

**Huxley College of the Environment Other Scholarships**  
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Contact information: [Huxley College Office](#) (ES 539); Phone (360) 650-3520

**Aaron Edward Gastellum Memorial Scholarship** (Applications processed by Honors Program)

This annual endowed scholarship was established in August 1997 to honor Aaron Gastellum, who was a highly promising student in the Honors Program and Huxley College and passed away suddenly. It is in his memory, that the Honors Program conjointly with Huxley College established an award for a undergraduate major or graduate student enrolled in either of these programs. Candidates should demonstrate a deep commitment to the solution of environmental problems, a strong sense of service to others and personal virtues of sincerity, integrity and humor

- Scholarship-Specific Criteria:
  - Statement on solving environmental problems.
  - Academic paper or project.
  - Resume.
  - Letters of recommendation.

**Contact:** Honors Program office (CH 204) or Honors Program Office, Miller Hall 228, (360) 650-3034.

**Ernst Gayden Grant** (Applications processed by Huxley College Environmental Studies department)

This annual scholarship was established in August 1999 to honor the memory of Ernst Gayden and carries forth his interdisciplinary and integrative work in key areas of human ecology and sustainable development, including: sustainable human settlement, agriculture and food systems, alternative energy technologies and design, environmental planning, urban and rural sustainable community development, global awareness, and international study.

- Scholarship-Specific Criteria:
  - Open to Huxley Faculty, Staff and Enrolled full-time undergraduate or graduate Huxley students.
  - Written proposals that contribute to knowledge in any of the afore-mentioned areas.
  - Projects that further the transformative potential of faculty and student work are especially encouraged.
    - Student global learning and international studies
    - Inspirational lecture series
    - Faculty initiatives fostering integrated curriculum development
    - Faculty-student partnerships
    - Applied studies fostering integrative approaches to sustainable community development.

**Contact:** Huxley College of the Environment, Environmental Studies department (AH-217), (360) 650-3277

**Mark & Christie Cook Book Fund**

(Applications processed by Huxley College Environmental Studies department)

This scholarship was established in 2006 and is awarded for the purchase of books at the Western Washington University bookstore.

- Scholarship-Specific Criteria:
  - Huxley College undergraduate or graduate student in the Geography major.
  - Financial need.

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**Patrick Monahan Endowment**

(Applications processed by Huxley College Environmental Studies department)

This annual endowed scholarship was established in 1974 in memory of Patrick L. Monahan, son of Western Professor Emeritus Robert Monahan and Marilyn Monahan. The fund was made possible by gifts from friends and the family of Patrick Monahan and geography graduates.

- Scholarship-Specific Criteria:
  - Huxley College undergraduate student in the Geography major.
  - Demonstrate promise of significant professional contributions.
  - Two letters of recommendation are required for incoming transfer students.

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