



2026-2027

Undersea Technology Innovation Consortium Scholarship Opportunity

The Undersea Technology Innovation Consortium (UTIC) is pleased to announce that we will be awarding up to ten (10) \$5,000 scholarships for the 2025-2026 academic year to students pursuing an undergraduate and/or graduate degree in STEM or manufacturing related fields (such as engineering, computer science, cybersecurity, information technology, mathematics, etc.) with a focus on undersea technology.

Eligibility:

- The student must be a matriculating undergrad or grad student enrolled in a STEM or manufacturing field at an accredited college or university located in the U.S.
- The students must be entering their third year of study (or higher) in the 2026-2027 academic year.
- The student must be a U.S. citizen.
- The student must not have been a UTIC scholarship winner in the previous year.

The student **must fully complete and submit the required application including all required supporting documentation by the submission deadline, 24 April 2026.** The application must be completed and submitted by the student, and the student must be willing and available to connect directly with the Scholarship Committee, if necessary. The student essay, resume, and college/university transcript (official **or** unofficial) are required; remaining *optional award criteria should be carefully considered as those evaluation weights are included in the candidate's final overall score.*

Award Criteria with Evaluation Weighting:

- 1) **Student Essay (Required):** The student must demonstrate through their required essay their interest in and passion for an undersea technology focus of study and future career. (Evaluation weighting = 40 points)
- 2) **Resume (Required):** Updated resume indicating employment in the undersea technology/STEM Field (where applicable), civic/volunteer work, and any honors/awards earned (Evaluation weighting = 5 points)
- 3) **College/University Transcripts (Required):** The student's coursework and overall GPA with a concentrated focus on all STEM college-level courses, including those with an undersea technology focus. Official **or** unofficial transcripts will be accepted. (Evaluation weighting = 25 points.)
- 4) **Employment in Undersea Technology/STEM Field (Optional):** Work experience either through full or part time employment, or internships will be considered. (Evaluation

weighting = 5 points)

- 5) **Civic/Volunteer Work (Optional)**: The student's involvement in community service, civic and/or volunteer efforts will be considered. (Evaluation weighting = 5 points)
- 6) **Honors and Awards (Optional)**: The student's achievement through honors and awards will be considered. (Evaluation weighting = 5 points)
- 7) **UTIC Member Affiliation (Optional)**: Recognition will be awarded if a student is an employee or related to an employee at a UTIC member company. (Evaluation weighting = 5 points)
- 8) **Recommendation Letters (Optional)**: Consideration will be given to letters of recommendation provided with the completed submission. (Evaluation weighting = 10 points)

Applications are available at: www.underseatech.org

Send completed application package **as a combined PDF** to:

scholarships@underseatech.org

Or mail to:
UTIC Scholarship
Two Corporate Place
Suite 203
Middletown, RI 02842

Application Deadline: Friday, 24 April 2026

(Mailed applications must be received by this date.)



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**Undersea Technology Innovation Consortium
2026-2027 Scholarship Application**

Name:

Address (permanent):

Temporary (school) Address:

Primary Phone:

E-mail:

College/University:

Major/Minor:

Instructions:

- (1) **Essay & Resume (required):** *In 500 words or less, describe why you are pursuing an undersea technology related STEM or manufacturing degree. Include your specific undersea tech related interests and describe potential career paths. Attach your essay, along with a copy of your resume, to your completed application.*
- (2) **Transcripts and GPA (required):** Attach your most current official or unofficial transcript(s) for college/graduate level coursework, along with cumulative GPA.

Cumulative GPA: _____

- (3) **Recommendation Letters (Optional):** *You may submit up to two letters of recommendation. These letters of recommendation should be limited to one page and must be attached to the completed application submission.*
- (4) **Extracurricular Activity and Civic/Volunteer Work (Optional):** *Attach or list your extra-curricular, civic, service, and volunteer activities.*

(5) **Honors/Awards (Optional):** Attach or list honor and/or awards including the organization, the purpose, and date presented.

(6) **Employment in STEM Field (Optional):** Attach or list work experience either through full or part time employment, or internships. Identify any undersea technology related experiences.

(7) **UTIC Member Affiliation (Optional):** If applicable, provide the following information:

UTIC Member Company:

Member Employee Name:

Relationship of Applicant to UTIC Member Company Employee:

(8) **Recommendation Letters (Optional):** Consideration will be given to letters of recommendation provided with the completed submission. (Evaluation weighting = 10 points)

I certify that the information provided in this application and the documentation attached is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant Signature/e-Signature:

Date: