



MINES | McNeil Center for Entrepreneurship and Innovation

The McNeil Center is pleased to fund scholarships in the amount of \$500 for undergraduate and graduate students who enroll in Innov8x courses (EDNS 444/544/DSC, MNGN 566).

Applicant must:

- Enroll in any Innov8x course section or studio
- Be a self-starter who demonstrates taking initiative
- Be flexible and adaptable
- Be motivated to solve messy problems that matter to businesses

We have 2 scholarships available:

1. The Johnson Family Fund is established for the purpose of nurturing an entrepreneurial mindset among undergraduate students enrolled at Mines by providing competitive scholarship awards to undergraduate students enrolled at Mines. Preference shall be given to undergraduate students majoring in **chemical engineering, geophysics or geological engineering who enroll in any Innov8x course, lab, or studio**. May be renewable for up to three years of undergraduate studies.
2. The Andrea Wescott and Steve Kenney Fund is established for the purpose of providing support for Innov8x programs in the McNeil Center for Entrepreneurship and Innovation (E&I). Andrea Wescott and her partner, Steve Kenney, believe the Innov8x programs prepare students to be creative thinkers in a fast-paced global workforce. This scholarship is for all students as Andrea and Steve know that the next Elon Musk will be launched by Innov8x at Mines.

In lieu of an application, we are requiring an email to innovation@mines.edu from the student that includes their contact information and a short paragraph on something innovative that they've done or are currently working on (a visual image with descriptors is also acceptable). This is becoming more competitive, so please put some thought into your paragraph. Scholarship funds are deposited into student's Mines account after Census Day.