



IEEE Microwave Theory and Techniques Society Fall Undergraduate/Pre-Graduate Scholarships

Description

The IEEE Microwave Theory and Techniques Society (MTT-S) will award up to ten \$1500 undergraduate/pre-graduate scholarships for the fall and spring (NEW!) academic year. The purpose of these scholarships is to attract undergraduates to the microwave and RF discipline, and to encourage them to pursue graduate degrees in this field. Funds may be used for project materials and/or stipends. Awardees are also encouraged to attend an MTT-S sponsored microwave conference (e.g. European Microwave Conference, Asia-Pacific Microwave Conference, or International Microwave Symposium). Travel expenses are partially reimbursed (over and above the \$1500 award).

Eligibility

1. **Applicant must be an undergraduate student in electrical engineering (or related field) at the time of application**, and should be enrolled full-time in his/her *final year of the undergraduate program, first year of graduate studies, or combined B.S./M.S. program during the academic year*. The student must identify a faculty mentor who will supervise the applicant's project or thesis work in the microwave/RF area. Alternatively, project work may be conducted in conjunction with industry, *but a faculty mentor must still be identified*.
2. Applicant must be an IEEE student member, and the faculty mentor must be an IEEE MTT-S member.
3. There are no citizenship requirements.
4. There is no limit to the number of applicants from an institution. However, awards are limited to one per faculty mentor.

Application Procedure

1. *Application form* – The student and faculty mentor fill out an application form, available in [PDF](#) or [Microsoft Word format](#). More details are available from the IEEE MTT-S web page at <http://www.mtt.org> – click on Awards > Undergraduate Scholarships.
2. *Proposal* – The student applicant and a faculty mentor jointly submit a **two-page** proposal describing how the student plans to pursue *coursework, a project, and a career in microwaves and RF*. The proposal should also describe how the funds would be used and which MTT-S sponsored conference the student plans to attend.
3. *Resume* – The student submits a **one-page** resume.
4. *Transcript* – Current *official* transcript showing list of courses taken and grades. Include a brief description of the grading system including the maximum possible grade (if not a standard 4.0 scale).
5. *Letter of Recommendation* – The faculty mentor must submit a letter of recommendation commenting on the applicant's academic merit, ability to carry out the proposed project, and potential for a productive career in RF/microwaves.

Application Deadline: May 1 for Fall Awards; Nov. 1 for Spring Awards

Application materials should be submitted (electronic or hard copy only please; faxed applications will not be accepted) to:

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Awardees are selected by a team of experts who are also MTT-S society members. Awards will be announced during the IEEE *International Microwave Symposium*.