

**THE FOUNDATION OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS  
(FAIPG)**

**GRANT APPLICATION PROGRAM**

**Grant Use Eligibility**

The FAIPG may award or provide educational grants to support:

- Individual scholarships to undergraduate and graduate students in the geosciences at an accredited US college or university;
- Preparation of educational or informational documents about the role of the geosciences in the national economy, the environment, and public health and safety;
- Development and/or procurement of teaching aids for classroom teachers of earth sciences;
- Development of education programs for the practicing geoscientists;
- Geoscience internships in the nation's capital;
- Geological or Earth Science field trips for K-12 students;
- Informational outreach programs on the geosciences and professionalism to other professionals; and,
- Educational outreach programs to the public at the state and local level.

**Grant Recipient Eligibility**

The FAIPG may award grants to individuals and to both private and public organizations that demonstrate a need for an eligible geosciences-related project or use, such as described above.

The following institutions and types of institutions are eligible:

- American Institute of Professional Geologists
- Sections and Student Chapters of the American Institute of Professional Geologists
- Geological societies (national, state, and local)
- Public and private colleges and universities
- Public and private K-12 teaching institutions
- Accredited or registered public or private geoscience-related organizations that can demonstrate a need for funds for eligible geoscience-focused projects

**Grants**

Grants typically range from \$500 to \$10,000. Grants are awarded based on a review of an application and the availability of FAIPG funds when the application is received.

The Foundation is an Internal Revenue Service Code 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization devoted to making positive contributions to the geosciences community and to society.

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Grant applications will be screened for the eligibility of both the applying organization (“organization”) and/or individual, and the allocation of funding. Applications that meet eligibility requirements will be reviewed by the Foundation trustees at their next scheduled meeting. A response will be provided to the applicant within 60 calendar days of receipt of the completed application. The applicant will be notified by e-mail of receipt of the completed application.

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**Organization/Applicant Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Project Title or Short Description:**

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**Organization/Applicants Mailing Address:**

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Organization President, CEO, Director, or Superintendent:** \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Primary Organization Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address (if different from above):

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Budget Details:**

Amount of FAIPG grant request: \_\_\_\_\_ Total project budget: \_\_\_\_\_

Have other funds been secured to meet the project budget? \_\_\_\_\_

What percentage of the required project funding has been secured? \_\_\_\_\_

Will the organization be able to complete the project if 100% of the funding is not secured? \_\_\_\_\_

Time schedule for project or funding use: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated project completion date or intended use end date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please respond to this section by including a written statement with greater detail for your grant request by addressing the applicable items.**

**If applicable, provide a Summary Description of the Organization and include:**

- Date and place of formation
  - Purpose or Mission Statement
  - Primary programs and activities
  - If the organization is a school, indicate the education level, current enrollment, and historical course material in the earth sciences or geosciences.
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**Please provide a Program or Project Description for use of funds of this Grant (500 words or less) and include:**

- The purpose of the grant
  - The target population that will benefit
  - How the funds will be applied
  - Who will administer the funds
  - Identification of other sources of funding for this specific project/application of funds
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**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print Name:** \_\_\_\_\_