



## Geoscience BC Scholarship in Applied Geoscience

### Award

Up to ten scholarships will be awarded by Geoscience BC annually in the amount of \$5000.00(CAD) each and will be payable directly to the successful student.

### Eligibility

Open to students registered in a Masters (MSc) or Doctorate (PhD) program in earth science or geoscience, and working on a **mineral or oil and gas exploration-related** thesis topic in British Columbia.

Successful PhD students may reapply for a second year of funding (\$5000.00 CAD) provided they demonstrate that they have made significant progress in their studies.

### Application Deadline

Deadline is April 15, 2010.

### Application Requirements

Applicants are required to submit the following **five** documents (approx. 1 page each):

1. A summary resume of your education and work experience including any relevant interests and contact details (mailing address, telephone number and email address).
2. An overview of your thesis project, including intended results and any progress made to date. Applicability to the exploration industry in BC is essential.
3. A statement of interest from you outlining your career objectives and aspirations.
4. A signed reference letter from a professor commenting on your academic qualifications, research ability, potential contributions to applied exploration geoscience or any progress made to date.
5. A signed reference letter from a work supervisor (or a professor, different from above, if no previous work experience), commenting on your work experience, geoscience skill set, contributions to applied exploration geoscience, or any progress made to date.

All documents can be submitted electronically to our Office Manager, Angel Bouwsema via [Bouwsema@geosciencebc.com](mailto:Bouwsema@geosciencebc.com). Reference letters stated in points 4 and 5 above can also be sent via email, but should be sent directly to Geoscience BC from the originator.



If you wish to submit your application in hard copy, please use the address below:

**Angel Bouwsema**  
**Geoscience BC**  
**Suite 440 – 890 West Pender Street**  
**Vancouver, BC V6C 1J9**

### **Conditions of Funding**

GBC requests that successful applicants be prepared to acknowledge GBC's support in any publications or presentations resulting from their project work, and that a digital copy of their thesis be provided to GBC upon completion of their studies. In addition, successful applicants are required to submit a poster at the Mineral Exploration Roundup 2011. GBC would also like to publish a short summary on the student and their project, with an accompanying photograph.

### **Review Process**

Applications will be reviewed by a panel of applied geoscientists, representing industry, academia and government. Preference will be given to applicants whose projects are deemed to have the greatest potential benefit to mineral or oil and gas exploration in BC and whose research and career interests are primarily directed towards the exploration sector, either mineral or oil and gas.

- Application Deadline is April 15, 2010
- Announcement of successful applicants will be made no later than May 15, 2010.
- Please forward all applications and questions to [bouwsema@geosciencebc.com](mailto:bouwsema@geosciencebc.com).

Good Luck!