

SOLS Undergraduate Awards and Scholarships 2009-10

Award Name	Dean's Circle Scholarships			
Type	College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Award			
Application Deadline	14 March 2010			
Submit to:	Dr. Miles Orchinik Arizona State University Associate Director of Undergraduate Programs School of Life Sciences, LSC 226 Tempe, AZ 85287			
Awards Made	SOLS Awards & Graduation Recognition Program, May 14, 2010			
Award Amount	\$1000 (approximate amount)			
Number of Awards	3 (Variable)			
Criteria for award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have a declared major and be enrolled full time in a SOLS degree program • Minimum of 3.50 cumulative grade point average • No residency requirement • If a student is in a concurrent degree program, the student may be a candidate in both departments. However, the student may accept only one departmental scholarship • Students receiving the scholarship one year may reapply in a future year • A record that identifies the student as "promising" in any of the life science disciplines; having characteristics of high academic achievement and demonstrated progress towards career goals 			
Application Process	Students must submit (1) a completed application form (attached) (2) an unofficial copy of his/her transcript, including transfer work, (3) a one-page typed statement indicating his/her academic goals, why he/she selected the major, and any other pertinent information, and (4) a letter of recommendation from faculty.			
Scholarship Purpose	To recognize "promising" students in any of the life science disciplines who have the characteristics of high academic achievement and demonstrated progress towards career goals			
Past Recipients	<table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <p><u>2009 Awards</u> Bony Ahmed, Glenn Markov, Hang Pham</p> <p><u>2008 Awards:</u> Tia Ahlquist, Parisa Allveri, Melanie Engstrom</p> <p><u>2007 Awards:</u> Kimberly Buettner, Jacqueline Z. Medrano, Hemali Rajyaguru</p> <p><u>2006 Awards:</u> Josie Delisle , Mallory Feng, Rebecca Martin</p> </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <p><u>2005 Awards:</u> Emily Charlson, Kal Clark, Ramin Sadeghi, Emily Taylor</p> <p><u>2004 Awards:</u> William Hendricks , Amy Novotny , Kathryn Richards , Danna Schock</p> <p><u>2003 Awards:</u> Sara Xochitl Orozco , Amanda K. Goodin, Amanda Harris. John Werner</p> <p><u>2002 Awards:</u> Michael McConnell ,Mary-Lynn Wetteroth</p> </td> </tr> </table>		<p><u>2009 Awards</u> Bony Ahmed, Glenn Markov, Hang Pham</p> <p><u>2008 Awards:</u> Tia Ahlquist, Parisa Allveri, Melanie Engstrom</p> <p><u>2007 Awards:</u> Kimberly Buettner, Jacqueline Z. Medrano, Hemali Rajyaguru</p> <p><u>2006 Awards:</u> Josie Delisle , Mallory Feng, Rebecca Martin</p>	<p><u>2005 Awards:</u> Emily Charlson, Kal Clark, Ramin Sadeghi, Emily Taylor</p> <p><u>2004 Awards:</u> William Hendricks , Amy Novotny , Kathryn Richards , Danna Schock</p> <p><u>2003 Awards:</u> Sara Xochitl Orozco , Amanda K. Goodin, Amanda Harris. John Werner</p> <p><u>2002 Awards:</u> Michael McConnell ,Mary-Lynn Wetteroth</p>
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Award Name	Michael A. Cichan Memorial Award
Type	Endowment
Nominations Due	14 March 2010
Awards Made	SOLS Awards & Graduation Recognition Program, May 14, 2010
Award Amount	\$500 (approximate amount)
Number of Awards	1 Graduate and/or Undergraduate
Criteria for Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recipient must be a graduating senior or a graduate student • Recipient must be majoring in Plant Biology • Part-time and full-time students are eligible
Application Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter of Faculty Nomination • Self Nominate: See attached Self-Nomination form
Award Summary	The Michael A. Cichan Memorial Award was established in memory of Assistant Professor Michael A. Cichan, whose brief but creative and scholarly career in Botany was an inspiration to his botanical colleagues. The award provides recognition and encouragement to a graduate student at Arizona State University, who demonstrates outstanding potential for achievement.
Application Contacts	School of Life Science Undergraduate Student Services & Academic Advising RM: LSC 206
Past Recipients	2009: Jennifer Riddell 2007: Frank Furruggia 2006: Matthew Lingard 2005: Zhi Cai 2004: Scott Bates 2003: Stephanie Ickert-Bond 2002: Laura Eggink 2001: Christopher Ruhland 2000: Joyce Francis 1999: Karen M. McGinnis 1998: Joanne G. Romagni 1995: Jeffrey R. Bunkelmann 1993: No award made 1992: Jiujiang Yu 1991: Kent D. Chapman

