

Application for the Walter F. Sill Geology Field Camp Award (Summer 2024)
USI Geology & Physics Department

Instructions: Please **type** responses in the spaces provided on this form. After completing this application, please submit electronically to Dr. Maria (ahmaria@usi.edu) by [TBA] to be considered for this award.

Eligibility: This award will be made to geology majors who have completed at least 45 USI credit hours with at least 9 credit hours of geology coursework completed, a cumulative GPA of at least 2.75, and who are accepted and will attend a geology summer field camp program at an accredited university in Summer 2024. Awards are determined upon the merit of each applicant, reputation of the field program, and availability of funds. A student receiving this award will be required to prove enrollment in the field course, such as a letter from the director of the program or receipt from the Bursar’s office prior to receiving the award.

Last Name:		First Name:		MI:	Suffix (e.g., Jr.):
Student ID #:		Class Standing (e.g., Sophomore, Junior, etc):			
Total Credit Hrs earned:			Total Credit Hrs attempted:		
Cumulative GPA:			Geology GPA:		
<i>Fall 2023</i>			<i>Current Semester (Spring 2024)</i>		
Course (e.g., Geol 161)		Grade	Course		Expected Grade
List all geology courses that you have completed prior to Fall 2023 and the grades that you have earned:					
Course	Semester-Year	Grade	Course	Semester-Year	Grade
What geology summer field program are you planning to attend in Summer 2024? Why have you selected this field camp and/or program?					
How will this scholarship assist you in attending the geology summer program you have selected?					

Please state your short-term goals (within the next 5 years) in earning a geology degree from USI:

In a short paragraph, please discuss your career goals (in the next 20 years) as a professional geologist:

In ~250-word essay, please explain how this field camp experience will contribute to your professional development as a geologist and how it supports your ultimate career goals.

Student Name (Typed):

Signature:

Date: