

Hello!

I'm Riley Grant, one of Madeleine Grant's Nephews.

I studied Civil Engineering in College, which I understand you are going to do too! In this USB are some textbooks, I'm honestly unsure how many, if any, will be useful. Professors tend to have the books they like, so it can vary by professor in addition to school. However, hopefully at least one will be relevant.

My program had a general first year engineering, no civil-specific classes. That folder contains all those textbooks. Things like Solidworks for 3d design on a computer, a little bit of C++ for some programming knowledge, and possibly some AutoCAD.

The math folder contains math textbooks. These might be useful, as math tends to not change very much. My program required quite a bit of math for civil engineers, so much so that adding a whole math minor only needed 2 additional classes. These have a good chance of getting used I'd think.

The RHG_Textbooks folder contains PDFs that I used for various classes. Generally, these were found by googling "textbook_name pdf", and then trying older and older editions until I found a safe place to download a copy (never open a .exe from an untrusted site!, but .pdfs are harmless). The good part about Civil Engineering is that it hasn't changed very much. Newer editions of textbooks are largely a scam, the example problems get reordered, but the content is the same. Any professor worth their salt, in my humble opinion, will gladly allow, and even encourage, obtaining an older edition. Physical older editions are often incredibly cheap, and even more often, free as PDFs on the internet.

Happy studying! Feel free to reach out if you have any questions about the Civil field in general. I don't bite.

Best,

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