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 transportation 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 $2,500.

**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, song, 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.

**Have Fun!**

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 [https://www.oregonite.org/bill-kloos-scholarships.html](https://www.oregonite.org/bill-kloos-scholarships.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 **February 1, 2020**:

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

Application forms are available at [www.oregonite.org](http://www.oregonite.org).

Please submit all required information to:

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Bill Kloos Scholarship Application

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Academic Year 2019-2020

**Personal Information**

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)