



2017 LEONARD HALPENNY INTERN SCHOLARSHIP

The Tucson AHS Chapter is seeking applicants for the 2017 Leonard Halpenny Intern Scholarship Program. The program provides an opportunity for the selected student to gain experience with four water resources and environmental organizations in the Tucson area.

Internship Opportunity with Host Organizations

- **Duration:** 200 hours (40 hours with each organization, plus an additional 40 hours to be served at the discretion of the intern and host organizations)
- **Scheduling:** Flexible around the student's and participating organizations' schedules. Student is responsible for coordinating schedules between organizations.
- **Completion Date:** Internship must be completed by December 31, 2017.
- **Waivers:** Student may be required to sign liability and confidentiality waivers.

Internship Stipend

- **Amount:** \$3,000, paid out in increments, with a final sum to be awarded after completion of the internship

Participating Organizations for 2017

- U.S. Geological Survey (government agency)
- Tucson Water (water provider/utility)
- Montgomery & Associates (private consulting firm)
- Fourth organization to be determined

Student Responsibilities for AHS

- **Maintain record of hours:** The winner must submit this record to AHS and for use in newsletter article.
- **Attend award presentation:** The winner must attend either the annual symposium in September 2017 (in Flagstaff) to formally receive the award and plaque or (if they cannot attend) a monthly meeting of the AHS Tucson chapter.
- **Write AHS newsletter article:** Award winner must submit a short article to the AHS monthly newsletter describing their experience at the conclusion of their internship.



Important Dates

- **Deadline for application:** 5:00 PM April 14, 2017
- **Interview dates:** Week of April 24 (time to be determined)
- **Award recipient selection:** By April 28, 2017

Qualifications

- **Current enrollment:** Must be enrolled in a hydrology-related discipline at any Arizona college or university
- **Ineligibility:** Prior AHS Intern Scholarship winners; incomplete or late applications
- **Other:** Undergraduates are given first preference in the selection process

Required Application Materials

- **Transcripts:** A copy of college/university transcripts (unofficial is acceptable)
- **Letters of Recommendation:** Provide two letters of recommendation, at least one from an instructor; second letter may be from an instructor or employer (letters should be sealed in an envelope by the person writing the recommendation letter, and may be sent under separate cover)
- **Essay:** One- to three-page letter describing the applicant's interest in hydrology, relevant experience, perspective regarding hydrological issues (Arizona or elsewhere), and how the intern scholarship program would benefit them with respect to their career goals
- **Form:** Complete the form on the next page.

Forward all application materials in printed or PDF format by 5:00 PM on April 14, 2017 to...

AHS Intern Scholarship Program
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2017 APPLICATION FORM

Name _____

Street address _____

City, State, Zip Code _____

Phone #1 (indicate cell or home) _____

Phone #2 (indicate cell or home) _____

E-mail address _____

University/College _____

Department _____

Major _____

Year (freshman, sophomore, junior, senior, graduate) _____

Activities/clubs

Computer skills

Other skills, education, or experience