**FAST FORWARD TO ILLINOIS TECH**

**Program Description:**
Illinois Tech wants to stay connected and support the academic experience of interested students who start their college career at a local community college. Through peer mentorship, advising, and personal/professional development opportunities both on and off campus, FastForward to Illinois Tech allows community college students to get acclimated to the Illinois Tech campus and the programs of study offered.

**Application Information:**

![Apply now](image)

**Helpful Resources:**
- Transfer Guides
- Transfer Scholarships
- Presidential Scholarship
- List of Majors

**Other CCC-IIT Partnerships:**
- Pathway Partner
- Transfer Scholars
- STAR Scholars

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**Benefits**

- Academic and career coaching services
- Guidance in preparing transferable course credits and a transfer schedule
- Personal and professional development opportunities on Illinois Tech’s campus
- Mentorship from an upper-level Illinois Tech transfer student in your major
- Opportunities to take summer courses at Illinois Tech
- Invitations to on-campus Illinois Tech student events throughout the year
- Chicago STAR Scholars are eligible for a $25,000 scholarship. [Read more](#).

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PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Program Description:
Inspired by a series of conversations with Chancellor Cheryl Hyman (IIT, CS 1996) of the City Colleges of Chicago and the presidents of the City Colleges of Chicago, in 2010 Illinois Institute of Technology announced a major new scholarship and educational outreach initiative — the Presidential Scholarship. Through this initiative, IIT is determined to substantially redefine pipeline initiatives in the science, engineering, architecture, technology, business and human science fields. Collaborating institutions and organizations are committed to serve as a catalyst to support students toward their goals to conduct undergraduate research and earn advanced professional and academic degrees. Scholars in turn are asked to significantly engage with their K-12 and community college communities to encourage and empower others towards educational success.

Application Information:
Students must receive a nomination from their Dean or College President
1. Apply to IIT
2. Complete the Presidential Scholarship form
3. Submit the form and required essays

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Benefits
- 25,000 annual tuition scholarship award
- $5,000 annual housing scholarship award to support on-campus residence at the university.

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