



The Akron-Canton Chapter
and
The Cleveland Chapter
of the
Construction Specification Institute (CSI)
2017 Scholarship Application

The Akron-Canton and the Cleveland Chapters of the Construction Specification Institute (CSI) are offering three (3) one-year \$1040.00 scholarships (two \$1040 grants by Akron-Canton and one \$1040 grant by the Cleveland Chapter. The additional \$40 is to cover the cost of joining CSI national and the local chapter) for a college student who is presently (2017) enrolled in an accredited college or university serving the construction industry in the northeast Ohio area, and desires to pursue a career in the construction industry. This scholarship will be for the 2017-2018 school year.

Scholarship recipients are required to become student CSI members, both national and local chapters and must attend at least three Akron-Canton or Cleveland CSI meeting during the school year for which the scholarship is awarded. The scholarship payment check will be a two party check made payable to both the recipient and to the school in which the recipient is enrolled. A thank you note to the scholarship committee will be required before the funds will be transferred.

At the option of the scholarship committee, the applicant will be interviewed.

All applicants will be notified by email as to the status of the scholarship.

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- Student must be willing to become a student CSI member and join the awarding chapter.
- The applicant must have a minimum accumulative grade point average of 3.0 in a 4 point system.
- The applicant must have a 1st year standing in a two year program; 2nd or 3rd year standing in a four year program; 2nd, 3rd, or 4th, year standing in a five year program.
- The applicant must be majoring in an accredited course of study pertaining to the construction industry in one or more of the following categories: Engineering, Architecture, Landscape Architecture, Interior Design, Construction Engineering, Construction management, Construction Technology, or Building Systems Design.
- Applicant must submit an original essay, between 500 – 1000 words, on the topic “Why do you want to pursue a career in the construction Industry and how do you feel you can contribute to the construction industry after you graduate?” Essay must be typed and doubled spaced.

- Mail the completed application, **postmarked by April 1, 2017,** to:

The Akron-Canton Chapter
Construction Specification Institute
Attn: Scholarship Chair
2841 Riviera Dr. Suite 120
Fairlawn, OH 44333

If you have any questions, contact the Scholarship Chair, Tom Pekoc at 216.297.9940 or e-mail to tpekoc@dss-mi.com

