



## Research Scholarship offered by the Salt Lake Chapter of AWG and the AWG Foundation



**DESCRIPTION:** This **\$1000** scholarship will help defray the costs of presenting research results at national or regional science conventions or meetings. The selected candidate will also receive a one-year AWG student membership

**ELIGIBILITY:** Any undergraduate or graduate woman who is (1) attending a Utah college or university, (2) engaged in geoscience research, and (3) will be presenting the results of her research at a national or regional science convention or meeting within 16 months of being awarded this scholarship.

**COVERED EXPENSES:** Printing or publication costs, registration, travel to and from the meeting, lodging and meals associated with the meeting. Awardee must submit receipts for reimbursement. Expenses associated with the attendance of the applicant's research advisor or the attendance of other students will not be covered by this scholarship.

**CRITERIA:** This scholarship will be awarded based upon the quality and importance of the research being conducted and reported as judged by the Scholarship Committee. The Scholarship Committee reserves the right to split the award between graduate and undergraduate students and/or based projected meeting costs.

### APPLICATION MATERIALS TO BE SUBMITTED:

- Short description and summary of the purpose and importance of research, **not to exceed 4 pages**;
- Identification of the convention or meeting at which the research results are to be presented;
- A copy of the abstract\* submitted, or to be submitted, to the convention or meeting;
- A listing of courses taken during the term the application is submitted. If the abstract submitted with the application is not the final abstract accepted for the meeting, the awardee will provide the Scholarship Committee with a copy of the accepted abstract when available.;
- A letter of recommendation from applicant's research advisor;
- Address(es), phone number(s), and e-mail of the applicant.

**PLEASE NOTE:** If the research is not presented at an acceptable meeting within 16 months of awarding this scholarship, the Chapter may revoke the scholarship with no obligation to the awardee.

**DATE APPLICATION DUE: 15 March 2017**

**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) Out of professional courtesy, the Chapter requests that the awardee acknowledge this award by mentioning the Chapter and the Foundation in any publications or presentations she makes for this project, and 3) submit a short article for the chapter newsletter. We offer to help the awardee prepare her presentation by providing scientific advice/critique of the talk or poster if desired.

**QUESTIONS?** Janae Wallace ([janaewallace@utah.gov](mailto:janaewallace@utah.gov); 801-537-3387)

**SEND COMPLETED APPLICATIONS:** Via e-mail to [janaewallace@utah.gov](mailto:janaewallace@utah.gov)

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