

January 2009

**3M is pleased to announce sponsorship of a scholarship for
excellence in Acoustic Engineering.**

3M will award \$5,000 scholarships to two outstanding graduate (MS/PhD) level students. The purpose of the scholarship is to recognize students for their high level of achievement in the Acoustic Sciences field of study, contributions to the profession, and their intent to pursue careers in noise, vibration, harshness, shock and thermal engineering.

The students must submit applications that clearly illustrate:

- ◆ demonstrable academic achievement in the field of noise, vibration, harshness, thermal and shock management
- ◆ their intent to pursue a professional career in this discipline

Please display the enclosed poster immediately and encourage qualified students to apply. Application is also posted on the internet at:

www.thinsulate.com

www.earsc.com

Recipients will be chosen on the basis of academic achievement, related work experience, and professional goals. Students must be residents of the US.

An application and other information are enclosed. Please make this available to qualified, interested students.

The deadline for applications to be received at 3M is March 31, 2009. Entries received after this date will not be considered.

The recipients will be announced during the SAE Noise and Vibration Conference, May 2009.

All questions should be directed to: Bronwen Kleissler, 3M Center Building 235-2E-57, St. Paul, MN 55144. Tel: 651-736-6930.

Thank you for your participation

Sincerely,

Bronwen Kleissler
Global Portfolio Manager
3M Acoustic, Thermal and Shock Solutions

3M ACOUSTIC, THERMAL AND SHOCK SOLUTIONS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

DEADLINE: March 31, 2009

Please type or print clearly:

Date: _____

Full Name: _____

Present Home Address: _____

Phone: _____

Permanent Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____

U.S. citizen/permanent resident

Present Status in Grad School Program: _____

Please attach the following:

1. **Cover Letter:** A brief statement on why you qualify for this scholarship and the impact you will have on the profession. This should be about 250 words, describing your career development, commitment to the profession, and financial need.
2. **Educational Background:** A list of relevant information in chronological order, most current first. Include name of school and highest degree attained, if any, and years of attendance. Please include a copy of your current transcripts.
3. **Work Experience:** A short description of related work experience.
4. **Honors:** A list as complete as you believe necessary.
5. **Association activities:** A list that includes the dates of membership, offices held, and committees on which you have served, in national, state, and local associations.

Letters of recommendation: Provide 1-2 letters of recommendation from meaningful sources. Be certain to include addresses and phone numbers.

**Please return application to: 3M Acoustic, Thermal and Shock Solutions
US Scholarship Program
Bldg. 235-2E-57
St. Paul, MN 55144**