**Iron Range/UMD Graduate Engineering Education Program**

**Mining Scholarship Application**

**This scholarship application is for a student pursuing a Mining or Related Engineering Degree and will cover tuition and fees ranging up to $6500/year for up to 4 years for enrollment in approved course work in the Iron Range/UMD Graduate Engineering Education Program pursuing a Mining or Related Engineering Degree. The award expires if not used within two academic years of the award date.**

**Fall 2017 Deadline for submission: 9/18/17**

**Minimum Criteria:**

* **Pursuing a Mining or Related Engineering Degree at the University of Minnesota-Duluth**
* **Undergraduate degree (earned or expected) in an engineering discipline or related field such as chemistry, computer science, geology, physics, etc.**
* **Currently enrolled in, or planning to enroll in, approved course work in the Iron Range/UMD Graduate Engineering Education Program**
* **Living and working on the Minnesota Iron Range**

**Evaluation of this application including the clarity, completeness, and content of your essay.**

Please complete this application form. Return to:

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Iron Range/UMD Graduate Engineering Education Program

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Scan and email: [mbenda@d.umn.edu](mailto:mbenda@d.umn.edu)

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| **Name** |  |
| **Date Application Submitted** |  |
| **Mailing Address:**  ***Street: City: State: Zip Code*** |  |
| **Home Telephone Number** |  |
| **Cell Number** |  |
| **E-mail Address** |  |
| **Education**  **Colleges & Graduate Schools** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Degree(s) /Date of Graduation** |  | | **Undergraduate Program** | **Chemical** **, Civil** **, Electrical and Computer** **, Industrial** **, Mechanical**   **Other** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | **UMD I.D. Number If Applicable** |  | | **Current status in the Iron Range/UMD Graduate Engineering Education Program and/or the UMD Professional Master of Engineering Degree Program** |  | |
| **Current Employment and Responsibilities** |  |

If awarded a scholarship, you will have to provide your Social Security Number

**Write a personal essay in which you summarize how your degree relates to Mining. Also provide your academic and professional background, licensure as appropriate, and professional and academic honors or awards you have received. Your essay should include your academic and personal achievements and your aspirations for the future and the anticipated impact of the Iron Range/UMD Graduate Engineering Education Program on these aspirations.**

* **Essay must be word processed. Correct spelling and grammar are important.**
* **Application must be typed or printed legibly.**
* **Your personal statement may not exceed two pages-include your name on each page.**

**I certify that the information in this application is complete and accurate**

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*Signature and Date*

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