Award Name	Jonathon Wade Psoras Award
Type	Award
Nominations Due	14March 2010
Awards Made	SOLS Awards & Graduation Recognition Program, May 14, 2010
Award Amount	\$100 (approximate amount)
Number of Awards	1-2 (Variable)
Criteria for Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No GPA requirement • No class level requirement
Application Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter of Faculty Nomination • Self Nominate: See attached Self-Nomination form
Award Summary	This award is for outstanding achievement in academic pursuits. It was established by the family of Jonathon Psoras, a Biology and Zoology student who died in 1987.
Application Contacts	School of Life Science Undergraduate Student Services & Academic Advising RM: LSC 206
Past Recipients	2009: Glenn Markov Amber Neitzel Hansa Thompson 2008: Bony Ahmed, Joshua Podlesvsky 2007: Christopher Altamirano 2006: Erin Gibbons, Olivia Knouff 2005: Benjamin Savitch 2004: Ryan Childers 2003: Kate Nuneau, Tricia Zubal 2001: Meghan Radtke 2000: Farshad Marvasti, Marsha Tallman (Honorable Mention) 1999: Matt Shindell; Alon Unger 1998: Jennifer Flood 1997: Erica Feuerbacher 1996: Tracy L. Skjerven

Award Name	Outstanding Service Award
Type	Award
Nominations Due	14 March 2010
Awards Made	SOLS Awards & Graduation Recognition Program, May 14, 2010
Award Amount	\$200 (approximate amount)
Number of Awards	1-2 (Variable)
Criteria for Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The recipient must have a minimum GPA of 3.00. • There is no class-level requirement
Application Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter of Faculty Nomination • Self Nominate: See attached Self-Nomination form
Award Summary	This award is for outstanding service to students, the School and/or the public. Service will have been completed outside of curricular requirements and will not have been done for academic credit.
Past Recipients	2009: Dhaval Gajjar 2007: Shujera Bhutta 2006: Taylor Jackson 2005: Ryan Childers Brenda Flores Sarah Lusk Caitlin Schaninger 2004: Laura Simms 2003: Patricia Eck 2001: Jennifer Zachary 2000: Laura Wait and Shane Daley 1999: Brent Maddin 1998: Melanie Frazier and Lee McCoy 1997: Kirk J. Robertson 1996: Traci M. Main

Scholarship Name	Ralph A. Fisher Jr. Scholarship Award
Type	Endowment
Nominations Due	14 March 2010
Awards Made	SOLS Awards & Graduation Recognition Program, May 14, 2010
Award Amount	\$5,000 (approximate amount)
Number of Awards	1-2 (variable)
Criteria for Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The recipient must be an Arizona resident • The recipient must maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.2 throughout the one year tenure of the award • A junior level class standing is required at time of application
Application Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter of Faculty Nomination • Self Nominate: See attached Self-Nomination form
Scholarship Summary	The award is for demonstrated scholarship in Biology or Plant Biology. It was named in honor of the donor, Ralph A. Fisher, a 1951 graduate of the College of Education.
Application Contact	School of Life Sciences Undergraduate Advising and Student Services, LSC 206
Past Recipients	2009: Lauren Imbornoni 2008: Amber Neitzel, Hang Pham 2007: Adrienne Azurdia; Brian Wojek 2006: Yevginiy Maruskenko 2005: Michelle Knight; Palak Patel 2004: Caitlin Schaninger 2003: Sandra Van Horn; Nancy Wu 2002: Laura Simms 2001: Elizabeth Gosnell

