

November 13, 2017

Greetings,

As the Scholarship Chair for the American Council of Engineering Companies, Orange County Chapter (ACEC OC), I would like to invite qualified Engineering and Surveying students to apply for one of our scholarships. This year we are offering up to five scholarships for a total of up to \$15,000 in scholarship awards. Our application deadline is such that this year's scholarship winners will have their ACEC OC winning applications forwarded to the State Scholarship Committee for consideration. We will include a letter of recommendation from ACEC OC in support of this year's winners. This year, the ACEC State Scholarship will award scholarships totaling up to \$40,000. ACEC State Scholarship winners are automatically entered into the ACEC National Scholarship, which last year distributed \$35,500 amongst seven winners. As you can see, any student filling out this one application may be eligible for multiple scholarship awards.

The ACEC OC scholarships are available to students who in the fall of 2017 entered their junior year or above, including a master's program, and

- Is attending an ABET accredited engineering or surveying program at a college or university located in Orange County, California, or,
- Is a resident of Orange County and attends an ABET accredited engineering or surveying program at a college or university anywhere in California.

The requirements of this ACEC OC scholarship application are similar to those required by ACEC State. Therefore, the effort the student applies in filling out this application may be used in applying for the ACEC State Scholarship. Details about the ACEC State Scholarship and the application can be downloaded at <a href="http://www.acec-ca.org/?page=Scholarship">http://www.acec-ca.org/?page=Scholarship</a>.

Thank you for your consideration of this scholarship, and good luck.

Sincerely,

Christopher M. Diaz, PE, GE ACEC OC Scholarship Chair

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