

Student Scholarships Available for 2010 AORE Conference

In the spirit of supporting the development of young professionals in our field, the Association of Outdoor Recreation and Education has once again set aside a student scholarship fund to be awarded for student development and assistance in attending the AORE Conference. Upon recipient selection, the scholarship award will be sent directly to the conference host to cover the registration fees for those individuals.

Applicants must hold a current AORE student membership or join the association prior to applying. They must also be a current student in good academic standing (graduate or undergraduate) with the goal of entering the field of Outdoor Recreation and Education. Applicants must have made significant contributions to their department, academic institution, or private outdoor related program through their involvement and leadership. Examples of desired participation include the following: employee/campus recreation advisory board, committee work, participation in student organizations, committee/campus activity, employee training, and orientation programs. Further, applicants must have shown a commitment to scholarship through research, honors, self-improvement through continuing education, certifications, presentations, participation in professional organizations, internships, etc.

Expectations at the conference for scholarship recipients include an estimated 6-8 hours of time assisting the student representative and conference host with various events, including the Career Center, as well as attendance at the Annual Student Business Meeting.

This is a wonderful opportunity to acknowledge the students making significant contributions in our field and to help promote their further professional development. We encourage AORE members to recognize these students and to encourage the students to apply. Applicants need to provide a completed application that addresses the essay questions, a resume, a trip-log, and one letter of reference. All materials must be submitted electronically no later than September 10, 2010.

This year the Student Development Committee will award ten scholarships. Each year 50% of scholarships will be allocated to undergraduate students and 50% will be allocated to graduate students. Priority will be given to students who have not previously received the AORE Conference student scholarship.

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