

The Association for Women Geoscientists, Salt Lake Chapter and the AWG Foundation are pleased announce availability of the **2017 Susan Ekdale Memorial Field Camp Scholarship**

A \$3000 scholarship will be awarded to a female geoscience student to help defray field camp expenses*.

TO APPLY: e-mail application as a .PDF or Word file to janaewallace@utah.gov

- 1) A one- to two-page (**MAXIMUM**) typed, double-spaced <u>essay</u>, that includes
 - A description of personal and academic highlights.
 - A description of how you plan to apply your geoscience education to your future work or education.
 - A brief explanation of why you are applying for the scholarship.
 - A brief statement of what you, as a woman, can contribute to the geosciences.
- 2) A letter of recommendation from a professor or instructor in any field or discipline.
- 3) A letter of eligibility from your department verifying your field of study.
- 4) Mailing address(es), phone number(s), and e-mail where we can reach you.

ELIGIBILITY:

- 1) Open to women attending mandatory geoscience field camp in 2017.
- 2) Applicant must be attending a Utah institution of higher learning, or be a Utah resident attending college elsewhere.
- 3) Scholarships must be applied to the cost of attending field camp, and may include equipment tuition, books, or child care.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Applications must be received by **15 March 2017**. Applications will be judged by the Scholarship Committee based upon merit and need. Academic performance will be considered to a lesser degree.

DATE OF NOTIFICATION OF AWARD: On or before 25 March 2017.

RESPONSIBILITY OF AWARDEE: 1) The awardee is strongly encouraged to attend the Annual Silent Auction and Wine Tasting Scholarship Benefit on 25 March 2017 in Salt Lake City to accept her award. 2) The awardee is expected to submit a short article for the chapter newsletter.

*The scholarship committee reserves the right to split the award between two recipients.