



## NORTHERN CALIFORNIA GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY

### 2009-2010 RICHARD CHAMBERS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

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The Northern California Geological Society is pleased to announce the availability of its **Richard Chambers Memorial Scholarships** to help support graduate-level student research in geology during the 2009-2010 academic years. More than one scholarship may be awarded at each academic level.

**\$ 1,000 Scholarships will be awarded to students working towards the Masters Degree.**

**\$ 2,000 Scholarships will be awarded to students working towards the Ph.D. Degree.**

These scholarships will be awarded competitively, based upon our review of submitted summaries of proposed research. Funds are intended to support field and laboratory components of research programs. The research should be scheduled for completion during the 2009-2010 calendar years. Winners will be invited to speak or otherwise present their research at a regular NCGS evening meeting in Orinda, California.

Funding priority for these scholarships will be directed to research focused on topics in geologic mapping, structural, stratigraphic, economic, engineering and/or environmental geology, geophysics, paleontology or paleo-ecology implemented in (northern) California or states adjacent to (northern) California.

#### **Application Procedure**

Candidates may apply by forwarding a signed cover letter on department letterhead requesting the award, accompanied by a brief (no more than 2 pages) summary of the proposed research topic. The letter must include candidates contact information (both departmental and home mailing addresses, telephone & e-mails).

The bottom of the candidate letter must bear the note:

“Degree Program \_\_\_\_\_, Approved by \_\_\_\_\_, (print) \_\_\_\_\_,  
Title \_\_\_\_\_, Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail \_\_\_\_\_, Date: \_\_\_\_\_.”

with the signature and printed name/title/telephone/e-mail of the department chair person or thesis advisor, to show that the recipient has department approval to receive the award. Please indicate which scholarship (Masters or Ph.D.) you are applying for. No application form is required.

Please submit your letter and proposal by U.S. Mail postmarked no later than DECEMBER 15, 2009 to:

Phillip Garbutt, Chair  
NCOs Scholarship Committee  
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Scholarship Awards will be made on or about February 1, 2010.