



**Houston Area Section
Texas District
Institute of Transportation Engineers**

2026 – 2027 TexITE Houston Scholarship

<https://www.texite.org/houston/wordpress/scholarship/>

Scholarship winner(s) will be announced on our website on October 23rd and recognized during our Shrimp Boil event on October 24th, 2026.

Deadline: **No later than Friday, October 9, 2026. (11:59PM CST)**

Scholarship Awards: One or more (non-renewable scholarships for one academic year.)
Minimum award of \$500 per award. Higher amounts may be awarded at the discretion of the Board based on funding availability.

Conditions: Applicant must be currently registered as a full-time student in an undergraduate (Sophomore/Junior/Senior level) or graduate STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) program at an accredited university.

Applicants must not have received previous TexITE Scholarship.

Preference will be given to applicants enrolled in at least one Traffic/transportation Engineering or Transportation Planning related class. (Past TexITE Scholarship winners are not allowed to apply)

AND must:

- Attend a university or college in the Greater Houston Area, **or**
- Have a permanent address in the Greater Houston area, **or**
- Have a TexITE Houston section member as an immediate family member, **or**
- Be currently employed or have worked a minimum of three months during the year of application, at an engineering firm, planning firm, or governmental agency in the Greater Houston Area.

Applications must include:

- 1) Completed application (attached)
- 2) "Copy" of an official transcript showing previous courses taken as part of the desired degree program.
- 3) Degree program or other list of courses anticipated for completion of degree.
- 4) Resume describing work experience, participation in student chapters of relevant professional associates, awards, honors, etc.

Availability: Scholarship is applicable to the 2026-2027 academic year.

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Questions: Contact **Lokesh Krishnan, PE** TKrishnan@lja.com or **Emily Moran, PE, PTOE** emoran@quiddity.com

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name:

E-mail:

Date of birth:

Male/Female:

Phone:

Current address:

City:

State:

ZIP Code:

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Current College/University:

Major:

Dates Attended:

GPA:

Previous College/University:

Major:

Dates Attended:

GPA:

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

List any programs and activities in which you have participated on campus or in your community (public service) while in school (such as clubs, publications, etc.)

Activity

Description/Office Held

Dates Participated

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WORK EXPERIENCE

List internships, assistantships, and jobs (including summer employment) you have held in the past four years.

**Job and Kind of Work
(Summer/School Year)**

Employer

Dates of Employment and Hours per week

1. HOW SHOULD AI BE USED IN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING AND ENGINEERING? DISCUSS TASKS AND ACTIVITIES THAT COULD BE IMPROVED USING AI. (USE OF AI TO GENERATE RESPONSE NOT RECOMMENDED)

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

2. DRIVERLESS VEHICLES ARE BECOMING MORE COMMON IN HOUSTON. DISCUSS WHAT TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERS SHOULD DO TO ACCOMMODATE THESE VEHICLES. CONSIDER SAFETY, REGULATION, AND INFRASTRUCTURE AND HOW SHOULD THE CITY ADDRESS THESE ISSUES?

3. WHAT INSPIRED YOU TO PURSUE ENGINEERING AND WHAT ARE YOUR CAREER GOALS?

Submit this form and other scholarship application requirements to Lokesh Krishnan via email at

TKrishnan@LJA.com

by Friday, October 9th, 2026 (11:59pm CST)

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