

# **TCNT Rail~Volution Scholarship Program**

**2016 Rail~Volution Scholarship applications will open with registration in June 2016.**

TCNT offers a limited number of scholarships to professionals in the DFW area working on transportation and land-use issues with special consideration for students, citizen activists and transportation advocates.

Scholarships awarded are for conference registration and a \$500 travel stipend.

**Scholarship awards will be announced early August 2016.**



**Rail~Volution 2016**  
**October 9-12, 2016**  
**Bay Area, CA**

**Application Deadline:**  
**Thursday, July 28, 2016**

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## 2016 Rail~Volution Scholarship Application Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Role/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a student or will you be in the fall (yes or no)? \_\_\_\_\_

### 1. Request for Conference Support

Please check the appropriate line and fill in the amount of assistance you are requesting.

Scholarships are for travel and registration only.

Registration Amount Requested:      \$  
\_\_\_\_\_

Amount Requested:      \$  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Total Amount Requested:**      \$  
\_\_\_\_\_

**2. Tell us about yourself. Why do you want to go to Rail~Volution in 2016?  
(100 words or less)**

**3. How would a scholarship assist you in attending Rail~Volution? (100 words or less)**

**4. How will you use the information gained at the conference to enhance citizen activism and to promote transit in your community? (100 words or less)**

**5. Organizational Information (N/A if not affiliated with an organization): Describe your organization, including information about its age, mission, goals and activities.**

5a. Organization's annual budget (Select One):

5b. Can you or your organization provide financial assistance or match funds toward your Rail~Volution registration and/or travel expenses. If so, how much?

Hotel:                 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Travel:                \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Registration:         \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**6. Student Information (N/A if not a student): Please describe your major, degree of study, and your professional aspirations:**

6a. Do you have an internship; are you volunteering with an organization? Please describe:

**7. Are you a member of a local, activist organization? Describe your involvement with the organization:**

**8. In 100 words or less, please identify two major trends in the transportation industry:**

**9. In 100 words or less, please explain how public transportation impacts your community.**

**10. How are you willing to spread the word about what you learned at Rail~Volution? How will you share what you have learned?**

**11. How did you hear about Rail~Volution?**