAL NEED

Is your family financially supporting your tuition, room, or board? Yes No

Do you have any student loans? Yes No

Hours Worked During School Year. *If applicable, please provide a brief description of your employment during the school year, including the average hours per week worked.*

Financial Need Statement. *Please discuss your financial needs.*

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SECTION 5: THEME SUBMITTAL

Provide an original submittal in any of the formats listed below addressing the theme of “The importance of Civil Engineering in today’s society, the role of ASCE, and what difference you wish to make as a Civil Engineer.”

- *Two-dimensional artwork with accompanying one paragraph caption (submitted as a PDF)*
- *Photos/collage with accompanying one paragraph caption (submitted as a PDF)*
- *2 to 5 minute video **or***
- *Written statement (up to one (1) page in length, 12 pt. font, submitted as a PDF)*

Please take this as an opportunity to share any additional information that you would like for us to know about you.

Themed submissions will be evaluated (in order of decreasing importance) on completeness (were all parts of the prompt answered?), clarity, and overall creativity.

By submitting artwork or photo(s) with accompanying captions, video, or written statement to the Austin Branch of ASCE you are granting the Austin Branch permission to use these materials.

SECTION 6: SIGNATURE & SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Please read the statement below and sign to indicate your agreement.

I certify that the information provided in this application is truthful and accurate. I agree to the release of the information included in this application and a copy of my official grade report to the members of the Austin Branch of ASCE directly involved in the selection of scholarship recipients.

Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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