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The [Association of Environmental Professionals](#) (AEP) is a non-profit organization of professionals working to improve our skills as environmental practitioners and natural resource managers. The [San Francisco Bay Area Chapter](#) is dedicated to supporting students who are planning to engage in a career in the environmental field. As part of our support endeavors, we are offering \$1,000 - \$3,000 scholarships to undergraduate and graduate students attending any accredited four-year college or university located within the counties served by the San Francisco Bay Area Chapter (San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Alameda, Contra Costa, Solano, Napa, Sonoma, Marin, Lake, Mendocino, Trinity, Humboldt, and Del Norte). The quantity of scholarships will depend on the number of applicants. Additionally, scholarship recipients will receive a complementary one-year student membership to AEP, which includes all benefits of professional membership, including notification of social events and programs and reduced rates for the annual State AEP Conference and CEQA workshops.

Who Can Apply?

Full-time graduate and undergraduate (12 units minimum) students who are actively engaged in the pursuit of a career with an environmental emphasis are welcome to apply. Applicants must have a minimum of a 3.0 GPA and plan to return to school for Fall 2012. A copy of college transcripts, one letter of reference, and a two-page essay are required along with a completed application form.

How Can the Money Be Used?

The award can be used for any aspect of education, including tuition, books, housing, research, etc. The recipient(s) will receive a check in their name from the SF Bay Area Chapter of AEP.

To Apply

The application form is attached below and is also available in the "[Student section](#)" of our [Chapter's website](#). Completed applications should be submitted to:

Megan Steer
Student Scholarship Coordinator
megsteer@gmail.com

Applications must be delivered by **Friday, April 20, 2012.**

For More Information

Contact Megan Steer at megsteer@gmail.com.



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Name _____ Email _____ Phone (____) _____

Address _____ City _____ State ____ Zip _____

Colleges or universities attended (start with most current first):

Name & Location of Institution	Dates Attended	Degree/Major/Field of Study	GPA

The following four items must be attached to this form to constitute a complete application:

1. An unofficial copy of your current transcripts.
2. Signed statement that you intend to enroll in the Fall 2012 quarter or semester.
3. One letter of reference from an environmental professional or professor (not related to you) for this application.
4. A two-page double-spaced essay with no smaller than 12-point font and 1 inch margins on all sides. Your essay must address **all** of the following three topics:
 - Describe your background relating to environmental issues, including education, training, internships, volunteer, and work experience;
 - Describe your career goals; and
 - If there are any environmental issues that you feel are more important or of greater interest than others, please explain why.

Electronic Deliver Only:

Please submit the items above as one electronic file. Save file as "Last Name_First Name_2012 SFAEP Scholarship" and email to:

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Deadline: Applications must be delivered by **April 20, 2012**. In order to be fair to all applicants, only complete applications submitted by this date will be considered; no exceptions will be made. Scholarships will be announced within two months of the application deadline. Questions can be directed in writing to Megan Steer at megsteer@gmail.com.