

Junior Engineering Scholarship

For engineering majors entering their junior year

Seattle Pacific University awards a junior engineering scholarship to a student entering their junior year with a declared engineering major. The junior engineering scholarship is awarded based on performance during the first two years of study, demonstration of activities and attitudes consistent with the mission of SPU's engineering department, and financial need.

Requirements

Recipients of a junior engineering scholarship must be full-time students majoring in engineering at SPU. Eligibility to apply for this scholarship is limited to students who are completing their sophomore year of study in engineering at SPU – students who are taking 2000-level engineering courses. Recipients must register for appropriate engineering courses during their junior year - an engineering advisor will help you choose the best courses. The scholarship funds will be divided into three equal payments to be made to the student's SPU account during Autumn, Winter and Spring quarters of the junior year as long as the recipient remains in good academic standing and makes sufficient progress towards an engineering major.

Application Process

Deadline: March 12

Complete the items listed below.

1. Complete the engineering scholarship application form (next page).
2. Write a 300-500 word essay, as described below.
3. Include an unofficial SPU transcript.
4. Send a complete FAFSA financial aid form to SPU.

Return the completed application form by the deadline to Kevin Bolding.

Essay (300-500 words): Discuss how you see yourself fulfilling God's plans in your life through the study and practice of engineering. Why do you study engineering? What do you hope to achieve in the future through engineering? Give some examples of experiences you've had that excite you about your future as an engineer. Explain how you participate in activities that prepare you to be a servant-leader. Describe some examples of your personal growth in the last year. Let us know as much as possible about how you envision yourself becoming an excellent engineer in the service of God.

Notification

Engineering scholarship recipients will be announced in April.

The Junior Engineering Scholarship is funded by the endowments listed below. Because some funds are limited to electrical engineering majors, preference may be given to electrical engineering majors when necessary to meet endowment criteria.

- Carl and Camilla Deffenbaugh Electrical Engineering Scholarship Endowment
- Howard M. Winegarden Engineering Scholarship Endowment
- Wai Lee Engineering Scholarship Endowment
- Robert W. Burwell Engineering Scholarship Endowment

Junior Engineering Scholarship Application

Deadline: March 12

Name: _____

SPU ID Number: _____

Email: _____

Intended major:

EE CPE General Engineering (emphasis _____) Physical Sciences (3:2)

Checklist:

____ Completed Scholarship Essay

____ Submitted FAFSA to SPU

____ Attached unofficial SPU Transcript

I am pursuing an engineering major at Seattle Pacific University. I understand that payments on the junior engineering scholarship are contingent upon making sufficient progress towards an engineering degree during my junior year.

Signature

Date

Send completed application form, transcript and essay to:

Kevin Bolding
Director of Engineering and Computer Science Programs