

January 29, 2021

**Dear Guidance Counselor,** 

## Please see that this Scholarship information gets into the proper hands!

The Engineering Society of Baltimore is offering merit based scholarships and academic loans to graduating high school students pursuing a degree in engineering in an ABET accredited program. The scholarships and academic loans are limited to students from the Baltimore Metropolitan area including Baltimore City and Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Carroll, Harford and Howard Counties. A minimum of four scholarships will be awarded, including the following:

- A \$3,000 James Posey Associates Centennial Scholarship which will be preferably awarded to a student enrolled in a mechanical or electrical engineering program.
- The American Society of Highway Engineers (ASHE) Chesapeake Section is offering two (2) scholarships in the amount of \$1,500.00 each to be awarded to individuals aspiring to a career in the Highway Industry (including, but not limited to Civil and Environmental Engineering, Water Resources, Traffic Engineering, Transportation Planning and Construction Management).
- An additional scholarship award will be made to an outstanding candidate with no specific engineering major require.

This year, up to three loans at 4% interest for \$4,000 each are also being offered. The loans are renewable each year providing the student is enrolled in an ABET accredited program, maintains good grades, and is up to date on interest payments. Interest only payments are due quarterly prior to graduation and for one year thereafter. Amortized principal and interest payments are due monthly for the next five years. The loans and grants are unrestricted and can be used for any purpose the student desires.

Please note the following:

- The deadline for application is 11:59 PM, Sunday, March 31st, 2020.
- The application must be completed online at www.esb.org
- The application will be available starting February 5th, 2021.
- Applicants may be requested to participate in an on-line interview in Baltimore on Saturday May 1st or Sunday May 2nd, 2021. Those who cannot attend an interview on that date need not apply.

Please see that the information for these scholarships and loans is made available to those students who may be interested in a rewarding career in engineering.

Sincerely,

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Jeff Caldwell, P.E. Chair, ESB Education Foundation