International Wire and Cable Symposium (IWCS) Scholarship

The IWCS was started in 1952 by key government and industry representatives devoted to the development of improved wires and cables for military applications. The first Symposium was held in Asbury Park, NJ and was called “Symposium on Technical Progress and Communication Wire and Cables.”

As it grew, it attracted international attention and by 1967, the meeting drew over 100 representatives from various foreign countries. As a result of the increase in foreign participation, the name of the Symposium was changed to the “International Wire and Cable Symposium.”

Today the IWCS attracts over one thousand attendees from around the world to its annual Symposium. Its mission statement is, “International Wire and Cable Symposium, Inc. is a non-profit organization with a mission to provide a forum for the exchange of information among suppliers, manufacturers, researchers and end-users within the industry on advancements in materials, processes and products for data and energy transmission systems and to support continued development through education and scholarship.”

Eligibility Requirements:
1. Mechanical, Electrical and Computer Engineering or Engineering Technology majors
2. Sophomore, junior, or senior
3. Minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA

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