



WPI

WPI Yellow Ribbon Program Application ***Graduate students***

2023-2024 Academic Year

WPI has entered into an agreement with the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to participate in the Yellow Ribbon Program during the 2023-2024 academic year. WPI will award a maximum of 50 Yellow Ribbon scholarships to eligible undergraduate and graduate students combined. The maximum award per year will be \$35,000 (will not exceed full tuition when combined with other WPI merit and need based aid and Post 9/11 VA benefits funding), half funded by WPI and the matching award provided by the VA. Students who had this funding in the prior academic year will be given priority to receive benefits under the Yellow Ribbon Program:

You must be eligible for the Post 9/11 GI Bill at the 100% benefit rate. For benefits information, please visit: <http://www.gibill.va.gov/>

- 1). You must submit an application for Post 9/11 benefits to the Department of Veterans Affairs. You can do this online at <http://www.gibill.va.gov> or by calling 1-888-GIBILL1 (1-888-442-4551). You will receive a Certificate of Eligibility explaining the VA's decision regarding your eligibility for the Yellow Ribbon program.
- 2). You must submit a copy of your Certificate of Eligibility to WPI along with this completed application.

Instructions: Complete all information requested on this form and email or fax to the email address/fax number below:

FAX - (508) 831-5039
Email: finaid@wpi.edu
WPI Office of Financial Aid
Bartlett Center
100 Institute Road

Worcester, MA 01609

Last Name

First Name

WPI ID#

Expected date of graduation _____ (Month/Year)

(This section must be completed in order for your application to be considered complete)

Enrollment plans for: **Fall 2023 semester** _____ # credits

Spring 2024 semester _____ # credits

(This section must be completed in order for your application to be considered complete)

In addition to the WPI Yellow Ribbon Program Application, the following documents must be on file in the WPI Office of Financial Aid in order for your WPI Yellow Ribbon Application to be considered complete.

- 1). 2023-2024 FAFSA
 (<https://fafsa.ed.gov/>)

- 2). 2023-2024 WPI Graduate Student Financial Aid Application
 (<https://wpi.tfaforms.net/f/graduate-loan-application>)

Applications will be reviewed upon submission of all requested documents.

Student Signature _____

Date _____