



Application Form
Angelo Tagliacozzo Memorial Geological Scholarship
Northeast Section - AIPG
2012 – 2013 Academic Year



Name	Major
Name of College	Minor (if applicable)
College Address	GPA (Cumulative)
Credit Hours Completed (12/31/12)	GPA (Major)
Expected Graduation Date	Birth Date

Local Address:	Permanent Address:
Street	Street
City State Zip	City State Zip
Telephone:	Telephone:
E-mail:	Cell Phone:

Employment and Experience	
Currently employed? Yes No (If "yes", Name & Address of employer)	Description of Duties:
Employer Name:	
Address:	
Position	
Approx. Hrs/Wk worked:	

In addition to completing the following sections, please provide any additional information you believe will assist the committee in its selection. You may use the back side of this form or a separate attachment if additional space is needed.

SCHOOL-RELATED SCHOLARSHIP, AWARDS, HONORS RECEIVED, DEAN’S LIST, HONOR SOCIETY

List awarded scholarships expected for 2012-2013 plus past scholarships, awards, honors, etc. from the last two years and include year received (if any). Also include Honor Society memberships and Dean’s List.

SCHOOL AND/OR COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

(Church, Clubs, Civic, etc.)

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Member/Officer</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Activities</u>

Personal Data

(Background, Interests, Career Goals)

FINANCIAL NEEDS ASSESSMENT

PART 1

Where are you living during the current school year? Parent's Home Dorm Other

Are you self-supporting? Yes No (circle correct response)

If yes, percent self-supporting _____ %

Are you being financially assisted by parents/guardian? Yes No (circle correct response)

If yes, what is the approximate annual amount provided by parent/guardian \$ _____

Approximate total annual family income (adjusted gross income) on most recent tax return \$ _____

Approximate student annual income (adjusted gross income) on most recent tax return? \$ _____

Number of dependents that the applicant supports (if any) Dependents' Age(s) _____

PART 2

CURRENT (2012 – 2013) ACADEMIC YEAR FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT

(How are you financing / how do you expect to finance your college expenses for the 2012 – 2013 academic year? See also Application Procedures, Item 1b, bottom of page 4)

INCOME

Parent/Guardian Contribution \$ _____

Student Contribution \$ _____

Scholarships/Grants \$ _____

Loans \$ _____

Other \$ _____

TOTAL INCOME \$ _____

EXPENSES

Tuition and Fees \$ _____

Room and Board \$ _____

Books and Supplies \$ _____

Transportation \$ _____

Personal/Miscellaneous \$ _____

TOTAL EXPENSES \$ _____ (If not approx. equal to income, provide brief explanation)

Please list any other information you feel the Scholarship Committee should know in evaluating your application (attach separate sheet, if necessary):

AFFIDAVIT: I hereby certify that this application contains no misrepresentations or falsifications. The information given by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any false statements made herein could void this application.

All scholarship applicants will be notified of the outcome of the selection process – generally on or before March 31, 2013. If awarded a scholarship, I further agree that the AIPG – Northeast Section may use my name and non-confidential information (e.g., college, scholarship award amount, and excerpts from application materials) in promoting the Angelo Tagliacozzo Memorial Geological Scholarship on their web site and in their publications (e.g., newsletter).

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: _____

DATE: _____

QUALIFICATIONS AND BASIS OF AWARD:

1. Senior or junior undergraduate students enrolled in a geoscience program at an accredited college or university located in one of the eight states that comprise the Northeast Section – AIPG. Those states include Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island, and Vermont. The applicant does NOT have to permanently reside in one of the eight states.
2. Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of five evaluation criteria: financial need, academic qualifications, career goals, activities/accomplishments/educational plans, and a faculty letter of recommendation. Financial need and academic qualifications will be weighed more heavily in the evaluation. The decisions of Scholarship Committee are final.
3. Refer to the Announcement accompanying this application form (available at www.ne-aipg.org) for more information.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

1. A completed application must be received by Dennis McGrath, Scholarship Chair, Northeast Section – AIPG no later than December 8, 2011. The complete application form includes:
 - a. Signed and fully completed application form (4 pages).
 - b. Financial Needs Assessment – Part 2. The Scholarship Committee anticipates that each applicant will have already paid for all or most of their expenses for the 2012-2013 academic year by the time this application is submitted. The purpose of this section of the application form is to show the committee in up to five general categories what those expenses were, and show, also in five general categories, the source(s) of income that were used to meet those expenses. In most cases, it is expected that income should equal (or at least approximately equal) expenses. If the expenses and income are not equal or approximately equal, a brief explanation should be provided.
 - c. Letter from the applicant discussing, at a minimum, three specific evaluation criteria (financial need, academic qualifications, and career goals) and any other relevant information.
 - d. Faculty Letter of Recommendation from someone qualified to judge the applicant's recent academic performance and character,
 - e. Optional: - financial information (e.g., Student Aid Report) to supplement the Financial Needs Assessment (page 3 of the application).
2. Faculty recommendation letter should be sent or emailed directly to Dennis McGrath at the address below.
3. All application materials must be postmarked or emailed on or before **December 6, 2012.**

Applications (paper or electronically) are to be submitted to: Dennis McGrath, The Louis Berger Group, Inc., 565 Taxter Road, Suite 510, Elmsford, NY 10523, dmcgrath@louisberger.com or neaipg.atscholarship@gmail.com.