

PEO 2018 Engineering Scholarship for Secondary School Students

The Willowdale/Thornhill Chapter of Professional Engineers Ontario (WTPEO) is awarding three engineering scholarships to three eligible secondary school students who gain admittance to an engineering program at the university level for September 2018. The scholarships will be awarded to first place and two runner ups in the amount of \$1,500, \$1,000, and \$1,000 accordingly.

The applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada.
- Graduating in the school year 2017-2018 from a secondary school located in the Willowdale/Thornhill* area, or living in the Willowdale/Thornhill* area.
- Accepted into a Canadian accredited engineering program at the university level.

The documents detailed below are required to be considered for this scholarship:

- 1. **Application Form** filled and signed. The form can be obtained from <u>here</u>.
- 2. Proof of citizenship or permanent resident card.
- 3. **Proof of admission** to a Canadian accredited engineering program at the university level for the 2018-2019 academic calendar (ex. acceptance letter or first year's time table showing the name of the student from university's website).
- 4. **Secondary school report card**, transcripts, or GPA (grade point average).
- 5. **A 600-word original essay** written by the student describing his/her personal achievements, academic skills, leadership, volunteer activities, hobbies, and interests in engineering. The essay should include a 200-word statement describing the applicant's future plans as a professional engineer.
- 6. **Student Evaluation Form** signed by the student's science or math secondary school teacher.

Applications must be emailed by the teacher directly to WTPEO education committee at education@wtpeo.org with the heading, "PEO Scholarship 2018-Student's Name" on or before Friday, July 13, 2018. The evaluation form can be obtained from here.

Only complete applications will be evaluated by the WTPEO education committee based on quality and originality of the essay, academic performance, extra-curricular involvement, and interest in engineering. The 2018 PEO Engineering Scholarship winners will be contacted by the end of August 2018. The results will also be posted on the WTPEO website and a public presentation to recipients will take place at a later date. Additional questions? Please e-mail us at education@wtpeo.org

* Boundaries of the area are defined in the PDF through this link: www.willowdalethornhill.peo.on.ca/map.html

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