

Approved by ECKC Board of Directors on 2/20/13 (by e-mail)

Guidelines for ECKC Scholarship applicants:

1. Must be enrolled one of the following institutions:
 - a. An ABET accredited 4-year program or be accepted to a 4-year ABET accredited program in the engineering field.
 - b. Johnson County Community College (Kansas City Area): Must be enrolled or be accepted in the “Bachelors Degree in Engineering” program and must provide documentation of courses that are being taking that will transfer to an ABET accredited program (Johnson County Community College has this information available).
 - c. Metropolitan Community College (Kansas City Area): Must be enrolled or be accepted in the “Engineering Associates Degree” program and must provide documentation of courses that are being taking that will transfer to an ABET accredited program (Metropolitan Community College has this information available).

If enrollment cannot be verified at time of application. Applicant must provide proof of enrollment before the scholarship will be distributed.

2. Applicants must be from the Kansas City metropolitan area (i.e. permanent resident when not in school), as defined by the 7-county region of Wyandotte, Johnson, and Miami Counties in Kansas, and by Platte, Jackson Clay, and Cass Counties in Missouri.
3. Scholarship Limitations:
 - a. Scholarship is for a Bachelor’s Degree only (no Master’s degrees). Students wishing to receive scholarships for a Master’s degree will not be considered unless the degree they are pursuing is a 5-year undergraduate plus master’s program.
 - b. The maximum number of years that any one student may receive a scholarship will be 5 years.
 - c. The maximum number of years that any one student may receive a scholarship while attending one of the above referenced Community Colleges will be 2 years and will be limited to only those who are enrolled as a freshman or sophomore.
4. Any applications postmarked or received electronically after the posted deadline will not be accepted. No exceptions.
5. Seniors that are graduating at semester (December graduates), will receive half of the amount that would normally be given to a 2 semester applicant.
6. Award amounts will be generally in the range on \$500 to \$2,500 based on availability of funds and discretion of the ECKC Board of Directors. Upper classmen will normally receive a larger amount.
7. All scholarship award winners must complete a W-9 (Request For Taxpayer Identification Number (Typically your Social Security Number) And Certification) prior to receiving the scholarship (necessary each year a scholarship is awarded).
8. Due to the limitations of the funds and the number of applicants, the ECKC Board reserves the right to award any/all scholarships based on the information that is supplied on the application. Candidates are strongly encouraged to complete all portions of the application.
9. Engineering program ABET accreditation will be determined by using the ABET website search tool:
<http://main.abet.org/aps/Accreditedprogramsearch.aspx>