



December 1, 2023

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Dear Luke,

I am delighted to inform you of your admission to Thomas Jefferson University – East Falls Campus as a resident student in the **BSE in Mechanical Engineering** program for the **Fall 2024** semester.

You have been admitted to the Honors Institute which includes numerous benefits and opportunities for our high-achieving students to enhance their education at Jefferson, and your admission is a direct reflection of your exceptional academic achievements. Your motivation and drive are evident in the success you have achieved thus far in your educational career.

You have been awarded a \$24,500 Honors Scholarship. This scholarship will be applied to your tuition for your first four years of your full time, day undergraduate study in the BSE in Mechanical Engineering program. Your Honors Scholarship is renewable each year provided you maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.25 or higher and make sufficient progress towards completion of Honors requirements. Over the course of your undergraduate study, Jefferson is pleased to make this \$98,000 investment in your education.

Please note that many academic programs at Jefferson require the completion of the COVID-19 vaccine series to ensure that you are in compliance with the mandates of clinical or other training sites. Students for whom the COVID-19 vaccine is required will be prompted to submit proof of vaccine or to file for a medical or religious exemption prior to the start of their term.

If you are required to submit proof of COVID-19 vaccine, note that some clinical or other training sites also require students, including visiting students, be “up-to-date” with COVID-19 vaccines (“up-to-date” is defined by CDC as having completed a COVID-19 primary vaccination series and the most recent booster) and you are therefore strongly encouraged to remain “up-to-date” with your COVID-19 vaccines. Lastly, if you pursue and receive a medical or religious exemption, there is no guarantee that this exemption will carry into clinical or internship settings and you are advised that your exemption status may disrupt your educational plan of study and cause a delay in academic progression. For your reference, the current policy can be found at:

<https://www.jefferson.edu/life-at-jefferson/handbooks/health-safety/covid-19-vaccination-policy.html>.

Given the highly competitive nature of your admission offer, please notify our office if you have any substantial changes to your academic or disciplinary records; while we are confident that your educational career prior to joining Jefferson will continue to be stellar, please note that the University reserves the right to withdraw your offer of admission in the event that (1) you show a significant drop in academic performance, (2) you fail to graduate (if your program requires a high school diploma or college degree), (3) you misrepresented yourself in the application process or (4) the University learns that you have engaged in behavior prior to enrollment that indicates a serious lack of judgment or integrity. In addition, please understand that your offer of admission and any merit based awards you may qualify for are contingent upon the program you were admitted to. If you wish to change your intended major, please contact our Office of Admissions to discuss any possible implications this change may have on your offer.

At Jefferson, we are dedicated to the development of the total person. As a member of the new class, you will join with others who are seeking a university committed to the intellectual and personal growth of its students. We look forward to sharing in that commitment with you and your fellow classmates.

In order to confirm your enrollment, please complete "Accept or Decline Your Offer of Admission" under the Forms header on your MyJefferson portal at my.jefferson.edu/account at any time. However, to secure your seat at Jefferson, please reply no later than 11:59 p.m. EST on June 1, 2024.

Once again Luke, on behalf of the entire campus community, congratulations and welcome!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'John Witherington', written over a horizontal line.

John Witherington
Director of Admissions