JOHN F. DONOHOE
SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The General Contractors Association of New York ("GCA") has established the John F. Donohoe Scholarship Fund, in memory of our former president. Mr. Donohoe had a long and prestigious career in the heavy civil construction industry, rising to the position of chairman of Moretrench American Corporation. Mr. Donohoe was president of the GCA, the Associated General Contractors of America and other organizations. He championed the civil engineering profession, and was a mentor to all who had the privilege of working with him. In recognition of his outstanding contributions to the civil engineering field, in 2009 he received the American Society for Civil Engineering’s OPAL award, the ASCE’s highest honor. The GCA’s scholarship program will continue Mr. Donohoe’s dedication toward assisting students in their pursuit of a civil engineering career.

A $5,000 scholarship will be awarded to a current junior year civil engineering student. To be considered, interested students should submit the following:

- Resume
- Transcript
- Short recommendation from a professor
- Double spaced, two page essay on the following topic:

  In an editorial published on June 7, 2010, Engineering News Record commented that “…engineering as a profession involves an obligation to the greater good of society.” What does this statement mean to you and how do you think the civil engineering profession contributes to society’s greater good?

Essays will be evaluated by a committee of GCA member contractors and finalist candidates may be selected for a personal interview with the selection committee.

The deadline for receipt of materials for consideration is October 5, 2011.

Please submit application materials to:

The General Contractors Association of New York
60 East 42nd Street, Room 3510
New York, NY 10165
Attn: Scholarship Program

Or email to: gcamail@gcany.net