

**2008 SAMUEL FLETCHER TAPMAN  
ASCE STUDENT CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP**

**Eligibility requirements:**

- 1) Any currently enrolled freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior who will be registered as an undergraduate in fall 2008, is a member of his/her local ASCE Student Chapter and is an ASCE Society Student Member may apply for this scholarship. Must be a member in good standing at the time of application and award. Membership applications may be submitted with scholarship application. Not more than one application may be submitted from the membership of any one Student Chapter.
- 2) The scholarships may be awarded only to those students who will employ them to continue their formal undergraduate education at a recognized educational institution.
- 3) Previous recipients of these scholarships are eligible to apply in any succeeding competition for these awards provided the other requirements of eligibility are satisfied.
- 4) Selection is based on the applicant's justification of award, educational plan, academic performance and standing, potential for development, leadership capacity, ASCE activities, and financial need.

**Applications must include:**

- Completed application form.
- Personal essay which shall be no more than 500 words and shall highlight why the applicant chose to become a civil engineer, specific ASCE Student Chapter involvement, any special financial needs, and long term goals and plans.
- Detailed annual budget. Document the extent of financial need by indicating expenses and income from all sources. Expenses shall include, but not be limited to: tuition, fees, books, living expenses (rent/mortgage, meals, utilities) and miscellaneous expenses (commuting costs, car payments, insurance, previous loan balances). Income shall include but not be limited to: salaries and wages from employment, grants and loans, all family support, and military stipend.
- Minimum of sealed two letters of recommendation; one must be from the Student Chapter Faculty Advisor, and the other must be from any other faculty member.
- One sealed official transcript with each application.
- One-page resumé. Include honors, activities, organizations, ASCE activities (including any offices held), and any work experience.

**Procedure:**

One **complete** application package containing one original of all items listed above must be **received** by ASCE Student Services by February 9, 2008. **All items must be collected by the applicant and sent to ASCE Student Services as one complete application package.** Application packages missing any of the above items will not be considered.

**Award:**

A total of 12 may be selected for award. Past awards have been approximately \$2,000 each. It is anticipated scholarship funds will be used for tuition expenses.

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**Deadline: Received by February 9, 2008**

**Submit Completed Application to:**  
**American Society of Civil Engineers**  
**1801 Alexander Bell Drive**  
**Reston, Virginia 20191-4400**  
**Attn: Student Services**



ALL APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS MUST BE FULFILLED. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED

