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2023 STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

The San Diego Chapter of the Association of Environmental Professionals (AEP) supports students who are actively engaged in the pursuit of a career in a field with an environmental emphasis. As part of AEP's support efforts, the San Diego Chapter offers scholarships to undergraduate and graduate students.

The monetary award will be up to \$2,000 per scholarship recipient. Each scholarship recipient will also receive a complimentary admittance to one AEP-sponsored luncheon. These luncheons are a great opportunity to network with other students and local professionals in the environmental field, as well as learn about relevant and controversial topics associated with the San Diego region.

Scholarships are awarded at the San Diego Chapter Annual Awards and Scholarships Event held in Fall 2023. The scholarship recipients are expected to attend this event to receive their award.

HOW CAN THE MONEY BE USED?

The award can be used for educational pursuits including tuition, books, research, etc. Recipient(s) will receive a check in his/her name from the San Diego Chapter of AEP.

WHO CAN APPLY?

The San Diego Chapter of AEP will accept applications from undergraduate or graduate students attending any university or community college in San Diego or Imperial County who are actively engaged in the pursuit of a career with an environmental emphasis. Applicants must also have a minimum 3.0 GPA.

APPLICATIONS AND QUESTIONS

Students are required to complete the application form attached to this notice. In addition, current college transcripts, an essay, and a letter of recommendation are required.

Completed applications will be accepted electronically via email or document sharing platform (e.g., Dropbox, OneDrive, Google Drive, etc.) to the scholarship committee at sdaepstudentoutreach@gmail.com. To be eligible, complete applications must be postmarked by 5:00 p.m.

Deadline: September 8, 2023.

Questions? Please contact Milena LaBarbiera at sdaepstudentoutreach@gmail.com.

FOR AEP USE ONLY:

- ___ Transcript
- ___ Essay
- ___ Letter of reference
- ___ College/University
- ___ Date received



SAN DIEGO CHAPTER 2023 STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Name / Address:

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Current Member of AEP: Yes No

Current level of school: Undergraduate Graduate

Colleges and universities attended: (please note current institution)

| Name and Location of Institution | Dates | | |
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| | Enrolled | Degree/Major/Field of Study | GPA |
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Please include the following information with the application:

A copy of the most recent transcript from your current university. An unofficial copy is acceptable.

An essay of no greater than two pages. The essay shall be double-spaced with no smaller than 10-point font and 1-inch margins on all sides. Your essay must address all of the following topics:

- Describe a personal experience that has influenced your decision to go into an environmental field.
- Describe your background relating to environmental issues, including education, training, internships and work experience.
- Discuss the environmental issue that is most important or of greatest interest to you and why.

Letter of recommendation from an individual (not related to you) who is familiar with your abilities and interests. One letter of recommendation is required for undergraduate and graduate students. Letters may be emailed directly from the recommender or attached with the application.