Emerson Discrete Automation Scholarship

2024-2025 Scholarship Application

You are eligible to apply for the Emerson Discrete Automation Scholarship if you meet the following qualifications:

- For the 2024/2025 school year, you are entering your sophomore, junior or senior year in a four-year undergraduate degree program or are enrolled in a graduate program. You are a full-time student and have at least an overall GPA of 3.2 on a 4.0 scale.
- You are currently enrolled in a graduate or undergraduate program (4 year baccalaureate program or its equivalent) in STEM (Science Technology, Engineering and Math) at an accredited educational institution in the United States.
- You are a U.S. citizen or legal U.S. resident.
- You are not an employee of Emerson or a relative/legal dependent of an Emerson Employee.

This form is designed to collect information about your background, interests, academics, demonstrated leadership, and career plans. Your answers to these questions will be used only in connection with your application for the scholarship program and will be reviewed by an independent scholarship selection committee of education professionals.

Please TYPE or PRINT LEGIBLY. You may, if you wish, type your responses on a computer (no smaller than 10 point type) and paste them into the spaces provided below each question, or attach additional pages as necessary. The completeness, neatness and legibility of your replies will allow for a thorough and comprehensive review of your credentials.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

LEGAL NAME

Last	First	M

PERMANENT HOME ADDRESS

Number and Street

City	State	Zip Code	Telephone Numbers

GPA _____

CITIZENSHIP STATUS
- ☐ US Citizen ☐ US Permanent Resident
- ☐ Other (specify): _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

EDUCATION

Current Enrollment (2024-2025 Academic Year)

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY NAME: _____

CITY _____ STATE _____

YEAR OF MATRICULATION _____ ESTIMATED DATE OF GRADUATION _____

MAJOR/COURSE OF STUDY _____

TYPE OF DEGREE YOU WILL EARN UPON GRADUATION:
- ☐ Associate ☐ Bachelor ☐ Master
- ☐ Doctorate ☐ Other - please specify: _____

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE(S) ALREADY RECEIVED: _____

GRADUATE/PROFESSIONAL DEGREE(S) ALREADY RECEIVED: _____

Scholarship Award Period (2024-2025 Academic Year) ☐ Same as current

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY NAME: _____

CITY _____ STATE _____

YEAR OF MATRICULATION _____ ESTIMATED DATE OF GRADUATION _____

MAJOR/COURSE OF STUDY _____

TYPE OF DEGREE YOU WILL EARN UPON GRADUATION:
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- ☐ Doctorate ☐ Other - please specify: _____

<u>Reminder</u>: To be eligible for the scholarship, you must be enrolled for the entire academic year. If you are enrolling at a different institution during the scholarship award period, a confirmation of your enrollment must be received by Emerson from the college/university you will be attending by July 31, 2024.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Please attach a CV/résumé to this application, which lists your work experience, including all summer jobs, cooperative education placements and internships. Include the names of your employer(s), the dates of employment, and the type of work you performed.

EXTRACURRICULAR AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Please attach a Microsoft Word document listing all activities in which you have participated since the beginning of your undergraduate/post-secondary studies. Student government, Greek Council, campus publications, intercollegiate or intramural athletics, theatre, etc.; Please define any acronyms.

ESSAY QUESTIONS
Each required essay response should not exceed 800 words, should be typed, and submitted as a MS Word document.

Essay Question #1 – REQUIRED

> Describe your career objectives and how the award of an Emerson Scholarship will help you obtain your objectives. Explain why you want to enter this particular field of STEM. Comment about what you have achieved and learned through your studies and activities, and what this indicates about your character and determination.

Essay Question #2 – REQUIRED

> Discuss the advantages and benefits of distributed I/0, proportional control, BUS communication technology, and various actuation methods as they apply to automating equipment and/or processes.

RECOMMENDATION & TRANSCRIPT REQUIREMENT

Two letters of recommendation are required. At least one of the letters should be from a faculty member who is familiar with your educational program. Faculty recommendations must be on university letterhead. The references should comment on your character and potential for leadership, or for making a significant contribution to an instrumentation, systems, and automation profession. This can be based upon specific examples drawn from your course work, projects, or activities. Each letter of recommendation must be signed by the person making the recommendation.

You are also required to submit a complete, official transcript of grades, including classes currently in-progress. You may obtain a copy of your transcript and submit it with this questionnaire, or you may request that your institution sends the transcript directly to the address below. Your transcript and letters of recommendation must be mailed no later than the deadline date for the scholarship program, July 31, 2024.

Attn: Mary Francis Spiessbach
STEM Scholarship Committee
Emerson
160 Park Avenue, Florham Park, NJ 07932

Letters of recommendation and official transcripts can also be submitted as a .zip file in an e-mail addressed to:
ANScholarship@Emerson.com.

CERTIFICATION/AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE INFORMATION

Please read the following carefully before signing. You must agree to all of the stated terms in order to be considered for a scholarship.

I understand that falsification of any information on this application disqualifies me for any current or future Emerson scholarships. I also understand that all applications will be evaluated on educational achievement, work experience, and the essay submission, and that scholarship awards will be offered based on merit. Submission of an application in no way guarantees that a scholarship will be awarded. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

I hereby certify that all information submitted on this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. By submitting this application, I authorize my college/university to make available to Emerson information concerning my academic records.

By signing this application, I authorize Emerson to use or publish any information submitted.

Student's Name (please print): _____

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- ☐ Scholarship Application (this form)
- ☐ CV/résumé
- ☐ Essay Responses
- ☐ Letters of Recommendation
- ☐ Official transcript

APPLICATION SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Please submit the following documents as a .zip file in an e-mail addressed to ANScholarship@Emerson.com.
The Subject line should state: Emerson Discrete Automation Scholarship Application – (Your Name).
Each file name in the .zip file MUST contain your full name and what the document is. Ex (John Smith – Application).
- • Completed application
- • Two Reference Letters (can be emailed directly from your references or a scanned copy may be submitted)
- • Transcript (must be a scanned copy of your official transcript)
- • Awards and Honors/Extracurricular Activities
- • Employment History
- • Essay

Completed application must be received no later than July 31, 2024.