

British Tunnelling Society



MSc in Tunnelling Bursary 2011

What is available?

The British Tunnelling Society is making available up to 6 No. Bursaries with a value of £3,000 each. These bursaries will be available for the 2011/12 MSc course and it is intended that they will be paid to the University of Warwick as part payment for the course fees.

Am I eligible?

- You must be intending to undertake the MSc in tunnelling at University of Warwick, beginning in October 2011
- You must hold an engineering or mining based degree
- You must be a UK resident

When do I apply?

- Applications for the Bursary for 2011 will be accepted up until 31st July 2011

How do I apply?

To apply, you must complete an application form (available on the BTS website at www.britishtunnelling.org.uk) and then send it to the BTS Secretary at the ICE, either by email at bts@ice.org.uk, or by post at the Institution of Civil Engineers, One Great George St, London SW1P 3AA.

What are we looking for?

The British Tunnelling Society wants to develop more engineers with tunnelling knowledge and is looking for students who are committed to tunnelling and who have the potential to excel as tunnel engineers. Desired qualities are:

- Academic ability
- Leadership potential
- Aptitude for teamwork
- Ambition
- Initiative
- An interest in tunnelling

What happens to my application?

After the application deadline, all completed applications are assessed by the BTS Committee, who will then select a number of applicants to attend an interview.

All applicants will be contacted via email by 31st August to inform them if they have been invited to the interview day. The decision will be final and feedback to individuals who are not selected for interview will not be given.

When are the interview days?

The interview day will be held in September 2011 either in London or at the University of Warwick.

What happens at the interview day?

Each applicant will have an interview with representatives from the BTS Committee.

When do I find out if I have been awarded a bursary?

All applicants will be informed via email whether or not they have been awarded a bursary by the end of September 2011.