Annual Geological Engineering Student Awards

1. **International Activities: Geological Engineering award** (2 @ $500).
3. **Outstanding Senior: Geological Engineering award** ($500).
4. **Outstanding Senior Design award** ($500).
5. **Outstanding Teaching Assistant: Geological Engineering awards** (2 @ $500).
6. **Conference Presentation: Geological Engineering** award ($500 to defray travel expenses).
7. **Peer-Reviewed Publication: Geological Engineering award** ($500; in addition to presentation award)
8. **Geological Engineering: Outstanding Recruitment/Retention Activities** award ($500).
Award Application Information

International Activities: Geological Engineering

International Activities: Geological Engineering awards ($500 each) are presented annually to two undergraduate geological engineering students engaged in meaningful international activities as determined by the geological engineering selection committee. Award recipients are selected based on the following criterion:

1. Demonstrated excellence in MS&T academic coursework that involves international travel; and

2. Outstanding contribution to international projects/activities (both MS&T projects and international projects independent of MS&T).

On or before the first Tuesday in April, International Activities: Geological Engineering award applicants must submit the following information to the GE Program Head:

1. A brief cover letter indicating they wish to be considered for the International Activities: Geological Engineering award.

2. A summary of relevant MS&T courses and grades (mid-terms where necessary);

3. A one-half page summary for each international project/activity in which the applicant participated (while registered at MS&T), with emphasis on their contribution; and

4. A one-page letter of reference from the lead person of each relevant international project/activity, with emphasis on the award applicant’s contribution.

Award recipients will be notified by April 15th.
Award Application Information
Outstanding Junior: Geological Engineering

The Outstanding Junior: Geological Engineering award ($500) is presented annually to an outstanding junior-level geological engineering student as determined by the geological engineering selection committee. The award recipient will be selected based on the following criterion:

1. Demonstrated academic excellence in MS&T coursework;
2. Contributions to MS&T organizations/activities (including clubs, sororities, fraternities, sports teams, etc.);
3. Contributions to off-campus organizations/activities.

On or before the first Tuesday in April, Outstanding Junior: Geological Engineering award applicants must submit the following information to the GE Program Head:

1. A brief cover letter indicating they wish to be considered for the Outstanding Junior: Geological Engineering award; and
2. A short (half-page maximum) summary of each MS&T organization and each non-MS&T organization/activity in which they participated (while enrolled at MS&T), with emphasis on their contribution.

Award recipient will be notified by April 15th.
Award Application Information

Outstanding Senior: Geological Engineering

The Outstanding Senior: Geological Engineering award ($500) is presented annually to an outstanding senior-level geological engineering student as determined by the geological engineering selection committee. The award recipient will be selected based on the following criterion:

1. Demonstrated academic excellence in MS&T coursework;

2. Contributions to MS&T organizations/activities (including clubs, sororities, fraternities, sports teams, etc.);

3. Contributions to off-campus organizations/activities.

On or before the first Tuesday in April, Outstanding Senior: Geological Engineering award applicants must submit the following information to the GE Program Head:

1. A brief cover letter indicating they wish to be considered for the Outstanding Senior: Geological Engineering award; and

2. A short (half-page maximum) summary of each MS&T organization/activity and each non-MS&T organization/activity in which the applicant has participated (while enrolled at MS&T), with emphasis on the applicant’s contribution. Contributions made during the applicant’s senior year will be more heavily weighted by the selection committee.

Award recipient will be notified by April 15th.
Award Application Information

Outstanding Senior Design: Geological Engineering

The **Outstanding Senior Design: Geological Engineering** award ($500) is presented annually to an outstanding geological engineering senior design student as determined by the geological engineering selection committee.

Senior design students do not have to apply for this award. Rather, the geological engineering faculty member in charge of senior design will make a recommendation to the geological engineering selection committee on or before April 10th.

Award recipient will be notified by April 15th.

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Award Application Information

Outstanding Teaching Assistant: Geological Engineering

The **Outstanding Teaching Assistant: Geological Engineering** award ($500) is presented annually to two outstanding geological engineering teaching assistants as determined by the geological engineering selection committee.

Teaching assistants do not have to apply for this award. Rather, faculty will submit nominations to the geological engineering selection committee on or before April 10th.

Award recipients will be notified by April 15th.
Award Application Information
Conference Presentation: Geological Engineering

The Conference Presentation: Geological Engineering award ($500) is presented on an as earned basis to registered graduate and undergraduate geological engineering students who are giving presentations (verbal or poster) at recognized conferences.

Recipients do not have to apply for this award. Rather, geological engineering faculty will submit nominations to the geological engineering selection committee on an as earned basis. The monetary portion of this award must be used to defray actual expenses related to the conference.

Award Application Information
Peer-Reviewed Publication: Geological Engineering

The Peer-Reviewed Publication: Geological Engineering award ($500) is presented on an as earned basis to graduate and undergraduate geological engineering students who publish (as first author) a peer-reviewed technical paper.

Recipients do not have to apply for this award. Rather, geological engineering faculty will submit nominations to the geological engineering selection committee on an as earned basis. An award may be made for actual published papers or papers deemed to be in-press.

Award Application Information
Recruitment/Retention Activities: Geological Engineering

The Recruitment/Retention Activities: Geological Engineering award ($500) is presented to a geological engineering student who has contributed significantly to the recruitment and retention of geological engineering majors.

Potential recipients do not have to apply for this award. Rather, geological engineering faculty will submit nominations to the geological engineering selection committee.

Award recipient will be notified by April 15th.