

### Milwaukee Area Professionals Chapter of NSBE

# STEM High School Scholarship 2024-2025 Academic Year

### **Instructions for Applicants**

### About the Scholarship:

- Scholarship(s) of \$1000 will be awarded to an eligible recent high school graduate committed to pursuing a career in Engineering or a closely related Technical Field. (Including Mathematics, Physics, and Computer Science).
- A panel of Milwaukee Area Professionals Chapter NSBE members will review all applications and select an award winner based on merit.

### Eligibility Requirements:

- The candidate must be a recent high school graduate who is from the Greater Area of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- The candidate must be enrolled in a 4-year university or 2-year institution for the 2024-2025 school year and committed to pursuing a degree in Engineering or a closely related Technical Field. (Please include a copy of an acceptance letter)
- The candidate must have a minimum GPA of 3.0/4.0. (Please attach an official copy of your transcript)
- The candidate must submit a min. of one (1) letter of recommendation
- The candidate must be a minority student of Black/African American ethnicity
- Candidate must submit completed application by 11:59 PM Thursday, October 31, 2024

### Letters of Recommendation:

- Please request letters of recommendation from individuals who are familiar with your work as a student, your aspirations and can attest to your leadership qualities. We ask that the recommendation letters speak to your character, leadership qualities, and academic accomplishments. If the letters of recommendation need to be submitted separately, please be sure that your full name is included and that the letter is submitted by the October 31, 2024 deadline.
- All submitted letters of recommendation must be on letterhead and have the contact information of the individual submitting the recommendation.



### **Application Submission:**

- To submit via email, please follow the instructions below
  - Save the completed application using the following form: "NSBE\_Firstname\_Lastname.doc" (example: "NSBE\_John\_Doe.doc").
  - Address and email with all supporting scholarship documents (application form, transcript, acceptance letter, letters of recommendation) to scholarships.map.nsbe@gmail.com by 11:59 PM Thursday, October 31, 2024
  - If letters of recommendation are submitted separately, please ensure the students first and last name is included in the subject line of the email submission
- To submit via mail, please follow the instructions below:
  - Address submission of all supporting documents (application form, transcript, acceptance letter and letters of recommendation) to the P.O. Box below:

National Society of Black Engineers – Milwaukee Area Professionals
Chapter
P.O. Box 12020
2650 N. Dr. MLK Jr. Drive
Milwaukee, WI 53212

- o If letters of recommendation are submitted separately, please ensure the student's first and last name are included.
- Please postmark all mail submissions by Monday, October 28, 2024, to ensure arrival by the October 31, 2024 submission deadline.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact **scholarships.map.nsbe@gmail.com**. Scholarship awardees will be notified by **November 14, 2024**.

The scholarship(s) will be awarded at the NSBE Milwaukee Area Professionals' INSPIRE Scholarship Gala Event. Awardee(s) must be available to receive their scholarship recognition and award.



#### **About NSBE**

The National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE) originally began as the Society of Black Engineers (SBE) at Purdue University in 1971. The organization as it is known today was for formed in 1975 when 32 Black engineering organizations at universities throughout the US joined to form the National Society of Black Engineers in the inaugural national meeting.

NSBE has since grown from the original six members of the BSE to 30,000 members. The annual meeting has blossomed into the Annual National Convention, hosting over 8,000 attendees. NSBE has grown from one (1) chapter to more than 790 chapter. Headquartered in Alexandria, Va., NSBE offers academic excellence programs, scholarships, leadership training, professional development and access to career opportunities for thousands of members annually. With over 2000 elected leadership positions, 12 regional conferences and an annual convention, NSBE provides opportunities for success that remain unmatched by any other organization

NSBE remains committed to the advancement of its mission statement; 'To increase the number of culturally responsible Black engineers who excel academically, succeed professionally and positively impact the community;' with \$500,000 in scholarships awarded annually, tutoring and academic support, community volunteering events and the well-attended regional and national conferences.

#### About the Milwaukee Area Professional Chapter of NSBE

The goal of the Milwaukee Area Professionals (MAP) is to further the mission of NSBE in the Greater Milwaukee area. We are devoted to providing opportunities to our collegiate counterparts for meaningful engagement with industry, advancing our members' technical and professional development, encouraging fellowship among Black engineers, and increasing engagement and academic achievement in the Black engineering community.

As an Alumni extension, MAP supports NSBE in a way that:

- Develops and enhances NSBE programs
- Increases technical awareness
- Encourages scholastic achievement
- Engages the Black engineering community to promote technical expertise, professionalism, and fellowship among Black engineers



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# **Scholarship Application**

Name:
Phone Number:
Email Address:
Address:
Ethnicity:
GPA:
Current Year Standing:
Intended Major and School:
Awards and Achievements:
Community Service and Extracurricular Involvement (Resume maybe attached):



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## **Essay Questions (Please Complete Both)**

### Question #1:

How do you expect NSBE (National Society of Black Engineers) to have an impact on your experience as a college student? Please, include information on how you plan on getting involved in NSBE (if you know your school has a chapter) as a collegiate student.



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Question 2:
What made you decide to pursue a career in the Engineering or Technical Field you chose? Who and what are some of the biggest influences that helped shape this choice in this career path?