James E. Applegate Scholarship Guidelines 2024

This scholarship is offered by the New Jersey Chapter of The Wildlife Society and is made possible by an endowment from James ("Doc") Applegate who was a renowned researcher, professor, and mentor who hailed from Rutgers University for over 3 decades.

This \$500 scholarship is offered to New Jersey resident undergraduate or graduate students majoring in wildlife/ecology/natural resources and attending a North American university. The scholarship is intended to defray travel expenses for conferences, including the TWS conference, Northeast Fish and Wildlife Conference, or any conference pertaining to wildlife ecology and management.

The application consists of:

- A letter of interest, not to exceed 1 page, stating why the candidate should be considered. Include the title of the conference to be attended.
- A copy of transcripts (unofficial copy is acceptable).
- Students presenting a poster/paper should include an abstract of their study.
- One letter of recommendation.

Following the conference, scholarship recipients will be expected to submit a one-page essay reflecting on their time from the meeting.

The deadline for application is August 1, 2024.

Application materials should be sent to newjerseytws@gmail.com