

WTS Transportation YOU High School Scholarship

WTS fosters the development of women and girls in the transportation field by encouraging bright new professionals and students to undertake careers in the area of transportation. One way it does this is by awarding the Transportation YOU High School Scholarship to girls pursuing high school studies in science, technology, engineering, and math.

Transportation YOU is a hands-on, interactive, mentoring program that offers young girls ages 13-18 an introduction to a wide variety of transportation careers. Through the Transportation YOU program and this scholarship, WTS chapters work to make a difference in the lives of young girls by offering opportunities and activities that will spark their interest in all modes of transportation and encourage them to take courses in math, science, and technology, which are the stepping stones to exciting careers that can change the face of the transportation industry.

The WTS Michigan Chapter will be awarding four (4) \$500 - Transportation YOU High School Scholarships. The minimum criteria for selection are:

- a. Applicant must be a high school senior.
- b. GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- c. Currently studying math, science, and technology.
- d. Considering a career in a transportation-related field at a Michigan College/University

Applications must be submitted as a typed word documents. Scholarships are competitive and based on the applicant's specific transportation goals, academic record, and transportation-related activities or job skills. Minority candidates are encouraged to apply. Please contact your local WTS chapter at the address listed below for specifics.

Please return the completed application to:

Lauren Warren
Parsons Brinckerhoff Michigan, Inc.
500 Griswold, STE 2900
Detroit, MI 48226

Applications must be returned to your local chapter no later than May 2, 2014.

Transportation YOU High School Scholarship Application

I. Personal Information

Name _____
Last First Middle

E-mail address _____

Primary Phone (____) _____

Current Address (Street, City, State, Zip):

Permanent Address (Street, City, State, Zip):

II. Educational Background

Current High School _____ City, State _____

Expected Date of Graduation _____

Area of Concentration _____

Grade Point Average _____

(Minimum GPA of 3.0 required. Attach official copy of report card to application.)

Anticipated College/University of Attendance: _____

(Attach copy of Acceptance Letter to application)

Professional or School Affiliations (List any school, professional or community activities you have participated in. Include offices held and awards received. Attach additional sheets, if necessary, as typed word documents.)

III. Recommendation: Letter of recommendation by a teacher, counselor, or principal must accompany your application.

IV. Personal Statement: A statement about your career goals after graduation and why you think that you should receive the scholarship award. Statement should not exceed 500 words or two pages. Please attach as a word document to application form.

Signature_____Date_____

Parent/Guardian
Signature_____Date_____