John O. Ashford III Memorial Endowment – grant for Mechanical Capstone course projects

The UH College of Technology is pleased to announce an opportunity for students enrolled in the Mechanical Engineering Technology capstone course to apply for funding for their capstone project from the John O. Ashford III Memorial Endowment.

The endowment was initiated in 2008 to honor the life of John O. Ashford III. John was a dedicated student and 2005 alumnus of the MET program. His family and friends came together to raise funds for this memorial endowment to provide funding in support of Mechanical Engineering Technology capstone design project teams.

Funding amount varies by year based on the value of the endowment and will be announced each Fall semester.

To apply for the grant, please complete the attached application and include your senior project proposal. Preference will be given to projects with the greatest financial need, as well as those which will be entered in ASME competitions.

Deadline to apply is Monday, April 27, 2015 by 5:00 PM. Applications should be returned to the Academic Services Center, room 108 T1.

Questions on the grant should be directed to Vernon King, Director of Development, veking@uh.edu.
NOTE: This form should be completed in ink or typed. The application deadline is Monday, April 27, 2015 at 5:00 PM. All applications should be returned to the Academic Services Center, room 108 T1.

Date of Application: ____________________________

DEMOGRAPHICS

Last Name: ______________________    First Name:  _________________ Middle Initial:  ______
MyUH ID: ______________________    Email Address:  ________________________________
Street Address: ___________________    City:  _______________ State:  ____ Zip:  _______
Home Phone:  ___________________   Cell Phone:  _______________   Work:  ________________
College of Technology Major:   __________________________   Minor: ___________________

PROPOSAL INFORMATION

Please complete the information below in its entirety. Your senior project proposal must be attached with this application. Proposal should include: abstract, statement of problem, project outline, project outcome & benefits.

Project Title:  _________________________________________________________________________

Team Members:  ____________________________            __________________________________

Project Financial Goal:  _______________________  Industry sponsor: __________________

Amount raised to date: ________________________   Gap to goal: _______________________

Project Significance: (Please specify if you will enter an ASME competition)
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Research Question(s):
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Project Plan: (describe how you will use these funds if awarded)
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NOTE: Applications will not be accepted and will be considered incomplete if your proposal is not attached. The deadline for the scholarship is April 27 at 5:00 PM.
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