FY20 UTI Ohio Career Scholarship Program
Universal Technical Institute/NASCAR Technical Institute
Motorcycle and Marine Mechanics Institute
Scholarship Amount: $1,000

Objective:
To provide tuition assistance to students located within the state of Ohio, who seek to enroll at Universal Technical Institute (UTI), NASCAR Technical Institute (NTI), or Motorcycle and Marine Mechanics Institute (MMI). This scholarship program is aimed at students who reflect a true commitment to converting their talents working with their hands into a career as a professional technician in the transportation industry.

Criteria for awarding the scholarship:
This scholarship program is available to high school seniors who are currently enrolled and set to graduate from a high school located within the state of Ohio. In order to be eligible to apply, all applicants must meet all other admissions requirements for Universal Technical Institute, in addition to all of the criteria outlined below.

Students must:
- Be enrolled to start UTI (with the exception of the UTI, PA campus), MMI, or NASCAR Technical Institute
- Show proof that they are currently a high school senior, enrolled and set to graduate (or recently graduated) from a high school located within the state of Ohio during the 2019-2020 academic year.
- Provide a signature of endorsement from an instructor or guidance counselor from their graduating high school along with an essay (approximately 150 words).
- Submit the application to the Scholarship Department prior to starting classes at UTI.
- Must utilize scholarship and start classes at Universal Technical Institute, NASCAR Technical Institute, or Motorcycle and Marine Mechanics Institute within one year from the date of high school graduation.

Process and Rules: This scholarship program is available starting October 1, 2019 through September 30, 2020. Students must complete an application and essay and submit it to the UTI Scholarship Department. For all applicants, the deadline for receipt of the application is based on each applicant’s start date. Applications must be submitted to the UTI Scholarship Department prior to starting classes at UTI. All applications received by the UTI Scholarship Department will be reviewed for eligibility. Applications that meet all of the scholarship requirements will be considered for a scholarship award. This scholarship is ONLY available to incoming high school seniors who are attending high school in the state of Ohio. Students already attending classes at UTI, MMI or NASCAR Technical Institute are ineligible to apply. All incoming applications will be reviewed by the UTI Scholarship Committee on a monthly basis. All applicants will be notified as to the outcome of their scholarship application by the last day of the month in which their application was submitted.

Students who are denied a scholarship are eligible to reapply before their start date. All incoming applications will be reviewed for eligibility, and there is no guarantee that a scholarship will be awarded in the next review cycle. Only one award of this scholarship will be given per student.

Of those viable applications, the awards will be distributed to those students who most clearly express commitment to success as a technician in the transportation industry through the essay portion of the application. All viable applications will be reviewed by the UTI Scholarship Committee. Students must be enrolled to attend Universal Technical Institute, NASCAR Mechanics Institute, or Motorcycle and Marine Mechanics Institute at the time of application submission.** Scholarships awarded are not transferable to any other person. This scholarship is considered an internal tuition reduction and has no cash value. All internal tuition reductions are pro-rated over the time a student is in school. If a student chooses not to attend UTI prior to the deadline or, after beginning their program chooses to leave for any reason (withdrawal, suspended, terminated), they will forfeit any unused portion of the award. All scholarships granted through this program can only be used during the initial enrollment; any unutilized funds cannot be applied to a secondary account/enrollment.

University Technical Institute, Inc. and its subsidiaries (collectively, “UTI”) are committed to educational and work communities that are free from prohibited discrimination and harassment. UTI prohibits discrimination and harassment on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, disability, age, veteran status, sexual orientation/identity/expression, genetic information, and any other legally protected status in the provision of its courses, programs, services or activities. UTI has designated the National Director of Student Services as the individual responsible for the coordination and administration of its non-discrimination and harassment policies. In addition, the National Director of Student Services has been designated to coordinate UTI’s compliance with Section 504, the ADA and the Age Act. Questions or comments about discrimination or harassment can be directed to the National Director of Student Services at 16220 N. Scottsdale Road, Suite 500, Scottsdale, AZ 85254 or by calling 800-859-7249.

Admissions Representatives may not provide any guidance beyond general information about the availability of this scholarship and must refer prospective students to the Scholarship Office or the UTI website for more detailed information on the application process and qualifying criteria. Scholarships shall not be used as a recruiting device.

Funding for this program is limited and the program may be suspended at any time at UTI’s discretion. Such a suspension will not affect students who are awarded a scholarship under this program prior to the suspension date.

**This program is NOT available to any student attending the Exton, PA campus of UTI due to state regulations. The TechForce Foundation offers the Exton, PA Campus Tuition Scholarship for all students planning to attend the Exton, PA campus. Details can be found at www.techforcefoundation.org.

Information about this scholarship program is posted on the UTI website (www.uti.edu/scholarships).
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Name: __________________________________________ Student ID #: _______________ Start Date___________________________

Address: _____________________________________________ City: _____________ State: _____________ Zip Code: ____________

E-Mail Address: ___________________________________ Phone #: __________________ State of Legal Residence: ______________

High School Attended:_____________________________ Graduation Date(Anticipated date if still currently attending): ____________

Please answer the questions below to determine your eligibility to apply for the UTI Ohio Career Scholarship Program:

1. Are you a high school senior and set to graduate, or have graduated in the 2019-2020 academic year from a high school located within the state of Ohio?  
   Yes            No

2. Are you enrolled to attend UTI, MMI or NASCAR Technical Institute?  
   Yes            No

If you answered YES to the above questions, you are eligible to apply.

ESSAY PORTION: Please provide an essay (approximately 150 words) answering the following questions:

• What activities (academic, athletic, cultural, community-related, etc.) have you participated in that have been most significant in building and reflecting your character? (Please explain the activity, what made you decide to participate in it, and what about this activity had the most impact on you).

You can use the space below to legibly write your paragraph or attach a separate sheet with your legible hand-written or typed paragraph.

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I attest that the information provided in this application is accurate, and that I am a high school senior who will graduate, or have recently graduated in the 2019-2020 academic year from a high school located in Ohio.

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Student Signature                               Date

Signature of Endorsement – Needs to be completed by either a High School Instructor or Guidance Counselor

I the undersigned believe that the above mentioned student is an excellent candidate and I personally endorse his/her application for the UTI Ohio Career scholarship Program.

Name ___________________________ Title ___________________________ Signature ___________________________ Date ___________________________

High School Contact Phone Number ___________________________

FAX:  (623) 445-0793
MAIL:  Universal Technical Institute
       Attn: UTI Scholarship Dept.
       16220 N. Scottsdale Road, Suite 500
       Scottsdale, AZ  85254
EMAIL:  scholarships@uti.edu

Applications must be received by one of the methods listed above no later than the applicant's start date in order to be eligible. Applications sent to locations other than the Scholarship Department will become ineligible if not forwarded and received within the Scholarship Department by the Submission Deadline. The Scholarship Department cannot accept responsibility for lost, misplaced or misdirected applications. Please reference the UTI Ohio Career Scholarship Information Sheet for additional information.

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