



Tunnelling Association of Canada
Association canadienne des tunnels



Undergraduate Tunnelling Scholarship
2026 APPLICATION FORM

Each year the Tunnelling Association of Canada (TAC) awards a scholarship to an outstanding undergraduate student in the field of Engineering who is studying at a Canadian University. The scholarship is intended to support undergraduate engineers who have a passion for tunnelling and desire to further develop their skillset and career. To be considered candidates must be Canadian citizens or landed immigrant with permanent resident status.

Candidates for the award will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

1. Demonstrated passion for tunnelling and interest in a career in the tunnelling industry;
2. Membership and involvement in TAC;
3. Involvement in volunteer work in the community and extracurricular activities;
4. Enrolment at a Canadian University in Engineering.

The scholarship includes a **cash prize of \$2,000**, a one-year **TAC membership**, as well as full registration and attendance (including economy travel and accommodation) at the **2026 Montreal World Tunnel Congress (WTC) and the ITA General Assembly**. Your photo will also be posted on the **TAC website** www.tunnelcanada.ca.

To be considered, candidates must submit:

1. A completed application form (see next page)
2. A curriculum vitae (CV); and
3. Most recent university transcript (unofficial transcript acceptable).

The deadline for applications is January 16, 2026. Applications are to be submitted by email to the TAC Scholarship Coordinator scholarships@tunnelcanada.ca. Applications received after the submission deadline may not be considered.

TAC reserves the right to reject any application and award the scholarship accordingly. Furthermore, TAC will not communicate with any applicant during the evaluation period.



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Undergraduate Tunnelling Scholarship – Application Form

Applicant Name: _____

Contact Address: _____

Email: _____ **Phone:** _____

I am a Canadian Citizen ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ No, but I have Permanent Resident Status

I am a TAC Member ☐ Yes ☐ No

University and Department: _____

Department Head and Contact Email: _____

Please provide responses to the following questions:

Note that each response should NOT exceed 250 words

- Describe how you plan to apply the knowledge and skills from your particular educational background to a career in tunnelling.
- Tell us about a tunnel project (past or future) that interests you.
- Describe your involvement in volunteer work in the community and extracurricular activities.

Don't forget to attach:

- A curriculum vitae (CV)
- Most recent university transcript (unofficial transcript acceptable)