

Bill Kloos Scholarship Application

Managed by the Oregon Section of the Institute of Transportation Engineers

Academic Year 2015-2016



This scholarship is offered by the Oregon Section of the Institute of Transportation Engineers and the Bill Kloos Scholarship Fund to provide financial assistance to students pursuing degrees in transportation engineering or other related fields. It is named after William C. Kloos, who was the Signals and Street Light Manager at the City of Portland for 25 years. Bill was a talented leader, innovative problem solver and mentor to many throughout his career. One of Bill's unique talents was public speaking and presenting technical information to a wide range of audiences.

This scholarship was developed in order to promote the innovative thinking and communication skills of the future transportation professionals.

Scholarship Award

The Bill Kloos Scholarship award will be in the amount of \$2,000.

Eligibility Requirements

Students must fulfill the following requirements:

- Full-time or part-time undergraduate or graduate student enrolled at an ABET accredited college or university in the State of Oregon, Washington, Idaho or Montana.
- Candidate must be pursuing a degree in civil engineering, transportation engineering, transportation planning or other transportation related field that supports the goals of the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE).

Selection Criteria

Candidates will be evaluated based on a scholarship "Application" in the form of an essay, presentation/poster, Powerpoint presentation, or video that focuses on transportation/traffic engineering. Format of Application shall be at the discretion of candidate. The intent of the scholarship application is to encourage students to think outside the box and showcase their communications skills. Therefore, the format and content of the "Application" is up to the applicant. The following criteria will be used in judging the applications:

- Topic should be related to traffic/transportation engineering and can be related to one or many modes of transportation: cars, transit, freight, pedestrians, bicycles, etc.
- Has content related to innovative design, operation or construction of traffic control devices.
- Focuses on “thinking outside the box” to solve problems.
- Engages audience through innovative presentation techniques and/or humor.

Applications (essay/poster/presentation/video) will be judged via electronic media or in person. The topic and type of presentation shall be determined by the applicant. Go to www.oregonite.org/scholarship.html for links to previous year’s winners.

Application Instructions

To apply for the Oregon ITE Scholarship, the student candidate must submit the following no later than **January 4, 2016**:

- **Scholarship Application Form**
- **University Transcript**
- **Application (essay/poster/presentation/video)**

Application forms are available at www.oregonite.org.

Please submit all required information to:

Pamela O’Brien
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DKS Associates
720 SW Washington Street, Ste. 500
Portland, OR 97205
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Personal Information

Please provide both a current (school) and permanent (home) address (if different) where you can be reached in January.

Name: _____

Current Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Permanent Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Academic Information

Current College/University: _____

Expected Degree: _____ Expected Graduation: _____ (Mo/Yr)