



2026 ACEC OF KANSAS ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The ACEC Research Institute's Scholarship program is now live for FY26! The platform currently has over 100 scholarships available in every state and D.C., totaling nearly \$1 Million in grants for the 2026-2027 academic year!

The scholarship platform, AwardSpring, will automatically match students with scholarships available to them based on their completed applicant profile and the sponsor's eligibility requirements. Please access the platform by visiting <https://acecinstitute.awardspring.com/>.

Available scholarships include: the NCEES Professional Licensure scholarship which awards \$5,000 to one qualified applicant in every state and DC; as well as several merit and need-based opportunities.

ACEC of Kansas will also consider applicants for smaller local scholarships. Applicants score more points when they are recommended by consulting engineering or land surveying firms.

The deadline to apply for Kansas scholarships is January 30, 2026.

The deadline to apply for ACEC Research Institute scholarships is March 13, 2026.

The ACEC Research Institute is the leading source of knowledge and thought leadership for creating a more sustainable, safe, secure, and technically advanced built environment. The Institute's mission is to deliver information and business strategies that guide and elevate the engineering industry through research, forecasts, trend analysis and academic scholarships.

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History of Past National Winners from Kansas

2010

Kevin Arpin
 Kansas State University
 2010 Scholar of the Year
 \$10,000

2011

Samantha Forbes
 University of Kansas
 Kennedy / Jenks Consultants
 Scholarship
 \$7,500

2011

Reid Lundin
 Kansas State University
 CASE Scholarship
 \$1,500

2012

Eric Witthaus
 University of Kansas
 2012 Scholar of the Year
 \$10,000

2012

Eric Grusenmeyer
 Kansas State University
 CASE Scholarship
 \$1,500

2012

Trevor Kaufman
 Kansas State University
 Life Health Trust Scholarship
 \$5,000

2014

Cody Porter
 University of Kansas
 Business Insurance Trust
 Scholarship
 \$5,000

2014

Adam Morel
 Purdue University
 CASE Scholarship
 \$1,500

2014

Jared Rogers
 Kansas State University
 Kansas State University
 Small Firms Council
 Scholarship
 \$2,000

2015

Alex Pint
 Kansas State University
 Kennedy/Jenks Consultants
 Scholarship
 \$7,500

2015

Daniel Weisenberger
 Kansas State University
 Small Firms Council Scholarship
 \$3,000

2016

Jeffrey Bloss
 University of Kansas
 Council of Structural
 Engineers Scholarship
 \$2,000

2016

Jeremy Ensz
 Kansas State University
 2016 Scholar of the Year
 \$10,000

2017

Tristan Yount
 University of Kansas
 Council of Structural
 Engineers Scholarship
 \$5,000

2018

Austin Eck
 Kansas State University
 Professional Liability Agents Network
 Engineers Scholarship
 \$5,000

2023

Grace Whisler Lipford
 Kansas State University
 Morrissey Goodale Diversity in STEM
 Scholarship
 \$12,500

2024

Gwyn Roberts
 Kansas State University
 IMEG Engineering Scholarship
 \$10,000

Eric Perez Galeana
 Kansas State University
 NCEES Professional Licensure
 Scholarship - \$5,000 &
 Kimley-Horn Diversity in STEM
 Scholarship - \$5,000