Scholarship Name	Danielle Aronson Memorial Scholarship
Type	Endowment
Nominations Due	14 March 2010
Awards Made	SOLS Awards & Graduation Recognition Program, May 14, 2010
Award Amount	\$5,000 (approximate amount)
Number of Awards	1 (Variable)
Criteria for Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recipient must be an undergraduate woman in Plant Biology • Preference is given to a student graduating the following semester
Application Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter of Faculty Nomination • Self Nominate: See attached Self-Nomination form
Scholarship Summary	This award was created by a gift fund from Jerome Aronson and is presented to a meritorious, undergraduate woman student in Plant Biology
Application Contact	School of Life Science Undergraduate Advising and Student Services, LSC 206
Past Recipients	2009: Tia Alquist 2008: Jacqueline Medrano 2007: Erin Manton 2006: Maura Yates 2005: Roxanne Rios 2004: Amy Novotny 2003: Ada Welsch 2002: Emily Marquardt 2001: Sarah Celestian 2000: Maria J. Wiehe 1999: Cyd E. Hamilton 1998: Karen V. Morris

Award Name	Outstanding Graduating Senior (Plant Biology)
Type	Award
Nominations Due	14 March 2010
Awards Made	SOLS Awards & Graduation Recognition Program, May 14, 2010
Award Amount	\$100 (approximate amount)
Number of Awards	1
Criteria for Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduating senior in the School of Life Sciences
Application Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter of Faculty Nomination • Self Nominate: See attached Self-Nomination form
Award Purpose	Recognition of Excellence
Application Contact	School of Life Science Undergraduate Advising and Student Services, LSC 206
Past Recipients	2009: Amber Neitzel 2008: Erin Manton 2007: Carrie L. Lipka 2006: John Benedict 2005: Roxanne Rios 2004: Laura Simms 2003: Tracy Wagner 2002: Elizabeth Gosnell 2001: Courtney L. Libal 2000: Robin Schramm 1999: Jeremy L. Weiss 1998: Karen V. Morris 1997: Paula E. Matney 1996: Cherie K. Moritz

Scholarship Name	Outstanding Students in Molecular Biosciences and Biotechnology
Type	Award
Nominations Due	14 March 2010
Awards Made	SOLS Awards & Graduation Recognition Program, May 14, 2010
Award Amount	\$100 (approximate amount)
Number of Awards	1 undergraduate; 1 graduate (Variable)
Criteria for Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recipient must be a Molecular Biosciences and Biotechnology Major • Recipient may be a graduating senior or a continuing ASU MBB student (serving as a role model for other students)
Application Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter of Faculty Nomination • Self Nominate: See attached Self-Nomination form
Award Purpose	Recognition of Excellence/Leadership
Application Contact	School of Life Science Undergraduate Advising and Student Services, LSC 206
Past Recipients	2009: Aaron Benally, Ian Puffenberger, Kristina Woodbury 2008: Josie Delisle, Kevin Forsberg 2007: Pilar Hyder; Joseph Maranville; Marshall Reaves 2006: Nicholas Tatonetti 2005: William Hendricks 2004: Amanda Harris, Sheetal Karnik 2003: Fatuma Osman; Danny Yao 2002: Mrinalini Muralidharan, Kenneth Theriot 2001: Dora Dimitrova, Kori Wallace 2000: Kristen McCafferty, Trevor Starr

