

## SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER AMERICAN CONCRETE INSTITUTE

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Subject: Southern California Chapter, American Concrete Institute Student Scholarship

The Southern California Chapter of the American Concrete Institute (ACI) has approved a cash award of \$2000 to be granted to up to three local university civil engineering students in 2015. The award will be presented to individuals pursuing a degree in civil or structural engineering, construction management or architecture. The candidates must be U.S. citizens in their junior, senior, or graduate years, which have displayed enthusiastic promise in their engineering studies. Please submit the application package for each individual no later than May 8, 2015 in the following format:

- Completed standard application form (enclosed)
- Unofficial Transcripts
- Resume of academic achievements, campus engineering activities, professional activities, and employment record (if applicable.)
- A letter of recommendation from a university professor, academic advisor, or employer (if working in the concrete industry.)
- A 500-word essay (typed, double-spaced) on the subject indicated on the application form.

The criteria for selection will be:

- Academic achievement and professional activities
- Work experience
- A 500-word essay
- Interviews (conducted at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee)
- Minimum 3.0 GPA based on a 4.0 system

Once awarded, the scholarship shall consist of \$2000 per student selected to be disbursed over a three semester/quarter period in the following fashion: 1<sup>st</sup> semester/quarter \$1000, 2<sup>nd</sup> semester/quarter \$500, 3<sup>rd</sup> semester/quarter \$500.

To maintain the scholarship beyond the initial award, the student must submit proof of maintenance of a minimum GPA of 3.0 based on a 4.0 system, is enrolled as a student in the upcoming semester/quarter, be a member of ACI at the national level (free to students on the ACI web site), and show active participation in an ACI chapter. The student will also have to show that he/she is still pursuing a career in the concrete industry.

An award certificate and 1<sup>st</sup> installment will be presented at the annual ACI Golf Tournament dinner on Thursday evening, May 21, 2015. The ACI Chapter will pay for the student recipient and two additional dinner guests.

Enclosed is a copy of the ACI Award Application. Please provide a copy to each applicant. If you have any questions, or require further information, please feel free to contact me at 877/562-2241, or on my e-mail at <u>aciscc@cox.net</u>.

Respectfully,

*Heather Caya* ACI Scholarship Committee

## American Concrete Institute – Southern California Chapter 2015 Student Scholarship

## A \$2,000 scholarship to be awarded to up to three qualifying Civil Engineering, Structural Engineering, Construction Management, or Architecture students. Candidates must be Junior, Senior or Graduate Students, and comply with all rules and regulations.

Instructions: Type your application using standard spelling, punctuation, and grammar. <u>An incomplete application</u> may disqualify you from being considered for this scholarship. Mail, email, or deliver your application to the address listed below:

Name:	 
E-mail	 
Former or Maiden Name:	 
Address:	 
Local Telephone Number:	 
Major:	
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Class Level for Spring Semester/Quarter, 2015 (Please Circle One): Junior Senior Graduate

Please include the following with this application:

- Resume indicating academic achievements, professional activities, and work experience.
- Letter of recommendation.
- College academic transcripts.
- A 500-word essay (typed, double-spaced) detailing why you wish to pursue a career in the concrete industry.

Applicant's Signature:

College/University:

Date:

Applications should be e-mailed or mailed (no faxes will be accepted) to:

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Applications & Materials Deadline: May 8, 2015