2021 WTS Metropolitan Phoenix Scholarships



Logistical barriers can sometimes stand between worthy candidates and their objectives. The WTS Metropolitan Phoenix Chapter and its partners are offering seven scholarships totaling \$21,500 to assist students who aspire to professional careers in transportation. Scholarship summaries and application materials can be found on the scholarship page at www.wtsinternational.org/chapters/metro-phoenix/scholarships

The <u>Helene M. Overly/Esther Kmetty Scholarship</u> is awarded to a **woman** pursuing **graduate studies** in transportation who demonstrates a strong commitment to the community. The local scholarship amount is \$3,000.

The <u>Sharon D. Banks Memorial Undergraduate Scholarship</u> is awarded to a **woman** pursuing an **undergraduate degree**. Applicants must be currently enrolled in a full-time undergraduate degree program in a transportation-related field. The local scholarship amount is **\$2,500**.

The <u>Molitoris Leadership Fund for Undergraduates</u> is awarded to a **woman** who demonstrates leadership in the transportation industry. Applicants must be currently enrolled in a full-time **undergraduate degree** program in a transportation-related field. The local scholarship amount is **\$2,500**.

In partnership with WTS, the Arizona Transit Association is offering the <u>AzTA Transit Planning</u> <u>Graduate Scholarship</u> to a **woman** pursuing **graduate studies** in urban planning, engineering, public health, public administration, or transportation planning. This scholarship amount is **\$2,500** and includes **free participation** in all AzTA events for the academic year.

NEW THIS YEAR! In partnership with the WTS Metropolitan Phoenix Chapter, the Friends of Transit is offering the <u>Friends of Transit: Wulf Grote Legacy Scholarship</u> to an applicant of **any gender** pursuing a **graduate or undergraduate degree** in a transportation-related field. This scholarship is being offered for 2021 only. The scholarship honors Wulf Grote's 35 years of service as a leader in public transportation development in the Phoenix Metropolitan Area. The scholarship amount is **\$3,500**.

In partnership with WTS, the <u>Friends of Transit Scholarship</u> is awarded to an applicant of **any gender** pursuing **undergraduate or graduate studies** in a full-time degree program in public transit or a transportation-related field with plans to pursue a career in the transit industry. This scholarship is in the amount of **\$2,500**.

In partnership with WTS, the <u>Support Sky Harbor Coalition Scholarship</u> is awarded to an applicant or multiple applicants of **any gender** pursuing **undergraduate or graduate studies** in an aviation-related field. Applicants must demonstrate strong leadership skills and campus and community involvement. This scholarship amount is **up to \$5,000**.

Applications are due by Wednesday, December 1, 2021.
Applications must be submitted to the Scholarship Committee at metrophoenix@wtsinternational.org