



2016-2017 Scholarship Recipient

*Employees of Foushée & Associates,
Inc. Construction Training and Education Fund
James P. Crutcher Endowment Scholarship*



Ashley McGrady

Senior, Renton Technical College

Ashley is working toward her Associates Degree in Construction Management from Renton Technical College. She works full time at Sellen Construction as a field engineer on the Rufus 2.0 project in South Lake Union.

Ashley was born and raised in Washington. Growing up, she loved drawing and creating, so she considered an architecture career. After high-school graduation, she started working for the family real-estate business, but left the business to pursue an education in fashion design in San Francisco. She loved problem solving and the creativity involved in the program, but realized it was not the best fit. She eventually made her way back to Seattle and found employment with Sellen as an administrative assistant.

Sellen has helped coach Ashley along her path from an administrative assistant, to project assistant working out on site, to field coordinator focusing on field-related tasks. Her goal was to transition into a field engineer position upon graduation, but Sellen's internal coaching coupled with her ongoing course load, allowed her the opportunity of an early promotion to her current position. She said she has loved every minute of it so far.