The NIU-NECA Student Chapter Scholarship

The purpose of this award is to provide support for current NIU-NECA Student Chapter students enrolled in the College of Engineering and Engineering Technology who are pursuing a degree in either Electrical Engineering or Electrical Engineering Technology at Northern Illinois University.

**The Award:**
Two scholarships valued at $500 each for the academic year. This award is given at the end of the academic year to recognize the recipients’ contributions to the NECA Student Chapter for the past year. Prior recipients are eligible to apply for additional awards in subsequent years. The award may be applied to tuition, academic fees, required text, and room/board.

**Eligibility:**
- Candidates must be enrolled at NIU as full-time undergraduate students. Full-time is defined as a minimum of 12 semester hours of course work per semester.
- Candidates must be a declared major in Electrical Engineering or Electrical Engineering Technology.
- Candidates must have a NIU minimum overall GPA of 2.00.
- The quality of a student’s prior academic record will be evaluated based on such criteria as the strength of prior coursework, other academic performance, professional experience, recommendations received on behalf of the applicant and interest in a professional career in the field of electrical contracting (which should be addressed in the personal statement).
- Candidates must be an active member of the NIU-NECA Student Chapter for a minimum of one full semester.

**Requirements:**
- Recipients must have earned a minimum of 12 semester hours for the previous Fall and/or Spring semesters.
- Recipients must maintain a NIU cumulative GPA of 2.00.

**Honoree:**
The Northern Illinois University-NECA Student Chapter Scholarship, in recognition of Dr. Veysel Demir, is set up for those students who are interested in a career in Electrical Engineering and/or Engineering Technology.

It is through the generosity of Northeastern Illinois Chapter, NECA and current Student Chapter Faculty Advisor, Dr. Veysel Demir that this scholarship is being established.