



XCEL ENERGY 2015 SCHOLARSHIP

\$5,000 scholarship opportunity per academic year

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS SEPTEMBER 15, 2015

ABOUT XCEL ENERGY

As a major U.S. electric and natural gas company, Xcel Energy invests in its core businesses to provide safe, reliable energy at a reasonable price. Xcel Energy also demonstrates its commitment to the health of the communities it serves through community grants, charitable contributions and volunteer time. Xcel Energy has been a supporter of the Minnesota Private College Fund for 63 years.

ELIGIBILITY

- Demonstrated financial need
- Junior or Senior
- Students of color
- Minimum grade point average of 2.8
- Approved majors: mathematics, sciences (excluding pre-professional track sciences), engineering, marketing/advertising, communications and public policy
- Attend one of these Minnesota Private College campuses: Augsburg College; Bethel University; Concordia University, St. Paul; or University of St. Thomas
- Minnesota resident – home residence must be in Xcel Energy service area (see attached list).

The *Xcel Energy Scholarship* is administered through the Minnesota Private College Fund and is available to students meeting the above criteria. Scholarship recipients will also have the opportunity to visit Xcel's Energy's Corporate Headquarters in Minneapolis and apply for summer internships. For more information about the opportunity or questions about the application, contact Jewelly at 651-293-6823 or jlee@mnprivatecolleges.org.



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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Name: _____

Attending: ☐ Augsburg College ☐ Bethel University
☐ Concordia University, St. Paul ☐ University of St. Thomas

Major: _____ GPA: _____

Race/Ethnicity: _____

Permanent/Home Contact Information		Campus Contact Information	
Street:		Street:	
City:		City:	
State:		State:	
Zip:		Zip:	
Home Phone: ()		Campus Phone: ()	
		Cellular Phone: ()	
Alternate E-Mail:		School E-mail:	

Tell us about yourself and your campus involvement. What makes you a good candidate for this scholarship?

What are your future career plans?

What interests you about the energy sector?

Have you had an internship before? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please describe the internship and where you worked.

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EVIDENCE OF FINANCIAL NEED FORM 2015 XCEL ENERGY SCHOLARSHIP

THE FOLLOWING FINANCIAL NEED INFORMATION SHOULD BE
COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT'S FINANCIAL AID OFFICE

If an applicant does not have demonstrated financial need, or does not meet the academic requirement both the student and the financial aid office may inform the selection committee of reasons why the student should be awarded the scholarship anyway.

Applicant Name:	Campus:

Amount of Financial Need: (Please report the amount before any other financial aid awards are applied)	\$
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Information about student's demonstrated financial need or special academic circumstances:

- ☐ The applicant does not qualify for need-based student aid.
The applicant's proposal should nevertheless be considered for the following reason(s):

Authorized by:

Name: _____ Title: _____

Phone number: _____ Campus: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____



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