Since 1996, the Railway Association of Southern California (RASC) has been dedicated to promoting the diverse professions within the railroad industry and sponsoring fellowship among railroad professionals in the Southern California area.

The RASC will be awarding two $3,000 scholarships to undergraduate and three $3,000 graduate students for a total of 5. The minimum criteria for the scholarships are:

- Undergraduate or graduate students who will be enrolled in Fall 2015 at a public or private higher education institution in Southern California (defined as Los Angeles, Riverside, San Bernardino, Orange, Ventura or San Diego counties) in a degree program which could lead to a career in the rail transportation industry.
- Minimum GPA of 3.0.
- Interested in a profession in the rail transportation industry such as engineering, planning, or operations.

The scholarships are competitive and based on the applicant's specific involvement in transportation, career goals, and academic record.

Note that family of RASC board and scholarship review committee members are not eligible for award.

Please return the completed application to:

Railway Association of Southern California  
Attn: Scholarship Committee  
1 Ada, Suite 200  
Irvine, CA 92618

Application forms may be downloaded from the Railway Association website at http://www.railwayassociation.org/scholarship.html. Completed applications must be received no later than March 30, 2015. The scholarships will be awarded during the RASC’s Scholarship Dinner on April 14, 2015 (we highly recommend all scholarship winners to attend).
Please indicate which scholarship category you are applying for:

- $3,000 Graduate Student Scholarship
- $3,000 Undergraduate Student Scholarship

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name ____________________________

Last       First       Middle

Current Address ____________________________

Street

City       State       Zip

(  ) ____________________
 Telephone

Email Address ____________________________

Mailing Address ____________________________

(if different from above) Street

City       State       Zip

(  ) ____________________
 Telephone

II. EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Current College Or University ____________________________

Location ____________________________

City       State
Expected Date of Graduation __________________ Degree ________________________________

Concentration ______________________________

GPA __________________ (attach official copy of transcript)

Previous Colleges/Universities Attended, Years Attended, GPA (attach official copy of transcripts)

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Professional or School Affiliations. List any school, professional or community activities you have participated in. Include offices held and awards received (attach additional sheets if necessary)

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III. EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Work Experience (List full-time, part-time, co-op and summer employment. Briefly describe duties and responsibilities. Attach additional sheets, if necessary.)

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IV. RECOMMENDATION

Provide a letter of recommendation from a professor or job supervisor.

V. PERSONAL STATEMENT

Provide a statement about your career goals after graduation and why you think that you should receive this scholarship (limit to one page).

VI. PROOF OF ENROLLMENT

Provide a copy of your tuition receipt or current registration card.