Biology Undergraduate Scholarships

Deadline: Noon, April 17 (Thur.) 2014

The Department of Biology is soliciting applications for the following Undergraduate scholarships:

- **Three John Hensill Scholarships** will be awarded in the amount of $1000/each to a BS degree candidate in any major in biology.
- **One Kuby-Hensill Scholarship** will be awarded in the amount of $1000 to a BS degree candidate in Cell and Molecular Biology or Microbiology.
- **One Felipe-Andres Ramirez-Weber Scholarship**, to enhance diversity in science, will be awarded in the amount of $1000 to a BS degree candidate in Cell and Molecular Biology.

**Criteria:**
1. Student must be a BS degree candidate in any major in biology.
2. Student must be enrolled full-time (12 units) in Spring of 2014 and completed a minimum of 60 units.
3. Student must have a minimum SFSU GPA of 3.0.
4. Applications are evaluated by academic merits, ability to communicate, and demonstration of strong financial need.

**Requirements:**
1. A completed application form (available in the Biology office or online at http://biology.sfsu.edu)
2. A short essay of 400-600 words addressing "Tell us about a specific experience at SFSU has helped to develop your future goals?"
3. An unofficial current copy of SFSU transcript, a current class list and a list of current financial support (please input into table found online with application).
4. A written recommendation from one SFSU Biology professor. Letters will be evaluated on the faculty member’s familiarity with the student, the student’s academic performance and any research, volunteer or other relevant experience.

Bring (or mail) the completed application packet* to
The Biology office HH 534; Attn., Biology Scholarship Committee
*Application form, short essay, sealed and signed recommendation letter (or faculty directly email the letter to biology@sfsu.edu), unofficial transcript, Sp13 class list and completed table of current financial support.
Department of Biology

Application for Undergraduate Scholarships

NAME ________________________________________________

ADDRESS
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Student ID ___ ___ ___- ___- ___ ___ ___ ___

Major ________________________________________________

Minority Student      Yes or No

Please also include the following with your application:

1) Unofficial SFSU transcript and current class list and list of current financial support reported in the table attached to the application.

2) Letter of recommendation from a biology faculty member in a signed, sealed envelope (or directly email to biology@sfsu.edu). Letters should detail the faculty member’s familiarity with the student, the academic performance of the student and comment on any research, volunteer or other relevant experience.

3) An essay addressing:

   What is the most exciting learning experience you've acquired as a Biology student at SFSU, and how does it affect your career goal? (400-600 WORDS)

PHONE NUMBER (___)__________________________

E-MAIL ______________________________________

SIGNATURE __________________________________
**Financial Aid Reporting Table** (Undergraduate Biology Scholarships)
* Please report all financial support for Fall 2013 and Spring 2014 semesters

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