

# Military Engineer Leadership Fund

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## AWARD APPLICATION FORM

The Military Engineer Leadership Fund supports active-duty uniformed service members (age 35 and under) with a Civil Engineering degree to attend the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) Younger Member Leadership Symposium (YMLS). The Fund covers the registration fee and up to \$1,200 in travel expenses including transportation and hotel (excluding meals). Two recipients are selected annually.

The ASCE YMLS is a three-day experiential leadership workshop hosted by the Committee on Younger Members (CYM) and scheduled for August 21-23, 2026, at the ASCE headquarters in Reston, Virginia. Designed for Younger Members (age 35 and under), the symposium focuses on personal development and honing early-career professional skills.

### Eligibility Requirements:

To be eligible for the Military Engineer Leadership Fund, applicants must be active-duty members of one of the uniformed services—Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, or Public Health Service—hold a Civil Engineering degree, and be 35 years of age or younger.

### ASCE Membership Information:

Membership is not required for attendance. However, if you are not a member, ASCE offers discounted membership rates for young professionals: \$135.50/year for individuals 28 years old or younger and \$271/year for individuals 29 years or older. Learn more and [become a member](#).

For additional details and donation information, visit [Military Engineer Leadership Fund | ASCE Foundation](#).

**The following application form should be completed in full and emailed to [ascefoundation@asce.org](mailto:ascefoundation@asce.org) by June 30. No applications will be considered post-event.**

### Section 1: Applicant Information

<b>Rank:</b>	<b>First Name:</b>	<b>Last Name:</b>
<b>Telephone Number:</b>		<b>Email Address:</b>
<b>ASCE Membership Number:</b>		<b>Age:</b>
<b>College Degree(s) &amp; Graduation Date:</b>		<b>Uniformed Service:</b>
<b>Have you ever previously applied for funding from ASCE or the ASCE Foundation? If yes, please provide relevant details (include the date, amount requested, event attended, and outcome).</b>		

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## Section 2: Personal Engagement

Summarize your military engineering experience. *(250-word limit)*

Describe your participation in professional societies. *(250-word limit)*

How will attending the ASCE YMLS contribute to your professional development?  
*(250-word limit)*

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## Section 3: Declaration & Consent

I hereby state that all information contained within this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

If selected, I agree to:

- Submit a report on your experience (500-word limit) with up to two images within 4 weeks of the event.
- Promote the opportunity to attend the annual symposium to other military young members.
- Allow ASCE and the ASCE Foundation to use my image and testimonial for promotional and fundraising purposes.

I understand that:

- I hereby state that all information contained within this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge
- Reimbursement of expenses requires submission of receipts.
- ASCE is not liable for any personal injury, loss, or damages incurred during travel or attendance.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_