

OHIO GEOLOGY ADVISORY COUNCIL GRANT PROGRAM

INTRODUCTION

The Ohio Geology Advisory Council, a council to the Division of Geological Survey of the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, administers a grant program utilizing the contributions that are paid to the Bureau of Motor Vehicles by persons who obtain "Ohio Rocks!" license plates. The primary purpose of this program shall be the awarding of grants by the council to geology departments of colleges and universities located in the State of Ohio for graduate level research conducted at locations of geological interest in Ohio.

EVALUATION

The financial grant will be based upon the recommendation of a faculty member and the submittal by the student on the nature of the project and its relevancy to Ohio geology.

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INSTRUCTIONS

The Ohio Geology Advisory Council (OGAC) is awarding two \$1,200 grants for the 2016–2017 academic year. Grants will be determined by OGAC. Each grant will be paid directly to the geology department of colleges or universities in the state of Ohio.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Grants awarded by OGAC are contingent upon the following conditions:

- The successful candidates are enrolled in a full-time studies program at an accredited college or university for the 2016–2017 year.
- Applications to be considered for the grants must be complete and meet the conditions as specified within this application, including all grant information on the Identification/Qualification page.

APPLICATION

A valid application includes **all** of the following:

- A completed Identification/Qualification page.
- Completion of the Evaluation page by applicant.
(Please type all information. If additional space is needed, attach supplementary pages.)
- A Letter of Recommendation prepared by one of the applicant's college science professors or instructors.

The application must be submitted as a Word or PDF document and be **received by the Ohio Division of Geological Survey no later than October 17, 2016.**

Send completed application to:

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Division of Geological Survey
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IDENTIFICATION/QUALIFICATION

Student Applicant Information

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____

Phone _____

Name of College or University Attending _____

Grade Level _____

Major _____ Minor _____

Faculty Preparing Letter of Recommendation

Name _____

Title _____

Address _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

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PROJECT INFORMATION

Nature of Project (not greater than 250 words) _____

Relevancy to Ohio Geology (not greater than 250 words) _____

Use of Funds (field work, analytical testing, equipment, etc.) _____

A printed or electronic copy of the completed project shall be furnished to the Ohio Division of Geological Survey.

Signature of Student _____ Date _____