Note to MIS Students:

American Truck & Rail Audits (AMTR) is a private company in North Little Rock founded in 1979 by Ed Scott and Mike Lasiter. The CEO is Shan Scott. MIS knows of this company because Ed is the father of **Dr. Summer Bartczak** and Shan is her brother. The company is simultaneously part accounting, part logistics and part information technology. They examine (audit) invoices paid by clients for moving freight (by truck or rail) for discrepancies and overcharges. When they find overcharges, they initiate recovery efforts. AMTR receives a percentage of the recovered funds. I’m sure I’m not telling the whole story, and any errors are mine. But AMTR is offering two scholarships: one for MIS majors and one for Supply Chain concentration (Management or Marketing). The information below is for the MIS scholarship.

**MIS Scholarship ($500)**

**Criteria:**

1. Junior or senior full-time student majoring in MIS or Information Systems.

2. Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.

3. Submit an application package (by February 15th).

Selection is based on academic performance and extracurricular/work activities with consideration given to demonstrated need. Preference is given to those students who have also taken any supply chain emphasis classes. Winners of this scholarship may also be invited to apply for intern or permanent positions with the company.

Application packages for this scholarship should consist of a cover letter addressing the criteria for the award (academic performance including overall & majors GPA and supply chain classes taken, extracurricular/work activities, and need basis if any) and a current resume. The cover letter should be addressed to the AMTR Scholarship Committee. The packages should be emailed to Stephanie Childers ([schilders@amtr.com](mailto:schilders@amtr.com)) at American Truck & Rail Audits, Inc. **NLT 15 February** of each year.