

OUTSTANDING SENIOR CIVIL ENGINEERING STUDENT AWARDS

Wisconsin Section – ASCE

Individual senior civil engineering student achievement within the State of Wisconsin is recognized annually by awarding the “Outstanding Senior Civil Engineering Student (OSCES) Awards.” This award is given annually to an individual student(s) for achievement as a civil engineering student in their senior year.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Awards shall be made annually, and offered to students currently enrolled at the following Universities or School:
 - a. Marquette University
 - b. Milwaukee School of Engineering
 - c. University of Wisconsin – Green Bay
 - d. University of Wisconsin - Madison
 - e. University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee
 - f. University of Wisconsin - Platteville
2. Basis for the awards shall be “for individual achievement/service that demonstrates excellence in engineering academic achievement and service to the civil engineering profession.”
3. The awards for the students are made by action of the Board of Directors upon recommendation of the Awards Committee. Recommendations to the Board must be supported with an appropriate description of the academic and service achievement. Publicity on the final selection is withheld until Board approval is obtained.
4. An appropriate certificate, symbolizing the achievement, and a cash award will be awarded to each individual selected. The amount of the cash award will be dependent on the annual budget established by the Board of Directors.
5. Up to two OSCES awards of equal value will be presented annually.

ELIGIBILITY

Nominees shall be current seniors at their respective universities and shall be Student Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers with an active, current membership. The Secretary will forward nominations and related supporting material to the Awards Committee.

NOMINATIONS

1. Nominations for the awards on behalf of the Universities/School shall be submitted by the Student Chapter Faculty Advisor. The Wisconsin Section Secretary will contact the Faculty Advisors and the Secretaries of the ASCE Student Chapters by email around December 1st of the year prior to the award and also in January of the year of the award to solicit nominations for this award. Only one nomination per University or School can be made.
2. Nominations must be submitted to the Wisconsin Section Secretary via email by the date set by the Secretary, generally before February 14.

JUDGING

1. Judging is the responsibility of the Awards Committee. The Secretary will forward nominations and related supporting material to the Awards Committee.
2. A report on the student nominated by each University/School will be made by the Secretary to the Board of Directors. Presentation of the awards will be made at the Spring Technical Conference or an appropriate Branch or Section Meeting by the President of the Section, or designated representative. The award certificate will be prepared by the Awards Committee.

3. Final authority for determining eligibility shall be with the Board of Directors.
4. The Awards Committee will notify the Faculty Advisors by email about the results of the individual nominations for these awards.