

## DON & JEAN DREWISKE SCHOLARSHIP

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- o Graduating seniors from Assumption or Lincoln High Schools that are accepted (or awaiting acceptance) for full time enrollment in a not-for-profit four year in-state or adjacent state college or university.
- o Awarded to individuals seeking a degree in Electrical Engineering, Computer Science, Computer Engineering or related field derived from and administered by the Electrical Engineering Department.
- O Must have a GPA of 2.75/4.0 and maintain a minimum 2.75/4.0
- Must have demonstrated service and involvement in extra-curricular school and community activities.
- Must be of good moral/strong personal character.
- Must not have convicted of a felony.
- o Must be a practicing member of a religious community.
- Must be a US Citizen.
- Award selection decision will be based on interpretation of future leadership potential. Race, sex, religion, or financial need will not be a factor.

#### <u>AWARD</u>

Scholarship award will be for \$10,000 (See note 1) awarded as:

Year 1---\$1,000

Year 2---\$2,000

Year 3---\$3,000

Year 4---\$4,000

Provided the student maintains a cumulative GPA of 2.75/4.0 or better, is enrolled as a full-time student, and is on track to graduate by the end of the calendar year of the fourth academic year.

Award will be given to recipient after verification of continuing education GPA. Award will be divided and payable after each semester or trimester.

All award checks, except for final, will be issued in name of award recipient and continuing education institution.

Award is to be used only to cover those expenses allowed by IRS American Opportunity Credit.

#### APPLICATION PROCESS

Applications are available online: <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/4hqCFgZUei">https://forms.office.com/r/4hqCFgZUei</a>

Questions? Please contact: Catholic United Financial Foundation 3499 Lexington Ave. N. St Paul, MN, 55126 (651) 765-4135 foundation@catholicunited.org

Scholarship award recipient decision will be made by Catholic United Financial Foundation. 500-word essay to be completed. See application.

By submitting this scholarship application, you have committed to a career in engineering. You will learn that nothing is 100% efficient. There is no perpetual motion. Accordingly, you cannot get more out of life than what you put into it i.e. Have a positive attitude, have a good work ethic, become a volunteer in your community.

## Please submit your essay discussing

- 1. What/how your Technical education will make you a better citizen, better employee, and better volunteer.
- 2. How you will use your education to make a difference in the world, solve tomorrow's problems.
- 3. How you will use your education to improve people's everyday lives.

# Application deadline is April 30, 2024

Note1. If the scholarship recipient has additional scholarships/grants that exceed the costs of tuition, books, supplies, etc (The qualified education expenses allowed by IRS for American Opportunity Credit) at their chosen continuing institution, this scholarship will be held in the recipient's name for award in a future year of their continuing education. The recipient may request his/her award in a future year provided that they meet eligibility requirements. If award is requested in a future year, it will be based on the year reached in their continuing education process.