

Montgomery College ACCESS Engineering and Computer Science Scholarship Application Instructions

The deadline for all application materials is Wednesday, July 31, 2019. **Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

A complete application will include the following:

- Completed Scholarship Application Form (required for all applicants)
- Completed Financial Need Form (required for all new applicants and at the beginning of each academic year)
- One-page (300 word) personal essay describing your academic and career plans (required for all applicants)
- Resume, including achievements, awards, honors, etc. (required for all new applicants)
- Two (2) letters of recommendation from faculty members in sciences, engineering, or mathematics who can discuss your academic achievements and potential for success in computer science or engineering (required for all new applicants)
- Official Transcript (Montgomery College students may submit an unofficial transcript)

File your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) on time! Complete your student financial aid file at Montgomery College or your transfer institution on time! Students are not eligible for ACCESS Engineering and Computer Science Scholarship funding if the FAFSA process is not complete or if the FAFSA results do not show qualification for federal financial aid.

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Achieving Community College Excellence, Success, and Scholarship in Engineering and Computer Science

Scholarship Application Form

Applicant Information - Print legibly and complete all boxes.

Classification (check one):	High School Senior <input type="checkbox"/>	Current MC Student <input type="checkbox"/>	Scholarship Renewal <input type="checkbox"/>
Last Name		First Name	M.I.
MC ID#		Gender:	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
			Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY): _____
Street Address		Apartment/Unit #	
City		State	ZIP
E-mail Address			
Phone		Cell Phone	

MAILING ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE) AWARD NOTIFICATION WILL BE SENT TO THIS ADDRESS.

Street Address		Apartment/Unit #	
City		State	ZIP

Are you a citizen of the United States? <input type="checkbox"/>	Refugee Alien? <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanent Resident? <input type="checkbox"/>
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Race/Ethnicity: (check appropriate box)	White/Non-Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/>	African American/Black <input type="checkbox"/>	Hispanic/Latino <input type="checkbox"/>	Asian <input type="checkbox"/>	Hawaiian/Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/>
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American Indian <input type="checkbox"/> (Tribal Affiliation) _____	Other <input type="checkbox"/> (Please specify) _____
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Math Level: _____ (placement level or highest level course completed)	Cumulative GPA: _____
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Expected Date of Graduation/Transfer (MM/YYYY): _____	Intended Major: _____
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TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT FOR MONTGOMERY COLLEGE ACCESS S-STEM SCHOLARSHIP

Only complete applications will be reviewed. Please check that each item in the following list is complete before the deadline.

Requirements

According to NSF guidelines, ACCESS Engineering and Computer Science scholarship requirements:

- Demonstrate financial need, defined for undergraduate students by the U.S. Department of Education rules for need-based Federal financial aid (FAFSA). The MC FAFSA code number is 006911. Go to [FAFSA form online](#) if you have not applied to FAFSA already.
- Demonstrate academic potential or ability (Applicants need a minimum **2.5 GPA** and be eligible to enroll in **MATH165**.)
- U.S. citizens, permanent residents, or refugee aliens
- Full-time student status (minimum of **12 credits** per semester)
- Declared MC engineering or computer science major
- Enroll in a one-credit seminar course designed to prepare you to transfer successfully (ENES104)
- Plan to transfer to a BS in engineering or computer science program

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For More Information, Contact:

Dr. Alex Hou at 240-567-7608 or chienannalex.hou@montgomerycollege.edu or
Mr. Michael Mehalick at 240-567-4083 or michael.mehalick@montgomerycollege.edu

Please submit your application by July 31, 2019

Please submit all materials to:

ACCESS Engineering and Computer Scholars Program
Montgomery College
Attn: Michael Mehalick
51 Mannakee Street, 238 Science Center
Rockville, MD 20850

Disclaimer and Signature

I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

My signature gives permission for the Montgomery College ACCESS Engineering and Computer Science Scholarship Committee to review any academic records and any information pertaining to my eligibility for Federal Financial Aid.

Signature		Date	
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