Peninsula Chapter
2024 SCHOLARSHIP QUALIFICATIONS $2,500 (min.)

To be eligible, you must:

1. Be a resident of San Mateo County.
2. Be enrolled at a community college or accredited university such as Cañada College, Skyline College, College of San Mateo, Evergreen Valley College, etc), a California State University (i.e., CSU East Bay, CSU Sacramento, etc.) or University of California System (i.e., UC Davis, UC San Diego, etc.). Other universities will be considered on case by case basis.
3. Indicate an interest in engineering or land surveying based on courses taken in the fields of Engineering or Land Surveying. Preference given toward students with a declared major in engineering, land surveying, and other directly related fields.
4. Have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher (4.0 basis) through Fall 2023.

Students interested in this scholarship should send an email to Ryan Bernal (ryan.bernal@kimley-horn.com) with a personal note letter (in PDF format, see contents requirements below) as an attachment. The email should be titled “ACEC Peninsula Chapter Scholarship 2024” and must be sent no later than 11:59pm on April 30, 2024. No applications will be accepted received after the time stamp noted above.

The personal note letter should be a short narrative (not more than two pages long) with descriptions of the following topics:

A. Describe your reason of your choice on the major and your career goals that may include future education and employment goals.
B. Describe your work experience, including companies worked for and duties performed. Previous Engineering/Surveying experience is helpful, but not required.
C. Describe your school activities, extra-curricular activities, hobbies, or special interests.
D. Describe your financial need and how you would use this scholarship. Please indicate if you are interested in summer or part-time employment to supplement the scholarship.

In addition to the personal note letter mentioned above, applicant must also provide the following:

- Filled out “2024 Scholarship Application” in PDF format (see next page).
- An electronically official transcript including your Fall 2023 final grades. The electronical official transcript must be sent directly from the School’s Registrar’s office to ryan.bernal@kimley-horn.com. Alternatively, an original “Sealed” official transcript (hardcopy) is also acceptable. Please send the “Seal” official transcript to Ryan Bernal, ACEC Peninsula Chapter Scholarship 2024, Kimley-Horn, 2121 S El Camino Real, Suite #550, San Mateo, CA 94403.

SPONSOR AND AWARD

The Scholarship is sponsored by the Peninsula Chapter of the American Council of Engineering Companies (ACEC) of California. All applicants will receive a written response (by email) sent no later than May 31, 2024. The scholarship recipient(s) will be invited to our June 2024 Chapter’s monthly meeting to present himself/herself to the organization and receive the scholarship. The number of scholarships will vary depending upon the number of responses. The minimum award will be $2,500.
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2024 Scholarship Application

Last: ____________________________ First: ____________________________ MI: ______

E-mail: ____________________________

Date: ____________________________

Phone Number: ____________________

Address:
Street and Number: __________________________________________________________

City: ____________________________ State: ________ Zip Code: __________________

Employment:
Currently Paid Employed: ______ Yes ______ No

If yes: ______ Internship ______ Part Time ______ Full Time

Hours Working Weekly (or Average): ____________

Education
Current School(s):
________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________

Future Education:
(i.e., School that you would like to transfer to, would like to attend, in what major, Bachelor/Master/PhD, etc.)
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