



Professional Engineers

and Geoscientists of BC

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**POST SECONDARY TRANSFER ENTRANCE
SCHOLARSHIP**

2011 APPLICATION GUIDELINES

**2011 APPLICATION FOR APEGBC
POST SECONDARY TRANSFER ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIP
(For those students entering an Engineering Transfer program at a University
College in BC)**

APEGBC offers several entry scholarships to British Columbia high school graduates entering engineering transfer programs at British Columbia's Colleges and University Colleges. The entry scholarships, valued at \$1000 each, are awarded on the basis of a combination of factors. Applications are evaluated on the basis of academic standing, extracurricular activities, financial need and student statement.

The scholarship will be paid directly to the institution upon confirmation of registration (If successful, you should indicate on your fee card that a scholarship was awarded by APEGBC)

Academic Requirements

Admission requirements for high school graduates entering engineering transfer programs at BC colleges and university colleges typically require:

- Mathematics 12
- Physics 12
- Chemistry 12
- English 12

Applicants are encouraged to maintain a C average or better in the above courses to meet minimum academic requirements for scholarship consideration. While a number of colleges only require Physics 11 and Chemistry 11 for acceptance into their transfer program, this scholarship is only available to applicants who have grade 12 standing in the above subjects.

To Apply

1. Submit the completed application form with letters of reference by Monday **June 27, 2011** to APEGBC - Attention: Post Secondary Transfer Entrance Scholarships.
2. Arrange for a certified copy of your final transcripts (**including provincially examinable courses**) to be sent to APEGBC. If we do not receive your transcript by Monday **August 08, 2011** your application may ***not*** be considered.
3. Final selection will be complete and successful candidates will be notified in September 2011.

Extracurricular Activities – 20% of total

Describe in detail, involvement in school activities, sports, community service and significant employment experiences. Please include the activity, length of participation, position/nature of involvement and how you demonstrated leadership for each category.

If more space is required, please attach additional sheets.

School Activities:

Sports:

Community Service:

Employment:

Financial – 15% of total

State in a few sentences what financial need motivates you to apply for this scholarship. In order for the Trustees to assess your financial position, please provide a budget plan that's shows how you intend to fund your university education. This would include information on savings, employment, awards/bursaries and would compare major sources of revenue to your major expenses.

Student's Statement – 25% of total

Please include a letter, stating in your own words why you wish to study engineering or geoscience. Please relate your views on how engineering or geoscience is impacting society. This is an important factor in selection: choose your words carefully. Your statement should not exceed 500 words.

Academics – 25% of total

Overall Presentation – 15% of total

Personal References

Please provide **two** letters of reference (not from relatives) who may be contacted by the Foundation Trustees. Please provide full name, address, and contact telephone number below. Reference letters may come from:

- a classroom teacher, student counselor or principal who knows you and your achievements personally
- your mathematics or science teacher
- a member of APEGBC (Professional Engineer or Professional Geoscientist). If this is not possible, a prominent member of your community.

1. Name:	_____	2. _____
Address:	_____	_____
Bus Ph:	_____	_____
Relationship:	_____	_____

Date of Application: _____ Signature of Applicant: _____

Reminder — To Apply:

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Application Check List:

- Application
- Student Statement (500 words)
- References (2 letters)
- Transcript (provided by the Ministry of Education with results from provincial exams)

Send to: **APEGBC Post Secondary Transfer Entrance Scholarship**
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Fax: 604-430-8085 | Email: aplaha@apeg.bc.ca

Contact: Amit Plaha, Student Program Coordinator
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