

ITS California and California Transportation Foundation

2021 Scholarships

For Studies in Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS)

AWARD: Two scholarships to advance academic studies and careers in the field of ITS. Eligible students must be Masters/Ph.D. students in an accredited university in California, studying any ITS-related field including, for example, engineering, computer science, transportation planning, or public policy.

VALUE: \$5,000 each for the 2021-2022 academic year.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

Selection will be based on academic ability, stated career objectives and interests, and supporting letters of reference. International students on F-1 and J-1 visas will be considered. To be eligible, candidates must provide:

1. Official and most recent transcript showing courses relevant to ITS.
2. List of courses with which the candidate is current enrolled.
3. Proposed or current list of courses enrolled for the 2021 – 2022 academic year.
4. Evidence of registration and/or acceptance for study in an undergraduate or graduate program at an ABET- or WASC-accredited California university.
5. Two (2) letters of reference that include assessment of the candidate’s academic ability and record, commitment to a career in the ITS and any other personal attributes which indicate that the candidate is worth of the award. The letters should also describe scholastic performance and research, work or other activities related to ITS.
6. An essay not to exceed 750 words, covering motivation for working in ITS field(s) and describing how candidate grew interested in the topic(s).
7. A video clip not to exceed 2 minutes comprised of “elevator pitch” of the candidate and his/her perspective on ITS.
8. A 1-page resume.

Extended Application Deadline: June 11, 2021 by 5 PM

Applications must meet all the requirements to be considered. Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.

Email completed application and supporting material to: ITS Scholarship Chair – its-caadmin@itscalifornia.org

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