Scholarship Name	Linda Birge Memorial Scholarship
Type	Endowment
Nominations Due	14 March 2010
Awards Made	SOLS Awards & Graduation Recognition Program, May 14, 2010
Award Amount	\$600 (approximate amount)
Number of Awards	1
Criteria for Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preference will be given to applicants who are Microbiology or Clinical Lab Sciences majors. If there are no qualified applicants from these fields, then qualified applicants from any major in SoLS (main campus) will be considered • Applicant must be a full-time student with sophomore status at the time of application • Applicant must be a first generation college student • Financial need, as demonstrated through the Free Application for Federal Students Aid (FAFSA) form is a consideration • Applicant must have a cumulative GPA of 2.7
Application Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter of Faculty Nomination • Self Nominate: See attached Self-Nomination form
Scholarship Purpose	The award was established by Dr. Edward Birge in the memory of his beloved mother, Linda Birge (1911-2002). Mrs. Birge was a first generation college student and was always supportive of educational pursuits.
Application Contact	School of Life Science Undergraduate Advising and Student Services, LSC 206
Past Recipients	2009: Rene Tellez 2007: Terry Templeton 2006: Kyle Pacheoco 2005: Gabriela Coronado 2004: Rebin Kader

Scholarship Name	Best Senior Paper in Microbiology
Scholarship Type	Departmental
Nominations Due	14 March 2010
Awards Made	SOLS Awards & Graduation Recognition Program, May 14, 2010
Award Amount	\$100 (approximate amount)
Number of Awards	1 (Variable)
Criteria for Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant must have senior class standing • Applicant must have submitted a senior paper in Microbiology
Application Process	Letter of Faculty Nomination
Award Purpose	Recognition of Excellence
Past Recipients	2009: Jennifer Eng 2007: Tricia Radar 2006: S. Michael Anderson 2004: Kendall Allred 2003: Kristina Collins 2002: Keith Varty 2000: Chrystal LeMaster 1999: Jamie Leigh Jewell 1998: Jennifer Briggs 1997: Anna Keilty 1996: Antonio Uribe

Scholarship Name	Microbiology Scholarship
Type	Scholarship
Nominations Due	14 March 2010
Awards Made	SOLS Awards & Graduation Recognition Program, May 14, 2010
Award Amount	\$1000 (approximate amount)
Number of Awards	1
Criteria for Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant must have a junior or senior class standing • Applicant must be a Microbiology major with a high GPA • Financial need, as demonstrated through the Free Application for Federal Students Aid (FAFSA) form is a consideration
Application Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter of Faculty Nomination • Self Nominate: See attached Self-Nomination form
Scholarship Purpose	Recipient selection is based on GPA and need
Past Recipients	2009: Hansa Thompson 2008: Krystal Tsosie 2007: Crystal Moran 2006: Tricia Rader 2005: Crystal Moran 2004: Ana Maria Sanchez

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

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Undergraduate Application Nomination Form

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2. An unofficial copy of your current transcript;
3. A one-page typed statement indicating his/her academic goals, why he/she selected the major, and any other pertinent information,
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Please submit all application material in one envelope to:

**Dr. Miles Orchinik, Associate Director of Undergraduate Programs
Life Sciences C-Wing Room 226**

If sending by email, mail to:

Laura Kaufman, Laura.Kaufman@asu.edu

For questions regarding the application please visit our website.

(PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY)

Student Name: _____ **Affiliate ID:** _____
Last Name, First Name (1000#)

Mailing Address: _____
Street; City, State Zip code

Permanent email address: _____ **Telephone:** _____

Major: _____ **Current Cumulative GPA:** _____

Circle Current Enrollment Status:

College Freshman College Sophomore College Junior
Non-Graduating Senior Graduating Senior Graduate Student

Faculty recommendation: Below is the faculty member who has written a letter of recommendation for my application. The letter, in a sealed envelope, is attached to this application:

(Faculty's Name & Academic Unit)

Applicant Signature: By signing below, I certify that the information contained herein is true and accurate. Further, I give the department/program permission to verify my academic record.

Please Print Name

Student applicant signature

Date

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PLEASE LIST THE NAME OF THE SCHOLARSHIP/ AWARD

Please submit the following:

1. This application form; (Please Type or Print)
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3. **Essay:** In a one page essay or bio, describe your academic and personal achievements as they relate to the award you are applying for.
4. A letter of recommendation from faculty.

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Laura Kaufman, Administrative Associate
Life Sciences C-Wing Room 206

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****PLEASE NOTE: YOU MAY BE CONSIDERED FOR OTHER AWARDS IF ELIGIBLE****

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