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Ted McHenry Biology Field Research Fund

The Ted McHenry Biology Field Research Fund was established to further biological field research by providing support for graduate students at the University of Alaska Fairbanks with the prospect of achieving a better understanding of species that occur in Alaska's Copper River Basin. Ted McHenry, an outdoorsman and 1967 graduate of UAF, worked as a sport fish biologist for the Alaska Department of Fish and Game until his retirement in 1987. He died in 1997.

To be eligible, a student:

▪ Must be a full-time graduate student attending the University of Alaska Fairbanks
▪ Must be studying the biology of animals, plants or cryptograms
▪ Must be in good academic standing
▪ Should demonstrate the potential for academic excellence and leadership

Preference will be given to students who:

▪ Are conducting research in the Copper River Basin
▪ Demonstrate interest in field biology as a career
▪ Show solid grounding in the scientific method
▪ Are competent living and working in Alaska's outdoors
▪ Demonstrate an interest in public outreach of wildlife conservation

Award funding: An award or awards of up to $5000 will be made at the discretion of the selection committee. Funds can be used not only for tuition, fees, and living expenses but also for equipment, communications, travel, or other necessary expenses for field studies.

Application Procedure:
Write a 400-600 word essay that covers your primary interest in biology, career goals, previous background in the field, and any coursework or fieldwork that will be undertaken during the term of the scholarship. Submit the essay along with the rest of the Ted McHenry Biology Field Research Fund application, which is available online at:

http://tinyurl.com/20TedMcHenry

Deadline: Saturday, 15 February 2020

Requirements of successful applicants: Successful applicants must acknowledge the Ted McHenry Biology Field Research Fund in presentations and publications arising from this award and prepare a final report for the donor by 1 June 2021.

General questions or concerns about this scholarship can be addressed to the Scholarship Coordinator, 474-6228, or via email to uaf-scholarships@alaska.edu. More scholarship information may be found at http://uaf.edu/finaid/scholarships.

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