



**Michigan  
Technological  
University**

***FIRST* SCHOLARSHIP  
MICHIGAN TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**

In support of the ***FIRST*** mission, Michigan Technological University has established a merit-based scholarship for **high school seniors** who have actively competed on a ***FIRST*** team during their high school career.

Michigan Technological University is offering the following scholarships to full-time, undergraduate resident and non-resident students:

- Eight resident merit scholarships valued at \$20,000 (\$5,000/year)
- Ten non-resident, merit scholarships valued at \$56,000 (\$14,000/year)

**CRITERIA FOR ELIGIBILITY:**

Graduating senior in high school

Participate on a ***FIRST*** Robotics Competition (FRC) team or a ***FIRST*** Tech Challenge (FTC) team

Apply and be accepted to Michigan Tech

**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION:**

For scholarship consideration, all interested students must complete and submit the following by **January 6** of their senior year.

- ***FIRST*** Scholarship Application
- Submit a one-page, double-spaced essay addressing the following topic: “Describe your participation in ***FIRST*** and how ***FIRST*** has influenced your career choice.”
- Provide one letter of recommendation from an adult leader of your ***FIRST*** team

**TERMS:**

The scholarship will be awarded starting with your initial fall semester at Michigan Tech. Your scholarship may be renewed for up to three additional years. Renewal eligibility is based on a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA and maintaining satisfactory academic progress while attending Michigan Tech

(<http://www.mtu.edu/finaid/aid/progress/undergrad/>). Students who were previously awarded the Presidential Scholars Award or National Scholars Award and are selected for a ***FIRST*** scholarship will receive the scholarship with the highest value.

Please direct questions to:

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**FIRST SCHOLARSHIP  
APPLICATION**

**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY OR TYPE:**

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** MTU ID # (M-number): \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
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Telephone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_ Current GPA \_\_\_\_\_

SAT Critical Reading \_\_\_\_\_ SAT Math \_\_\_\_\_

ACT Composite Score \_\_\_\_\_

**FIRST** Program:  FTC  FRC Years of **FIRST** Participation \_\_\_\_\_

**FIRST** Team Number \_\_\_\_\_ **FIRST** Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

**FIRST** Team Adult Mentor/Coach Name \_\_\_\_\_

Intended College Major: \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Application Submission and Questions**

Your **FIRST** Scholarship Application and materials must be received by **January 6**. Please submit your application materials to:

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