

Support for Geology Field Camp and Other Geological Field Experiences

Dear Geology Students –

If you need financial help to attend a Geology Field Camp, conduct geological field research or participate in other activities to gain more field experience, please consider applying for support from the Geology Department Marshall Schalk Fund.

To apply, submit your request to the Geology Department Chair. Include in your letter of application the description and dates of the field activity. Also include a list of anticipated expenses and the level of support you are seeking from the Schalk Fund and from other sources. Please have your advisor review your application before you submit it.

Note that you are not eligible for Schalk funds if you are receiving money from Praxis for the same activity. Any amount that you receive from other sources will be subtracted from your Praxis award.

Recently, successful applicants have received several hundred dollars, but never more than \$1000, from the Schalk Fund.

Upon completion of the funded activity, recipients of Shalk awards must submit a short (1 page) report to the Department Chair (for circulation and inclusion in the departmental file) that reflects on the value of the field experience gained with help from the Geology Department Marshall Schalk Fund.

For more information, speak with the Geology Department Chair, your Geology advisor, or the Departmental Administrative Assistant in the Science Center Office.

Application deadlines:

Sept. 30 – for Fall semester activities;

Nov. 1 – for Interterm and Spring semester activities;

April 1 – for Summer activities.