The ASCE Wives organization disbanded in 1985 and turned over the balance of their funds to the Section in the hope that the money could be used for a scholarship for a Woman Civil Engineering student. They did note the funds would not provide sufficient funding for a scholarship but should be used for some purchase or award commensurate with the Wives’ request. At the February 6, 1986 Board meeting the "ASCE Student Chapter Service Award" was established to be given annually to one student member of ASCE who is a junior at CWRU, CSU and YSU. The prize to each student was to be in the amount of $50. Initial funding came from the donation to the treasury by the former ASCE Wives organization. By Board action of April 2, 1987, the original motion was amended to limit the award to the schools in the Cleveland area (CWRU and CSU). The award was given for the first time in the Spring of 1987 to students at CWRU and CSU. At the April 13, 2016 board meeting the award was changed to a scholarship with funding to be increased and provided by the scholarship committee funds.

AWARD PRESENTATION
Scholarship awards consisting of a check in an amount agreed to by the board and award plaque shall be presented to recipients at an ASCE Event with the preference for presentation event in the following order:

1. Annual student dinner meeting traditionally held in April.
2. Section Annual dinner if held during the school year.
3. Any event between the annual student dinner and the end of the school year.
4. Via mail if the above events are not feasible.

SELECTION CRITERIA
1. Awarded to one student at Case Western Reserve University and one student at Cleveland State University
2. Winner shall be selected by the ASCE faculty advisor based on service to The Society.
3. Awarded to an ASCE student member currently in their junior year.