If you are a student member of the Institute of Transportation Engineers and currently enrolled in a graduate program in the state of Illinois, you are invited to submit a written paper on a transportation engineering topic for consideration in the 2013 ITE Illinois Section Student Paper Award competition.

**AWARD**
- $1,000 Scholarship
- Hosted as a guest of honor at the ITE Illinois Section Annual Dinner Banquet in early 2014
- Plaque of Recognition
- Represents the Illinois Section in the Midwest District Student Paper Contest

**PAPER SUBMITTAL**
- Papers may be submitted in hard copy or electronically using the contact information below. Deadline for receipt of the student paper entries is Friday, November 29, 2013, at 11:59pm. If the entry is received after this date, it will not be considered.

**ELIGIBILITY**
- Must be a student member of ITE during the period between April 1, 2013 and November 29, 2013 and enrolled in a graduate program in the state of Illinois.
- Must have completed the work that provides the basis for the paper while a student member of ITE.
- Must be the only author. No co-authors.

**PAPER TOPIC & FORMAT**
- Address a subject in the field of transportation engineering.
- Manuscripts must be submitted in English.
- Maximum length: 15 double-spaced, typed pages. This page limit also includes title page, table of contents and any attachments.
- Title page must have the title of the paper plus the author’s name and contact information and “ITE Midwest District”.

**EVALUATION CRITERIA**
- Originality – 20%
- Significance: Potential to contribute to the field of transportation – 20%
- Scope and Format: Technical and textual report structure, clarity, and writing style – 20%
- Validity: Technical soundness – 20%
- Applicability: Capacity for real-world use – 20%

To submit a student paper or obtain more information, please contact:
Ryan Jacox, IL ITE Student Affairs Director, c/o TranSystems
1475 E. Woodfield Road, Suite 600 Schaumburg, IL 60173
rpjacox@transystems.com
(847) 407-5251