Environmental Science and Policy Undergraduate Fellowships and Scholarships

Ann C. Powel Endowed Memorial Fund

Purpose

The Potomac Environmental Research and Education Center (PEREC) is pleased to announce the availability of graduate student grants under the Ann C. Powel Scholarship Fund. The grants will be made to individual students with faculty advisors who are members of PEREC. Funding can be used for student research that contributes to the mission of PEREC, which is to advance scientific knowledge and stewardship of the Potomac River and Chesapeake Bay. Up to \$3,000 may be requested, but the award amount will depend on strength of submission, number of qualified applicants, and availability of funds.

Eligibility Criteria

- Applicants must be enrolled in the Environmental Science and Policy Master's program
 or Environmental Science and Public Policy Doctoral Program. (Previous recipients are
 eligible to apply, but preference will be given to students not previously funded)
- Must have maintained a GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Master's Students: Must have an advisor and approved research proposal.
- Doctoral Students: Must have completed required coursework (in-progress courses count toward the completed coursework) and an advisor/committee chair.

Award Funding

Up to \$3,000 annually

Application Process

Students must submit the following materials by 12:00 a.m. (midnight), Sunday, February 9, 2025 by email to the ESP Graduate Program Office at espgrad@gmu.edu: Applicant Cover Letter, Proposal, References, Budget and justification (if applicable), CV, letter of recommendation from advisor (to be submitted separately). Please include "Graduate Student Fellowships Application" in the subject line of the email.