

**Department of Geological Sciences**  
**The University of Alabama**  
**Field Course Scholarship Application**

The Field Course Scholarship recognizes outstanding undergraduate majors within the Department of Geological Sciences, by providing supplementary funds for the summer Field Course. This scholarship is supported through the generous donations by friends and colleagues of the Department and the Geological Science Advisory Board.

This scholarship is competitive and merit-based and applicants will be evaluated using academic performance metrics including, grade point average (in the major), faculty endorsement, undergraduate research efforts, and activity in the discipline beyond coursework alone (i.e. presentations, paper contributions, departmental service, etc.). Funds between \$500 and \$1000 will be awarded up to four students per summer. The number of awards will depend upon the number and quality of applications received. This scholarship is to be awarded to geology students within the Department of Geological Sciences at the University of Alabama.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

CWID number: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade point average (in the major): \_\_\_\_\_

Check the degree you are pursuing:

- Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Science
- Bachelor of Science in Geology
- Marine Science/Geology

**Required Materials**

Submit materials to the Scholarship Committee, Department of Geological Sciences.

1. Why are you a geology major and, specifically, what career path(s) do you envision pursuing after graduation (short paragraph)?
2. Provide at least one endorsement from a DGS faculty member with this application.
3. Describe any supporting activities that go beyond coursework and demonstrate exceptional commitment to Geological Sciences (i.e. presentations, paper contributions, departmental service, etc.).