

ACEC New York Awards Scholarships to 28 New York Engineering Students

NEW YORK, May 22, 2023 — Twenty-eight engineering students attending colleges and universities in New York State have received \$101,500 collectively in scholarships from member firms and regions of the American Council of Engineering Companies of New York (ACEC New York). Individual awards range from \$1,500 to \$10,000 and are given based on the students' cumulative grade-point average, college activities, work experience and essays. For the third year, ACEC New York pledged \$3,000 to support National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE) scholarship students. Two students have each been awarded \$1,500 scholarships. This is in line with our organization and industry's Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Belonging priorities and efforts. Our generous members help ease the financial burden of higher education, allowing students to enjoy their exploration of engineering and make connections that lead to mentoring, internships, and employment opportunities.

Since the program's launch in 2002, ACEC New York has awarded over 400 scholarships and other donations totaling more than 1.2 million dollars. The scholarship program was implemented to support up-and-coming engineers, thereby guaranteeing a strong future for the profession in New York State. We congratulate the Scholarship Committee for another successful year and sincerely thank the ACEC New York scholarship donors for their generosity.

Four of this year's winners were also alumni of the ACE Mentor program, which pairs high school students with mentoring teams composed of industry professionals (many of whom work for member firms) to introduce them to careers in the design and construction industry.

Following is a complete list of the 2023 scholarship winners:



ACEC New York Merit Scholarship – NYC Department of Design and Construction - \$10,000

Lillian Moy (*Civil Engineering*) | Hofstra University*



ACEC New York Merit Scholarship – NYC Department of Environmental Protection - \$10,000

John Ng (*Civil Engineering*) | Manhattan College*



Hazen and Sawyer Scholarship - \$5,000
Emily Specht (*Civil Engineering*) | Manhattan College



Thornton Tomasetti Scholarship - \$5,000
Kristo Nasto (*Civil Engineering*) | Rochester Institute of Technology



Loring Consulting Engineers, Inc. Scholarship - \$5,000
Shriya Musuku (*Mechanical Engineering*) | Rochester Institute of Technology



STV Scholarship - \$5,000
Jenna Manfredi (*Civil Engineering*) | The Cooper Union



Syska Hennessy Group, Inc. Scholarship, In memory of John F. Hennessy III - \$5,000
Dior Gillins (*Electrical Engineering*) | University at Buffalo



CHI Consulting Engineers - \$3,500
Gila Rosenzweig (*Civil Engineering*) The Cooper Union



WSP USA Inc. Scholarship - \$3,500
Tatiana Rascoe (*Environmental Engineering*) | SUNY Stony Brook



**Langan Engineering, Environmental, Surveying and Landscape Architecture, DPC
Scholarship, In memory of Maria I. Ramirez (9-11-01) - \$3,500**
Orlando Blanco (*Civil Engineering*) | Manhattan College



WSP USA Inc. Scholarship - \$3,500
Nicholas Badillo (*Civil Engineering*) | Manhattan College*



LERA Consulting Structural Engineers Scholarship - \$2,500
Jassjeet Singh (*Civil Engineering*) | Hofstra University



Stantec Scholarship - \$2,500
Evan Rivera (*Civil Engineering*) | Manhattan College*



Sam Schwartz Engineering Scholarship - \$2,500
Samantha Perricelli (*Civil Engineering*) Manhattan College



ACEC New York Western Region Scholarship - \$2,500
Kristina Pelletier (*Civil Engineering*) University at Buffalo



Jacobs Scholarship - \$2,500
Samson Msasa (*Construction Engineering*) New York Institute of Technology



Infrastructure Engineering, Inc., P.C. Scholarship - \$2,500
Edgar Moreno (*Civil Engineering*) Manhattan College



M-E Engineers Scholarship - \$2,500
Indya Lovell (*Electrical Engineering*) New York Institute of Technology



AKF Group LLC Scholarship - \$2,500
Erica Kyle (*Mechanical Engineering*) Columbia University



ACEC New York Mid-Hudson Region Scholarship - \$2,500
Stacy Kappel (*Mechanical Engineering*) Hofstra University



Jaros Baum & Bolles Scholarship - \$2,500
Onoja Itodo (*Mechanical Engineering*) SUNY Maritime College



ACEC New York Eastern Region Scholarship - \$2,500
Sabah Haji (*Mechanical Engineering*) SUNY Polytechnic Institute



Arup Scholarship - \$2,500

John Henry Genuardo (*Civil Engineering*) Manhattan College



Pennoni Scholarship - \$2,500

Emma Colangelo (*Environmental Engineering*) University at Buffalo



Infinite Consulting Corp Scholarship - \$2,500

David Brodsky (*Environmental Engineering*) Syracuse University



ACEC New York Long Island Region Scholarship, In memory of Andrew Narus - \$2,500

Ethan Baker (*Electrical Engineering*) SUNY Stony Brook



Mueser Rutledge Consulting Engineers Scholarship - \$2,500

Maryam Asgari (*Civil Engineering*) Manhattan College



Dagher Engineering, PLLC Scholarship - \$2,500
Christian Andrade (*Electrical Engineering*) City University of New York

ACEC New York – National Society of Black Engineers Scholarships - \$1,500



Onoja Itodo (*Mechanical Engineering*) SUNY Maritime College



Diana Rodriguez (*Electrical Engineering*) SUNY Maritime College

**ACE Mentor of Greater New York alumnus*

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