

# ★ Civil Rights ★ Transportation Symposium

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## Civil Rights Symposium Scholarship 2018-2019 Academic School Year Submission Deadline: February 16, 2018

In celebration of the Ohio Department of Transportation's 2nd Annual Civil Rights Transportation Symposium, (3) Three \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to (3) individual students currently enrolled in a post high school education focusing in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics) related fields. The Civil Rights Transportation Symposium Scholarship focuses on broadening the number of individuals in the management and operation ranks of the engineering and transportation industry.

### Scholarship Eligibility

To be eligible for this one-time, non-renewable **\$1000** award the applicant must:

- Be enrolled as a full-time undergraduate in an accredited degree-granting institution; and
- Have a minimum GPA of 2.5 ("C+" average); and
- Be pursuing a Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics Degree; and
- Demonstrate financial need (verified by college or university); and
- Have authorization to work in the U.S.

### Required Documents to Submit

- Scholarship Application. A completed and signed form is required;
- Verification. Statement from a Bursar/Ombudsman staff person at your college or university confirming financial need, current enrollment; and
- Transcript. Provide information that indicates current GPA;
- Essay. Your submission must not exceed a maximum 800-word typed essay, double spaced with an 11-point Arial font. Choose one of the below listed topics, clearly indicating your choice:

1. Describe how the Civil Rights Act has impacted the transportation industry and the role it will play in the future.

Completed application and all supporting documents must be received via email no later than **11:59pm on February 16, 2018**. Please electronically submit all information to Maria Davila at [Maria.Davila@dot.ohio.gov](mailto:Maria.Davila@dot.ohio.gov). The Scholarship award winners must be present to accept the award at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Civil Rights Symposium on April 11, 2018. Winners will be notified prior to event.

*\*\*Employees and immediate family members of the Ohio Dept. of Transportation are not eligible for participation\*\**