

Scholarship Program Facts and Figures

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- ◆ In 1982, ACEC Colorado awarded its first three scholarships. In 2000, the number increased to seven scholarships and a total of \$15,000. The highest scholarship amount was \$4,000.
- ◆ The ACEC Colorado Scholarship Committee awarded \$36,500 in college scholarships to students in engineering programs for the 2017-18 academic year. The top scholarship was \$6,000.
- ◆ The top two scholarship winners are automatically entered in to the [ACEC National scholarship competition](#) (if enrolled in an ABET-accredited program that conforms to the Engineering Accreditation Commission standards).
- ◆ In 2007, Phil Wolfram, a civil engineering student at Colorado School of Mines, received the \$7,500 ACEC National Kennedy/Jenks Consultants Scholarship in Honor of David D. Kennedy. ACEC National covered travel expenses for the student to accept the scholarship at its meeting in Maui, Hawaii.
- ◆ In spring 2017, ACEC Colorado received 25 scholarship applications and awarded 13 scholarships for the 2017-18 academic year.
- ◆ ACEC Colorado co-sponsors the Colorado High School Bridge Building Contest and provides a \$2,000 scholarship to one of the regional winners.
- ◆ This year \$2,500 will go to the [ACE Mentor Program](#) for high school students, which encourages students to go into the design and construction industry.
- ◆ ACEC Colorado is a liaison to and has supported many education-oriented organizations and programs, including Colorado Construction Career Days, Denver Museum of Nature & Science, Denver Zoo, Denver Botanic Gardens, South Metro Chamber STEM Education Coalition, and Society of Women Engineers' Girls Exploring Science, Engineering & Technology Program.