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School of Mechanical & Materials Engineering



Paul Booker, Othello, WA

In the middle of my sophomore year, I changed majors which left me ineligible for scholarships I earned in my previous course of study. The MME department promptly matched the scholarship amount that I had received earlier. I am a fifth-year senior about to graduate. The MME department continued my financial support allowing my wife and me to remain full time students. I can afford to spend time talking to professors and studying to get the most out of my courses.



Eva Valentina McGowan, Seattle, WA

Scholarship support helped me make the decision to attend WSU. I returned to school out of the workforce to study engineering. I worked very hard and am now one of the top students in Material Science and Engineering and very active in student clubs. I am president of the award-winning ASM/TMS student chapter and part of AIAA. Scholarship support gives me personal pride in being recognized for my scholastic and extracurricular accomplishments.



Daniel Jarboe, Pullman, WA

The scholarship that I received from MME encouraged and motivated me to continue to do my best work and strive to excel in my studies. The award makes me feel as if my efforts are recognized and rewarded. The scholarship has helped by decreasing the amount of loans that my wife and I are forced to undertake. It has also enabled us to afford a couple of additional academic resources such as engineering software and extra books. We really appreciate the financial support and encouragement that this has given us.



Leland Weiss, Iowa City, IA

I graduated from Carnegie-Mellon University in 1999 and spent three years working in industry at Caterpillar Inc.'s Engine Research Center. I learned a great deal there but decided to return to school. WSU was attractive because of the research programs, education, and attention to students. My scholarship makes clear the School's commitment to attracting a diverse and qualified student body while helping me defray the costs of living.