

WASHINGTON BRITISH COLUMBIA CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY C. Jeff Cederholm Scholarship Endowment Fund

Student Award Scholarship Application Process

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"Jeff was an inspiration and a fountain of knowledge for me."

"His wildlife ethics were so far ahead of most of his peers"

"Jeff--he was without a doubt one of the most dedicated individuals I have ever known."

Quotes from colleagues



Endowment Brief History

Jeff Cederholm dedicated his career to conservation of salmon and aquatic species and their habitats. Jeff passed away in 2006 leaving a legacy of education, pioneering contributions to scientific literature and periodicals and instilling of passion for wild salmon conservation in many people for decades. After a successful American Fisheries Society Meeting hosted by the WA-BC Chapter in Seattle 2011, the Chapter resolved in 2013 to apply raised funds and subsequent contributions to the endowment to create a permanent source of financial support for educational expenses. The Scholarship is administered by the WA-BC Chapter Endowment Committee.

The Scholarship

The SEF will provide three equal value scholarships each school year, one each to an **undergraduate** student (pursuing a bachelor's or associate's degree), a student pursuing a **master's degree**, and a student pursuing a **doctorate**.

The following scholarship criteria apply:

- Scholarships are intended for defrayment of educational expenses such as tuition, student fees, lab fees, books, supplies, room and board.
- Scholarships will be awarded to students pursuing degrees in fisheries, aquatic sciences, or related fields at an accredited college or university.
- Master's and PhD applicants must be Washington-British Columbia Chapter members at the time that their application is submitted.
- Undergraduate applicants need not be Chapter members.

Scholarship for each given year will be equal amounts and will depend on the performance of the Endowment year to year. In 2021, **three \$1,000 will be awarded**.

How to Apply

Provide a brief cover letter addressed to the C. Jeff Cederholm Scholarship Committee, fill out the attached application form, acquire two letters of recommendation and e-mail a merged pdf electronic version containing all elements to WA-BC AFS past president, Brittany Jenewein (<u>btjenewein@gmail.com</u>) or mail to WA-BC Chapter American Fisheries Society, P.O. Box 9322, Spokane, WA 99209. Email submissions are preferred.

Applications will be accepted through February 15th, 2021.