

Call for Papers: ISTT Albert Shou Student Scholarship 2026

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We are excited to announce the ISTT Albert Shou Student Scholarship for the year 2026. This scholarship is designed to support students who present outstanding papers at the International No Dig event.

Submission Guidelines:

- Eligibility: Applicants must be enrolled students with a valid student ID.
- Paper Submission: To apply, submit a full paper in the required format ([download](#)) using the designated [Submission Form](#).
- Deadline: All submissions must be received by September 10, 2026.
- Review Process: Papers will be reviewed by the ISTT.
- Announcement of Results: The results will be announced soon after the closing date.

About the ISTT Albert Shou Student Scholarship



I. Establishment:

The ISTT Albert Shou Student Scholarship is established by [Asoe Hose Manufacturing Inc.](#) of Jiangsu China (ASOE) with an annual fund of \$10,000. This scholarship will be funded for a minimum of three years.

II. Purpose:

The scholarship fund aims to support students by:

- Encouraging submissions of papers for the International No Dig event.
- Recognizing the best papers with awards.

III. Eligibility for Scholarship Funds:

To be eligible for the scholarship, students must:

- Submit an original paper.
- Have the submission approved by the local Affiliated Society.
- Have their paper selected as either the **Best Paper** or an **Awarded Paper** by the ISTT judging panel.

(Note: The winner will have the opportunity to present their paper at the International No-Dig Auckland (27-29 October), but the form of presentation can be negotiated at a later date. Please note that no separate travel or accommodation allowance is provided; any costs associated with attending must be covered by the cash award or self-funded.)

IV. Scholarship Distribution:

The total scholarship fund of \$10,000 may be awarded as follows:

1. Best Paper Award: \$4,000 to one recipient.
2. Awarded Papers: \$2,000 each to three recipients.

Note: ISTT reserves the right to amend and distribute the scholarship funds as determined by the ISTT judging panel.

If the number of qualifying papers does not meet the criteria above, unallocated funds will be reserved for future scholarship years.

We encourage all eligible students to participate and submit their papers for this valuable opportunity. For any questions or further information, please feel free to contact us at istt@istt.com.

We look forward to your submissions!

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