



Biology and Geology

University of South Carolina Aiken

Application for Student Scholarships

Departmental scholarships are awarded annually in the areas of biology and geology. The selection of scholarship recipients is based on a number of criteria that may include scholarship requirements, financial need, academic performance, and areas of interest/work.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Complete this application, save your completed document, and e-mail it to virginia@usca.edu by 11:59 pm on 17 April 2022.
- Send a copy of this completed application form along with the Faculty Recommendation Form to the faculty member who has agreed to recommend you for a scholarship.

Full Name: _____

VIP ID: _____

Current Academic Year: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

Major & Track/Concentration: _____

Expected Graduation Date: _____

Current Cumulative GPA: _____

Current Enrollment: Full-time (12 or more credits) Part-time (< 12 credits)

Name of Faculty member providing a recommendation: _____

Areas of Interest & Work

Some scholarships are specific to one or more of the areas below. Please **check up to three boxes below** that reflect your interests. **You must provide evidence of your indicated interest, either through your educational or personal experience, in each of the checked areas.**

Examples might include a declared minor or cognate, specific coursework, independent research, employment, or volunteer work.

General Biology

General Geology

Botany

Earth Systems Science

Environmental Biology

Molecular Biology

Ornithology

In the space below, **describe the unique qualities, characteristics, and skills you bring** to the Biology and Geology program.

Some of the departmental scholarships are based on financial need. **If applicable**, in the space provided below, **provide a statement of your financial need and how a scholarship would facilitate the completion of your degree.**