

# Michigan Technological University

## *FIRST* SCHOLARSHIP MICHIGAN TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

In support of the *FIRST* mission, Michigan Technological University has established a merit-based scholarship for **high school seniors** who have actively competed on a *FIRST* team during their high school career.

Michigan Technological University is offering the following scholarships to full-time, undergraduate resident and non-resident students:

- Eight resident merit scholarships valued at \$20,000 (\$5,000/year)
- Ten non-resident, merit scholarships valued at \$56,000 (\$14,000/year)

### **CRITERIA FOR ELIGIBILITY:**

Graduating senior in high school

Participate on a *FIRST* Robotics Competition (FRC) team or a *FIRST* Tech Challenge (FTC) team

Apply and be accepted to Michigan Tech

### **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION:**

For scholarship consideration, all interested students must complete and submit the following by **November 15** of their senior year.

- *FIRST* Scholarship Application
- Submit a one-page, double-spaced essay addressing the following topic: “Describe your participation in *FIRST* and how *FIRST* has influenced your career choice.”
- Provide one letter of recommendation from an adult leader of your *FIRST* team

### **TERMS:**

The scholarship will be awarded starting with your initial fall semester at Michigan Tech. Your scholarship may be renewed for up to three additional years. Renewal eligibility is based on a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA and maintaining satisfactory academic progress while attending Michigan Tech (<http://www.mtu.edu/finaid/aid/progress/undergrad/>). Students who were previously awarded the Presidential Scholars Award or National Scholars Award and are selected for a *FIRST* scholarship will receive the scholarship with the highest value.

Please direct questions to:

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## FIRST SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY OR TYPE:

PERSONAL INFORMATION: MTU ID # (M-number): \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_ Current GPA \_\_\_\_\_

SAT Critical Reading \_\_\_\_\_ SAT Math \_\_\_\_\_

ACT Composite Score \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST Program:  FTC  FRC  Other \_\_\_\_\_ Years of FIRST Participation \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST Team Number \_\_\_\_\_ FIRST Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST Team Adult Mentor/Coach Name \_\_\_\_\_

Intended College Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Application Submission and Questions

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**\*\*Email applications preferred**

