Association for Women Geoscientists Osage Chapter Undergraduate Scholarship

Invites applications from undergraduate women pursuing research experience in the geosciences for merit based research grants of up to $500

Scholarship Deadline is April 15th, 2014 by 5 pm

Who may apply?

Applicant must be a female, undergraduate student majoring in one of the following disciplines:

- Environmental science
- Hydrogeology
- Physical Geography
- Geology
- Geophysics
- Geoarchaeology
- Paleoecology
- Paleoclimatology
- Geoscience museum studies
- Paleontology/Evolution

- Applicant’s proposed research project must be supervised by a faculty advisor. Scholarship funds will be available by May 1, 2014, and the research project should be completed by May 1, 2015.
- Membership in AWG is NOT required. However, if you receive a scholarship it is expected that you will become a member of the national AWG organization.

How to apply:

- Complete the application form, a one-page description of your research goals, and a budget outline (see guidelines below).
- Enclose an original letter of support from your research supervisor (faculty member for individual research, graduate student for research assistant) in a sealed envelope that is signed across the flap. For research assistants – you still need a faculty advisor signature on the application page as well.
- Enclose a transcript of your coursework (can be a Degree Progress Report form).
- Turn in completed application to Geology Office, Rm 120, Lindley Hall.
- Scholarship recipients must present a research talk at an AWG colloquium session (10-15 min) at the end of the spring 2015 semester AND participate in at least ONE AWG event for the 2014-2015 academic year. AWG RESERVES THE RIGHT TO RESCIND AWARDS IF SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS ARE NOT MET.
- Please email Blair Schneider (bensonbe@ku.edu) with any questions.
AWG Osage Chapter Undergraduate Research Scholarship Application

Application form, research description and budget, transcript, and letter of recommendation must be received by April 15, 2014.

Name: _____________________________________________________________

Address: ___________________________________________________________

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Telephone: ___________________________________________________________

Email: ________________________________________________________________

Institution Attending: _________________________________________________

Program/Major: _______________________________________________________

Individual Research or Research Assistant: ________________________________

Project Title: _________________________________________________________

Please complete the project description on a separate page as described below.

Faculty advisor signature and date:

____________________________________________________________________

Applicant signature and date:

____________________________________________________________________

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: On a separate, single page, describe the research goals that this project will fund. If conducting your own individual research, all hypotheses, methods, goals, and significance must be clearly stated. If serving as a research assistant for a graduate student, the project summary and your duties as an assistant must be clearly stated IN YOUR OWN WORDS. Projects may also include workshops that will apply to your research. Project descriptions should include the project title and applicant’s name. Descriptions must contain 1” margins on all sides; single spacing, 12 point font, and MUST NOT exceed one page.

PROJECT BUDGET: On the budget sheet below, please provide a budget for the proposed work. Support may go towards costs associated with fieldwork, equipment, analytical work, and other expenses at the discretion of the scholarship selection committee. Please let us know what other matching funds (if any) that you are applying for, and be specific about what you are requesting funding from AWG for.
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Total Projected Costs

Amount Anticipated from OTHER sources

Amount Requested from AWG

Please group your items into travel, equipment, analytical work, or other. Provide a detailed description of this item in the third column.