

FHSU Department of GEOSCIENCES SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

Fall 2009

Geosciences Department Scholarship (#4547-GEO)

All amounts are subject to change depending on the amount of funds in the scholarship account.

Freshman or Sophomore Status

(1st year Geology/Geography major)

- Must be a Geology or Geography major
- Must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 overall
- ACT of 24-28 receives \$200 *or*
- ACT of 28+ receives \$300

Sophomore – Senior Status (continuing major)

- Must be a continuing Geology/Geography major
- GPA of 3.00-3.24 receives \$200
- GPA of 3.25-3.49 receives \$225
- GPA of 3.50-3.74 receives \$250
- GPA of 3.75-3.99 receives \$300
- GPA of 4.0 receives \$500

Downing-Nelson Scholarship (#4048-GEO)

- Must be a Geology major with preference going to Junior or Senior standing
- Must have a GPA of 2.5 or better
- Must have taken at least 18+ credits of the geology core courses
- Must have taken at least 8+ credits of the cognates courses
- Must be pursuing Petroleum Geology: Exploration or Operations
- Dollar amount is \$1,000.00 per scholarship
- 2 scholarships will be awarded

Myrl V. Walker Scholarship (#4265-GEO)

- Must be a geology major
- Must have an emphasis in geology *not Geography*
- Must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 overall

Geosciences Department Hispanic Scholarship (#0186-GEO)

All amounts are subject to change dependent upon funds in the scholarship account.

- Must be a Geology or Geography major
- Must be of Hispanic descent
- Open to all Geosciences students, first preference to incoming freshman.

Geosciences Department Eastern Kansas Scholarship (#0187-GEO)

All amounts are subject to change dependent upon funds in the scholarship account.

- Must be an incoming Freshman majoring in Geology or Geography
- Must be a graduate of a High School in eastern Kansas
- First preference to graduates from Olathe North High School.

Geosciences Department Scholarship for Women (#0189-GEO)

All amounts are subject to change dependent upon funds in the scholarship account.

- Must be a female FHSU student
- Must be a Geology or Geography major
- Open to all female geosciences students.

David M. Shumaker Geology Scholarship (#3569 – GEO)

All amounts are subject to change dependent upon funds in the scholarship account.

- Must be a Geology major pursuing the Petroleum Emphasis track or have an intent form on file
- Preference given to students with plans to pursue a career in the gas and oil industry
- Preference to students showing initiative and leadership and work to their potential academically
- Consideration will also be given to students who show financial need

The following scholarships can be found under the “All Scholarships” subheading in the FHSU online scholarship journal:

3098-END Elgin & Freda Denio Physical and Life Science

- must be a resident of Kansas majoring in Biology, Chemistry, Geology or Physics

AEGS-GEO Geosciences-Academic Opportunity Award

- Scholarships awarded in Geology and Geography. These awards are for incoming freshmen only.

Gas Capital

- Applicants must be from one of these Kansas counties: Finney, Grant, Greeley, Hamilton, Haskell, Kearny, Morton, Seward, Stanton, or Stevens.
- Preference to students pursuing a Petroleum related career
- Deadline is Feb. 15, 2009. Obtain applications from Gas Capital Scholarship Committee, 630 South Main, Hugoton, KS 67951

The FHSU 2009-10 Scholarship application is available at <https://secure.fhsu.edu/scholarship/>.

Priority application deadline for 2009-2010 scholarships is December 15, 2008. The final application deadline is February 15, 2009.

Scholarship Journal Questions? Stop by the Scholarship Services Office in Custer Hall, email sscholar@fhsu.edu or call 628-4419.