



THE FOUNDATION OF WAYNE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

LOOMER EARTHWATCH EXPEDITION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
A STUDENT FELLOWSHIP TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIP OF UP TO \$5,000

If you're a student with a passion for adventure travel, science, and the natural world, Earthwatch Student Group Expeditions were created for you!

These are unique opportunities to discover what it means to be a working scientist engaged in projects that help protect, conserve, and make sense of the natural world. We bring individuals from all walks of life together with world-class scientists to work for the good of the planet.

What is Earthwatch?

Earthwatch is an international nonprofit organization that connects citizens with scientists to improve the health and sustainability of the planet. For the last 45 years, Earthwatch has empowered nearly 100,000 volunteers to join leading scientists on field research expeditions that tackle critical environmental challenges around the globe - from climate change to ocean health, human-wildlife conflict, and more!

Who can join an expedition?

Anyone can join an expedition - no experience necessary! All training will be provided upon your arrival. Volunteers join us from all over the world!

For more information, please visit earthwatch.org.

Applications must be filled out COMPLETELY.*
SCHOLARSHIP VALID FOR NORTH AMERICAN EXPEDITIONS ONLY.

Name _____

Mailing Address _____
Street City State Zip Code

Phone Number _____ E-mail Address _____
Home Mobile

Social Security Number _____ - - _____ Date of Birth _____
MM/DD/YYYY

Place of Employment/Job Description _____

High School Attended _____ Graduation Date _____

WCC Program of Study _____

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Please answer the following essay questions on a separate sheet and attach:

- What interests you about the EarthWatch program? How do you see it benefiting you?
- What makes you an ideal candidate for this travel opportunity?

Faculty Reference Name: _____ Department: _____

Please provide one letter of recommendation from a college faculty member.

Please include with this application:

- **One letter of recommendation from a faculty member.**
- **Your two essay answers.**
- ***Any application with blank information will not be viewed by the scholarship committee.**

Submit this information along with application to the address below or drop it off at the Foundation Office in Dogwood 102, 103 or 104.

ALL APPLICATIONS DUE BY OCTOBER 31, 2017

**IMPORTANT! Recipient is REQUIRED to give a presentation
on their trip at the college upon their return.**

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