



COLORADO COUNCIL OF PROFESSIONAL ARCHAEOLOGISTS
Native American Scholarship
2022

The Colorado Council of Professional Archaeologists (CCPA) is offering a competitive scholarship of up to \$1,500 for Native American students to attend an archaeology field school, compensation of costs for similar training, or other educational expenses related to archaeological or anthropological studies. Examples include (but are not limited to) training in NEPA, NAGPRA, NHPA (Section 106), museum studies, artifact analysis, and tribal cultural preservation programs. Scholarships are for the summer/fall of 2022. This scholarship is for Native American college students who are enrolled in an accredited Anthropology program.

Applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Be an enrolled member of a Native American tribe.
- Must be enrolled in a two or four-year college or university.

How To Apply:

- Complete the application. Applications are available on Colorado Council of Professional Archaeologists' website: <https://coloradoarchaeologists.org/scholarship-opportunities/native-american-scholarship/>
- Write a statement or letter of interest. The letter should address the following points: goals and interest in field of study, reason for selecting the specific field school/training, ways in which the opportunity assists you in achieving your goals, etc.
- Applicants who demonstrate a connection to Colorado are preferred but not required. The connection could include traditional tribal ties to Colorado, Colorado residence, enrollment at a college/university/field school in Colorado, a demonstrated interest in Colorado archaeology, etc.

Timeline:

- **April 25, 2022**, applications due
- **May 12, 2022**, recipient(s) notified

Grant Information:

- All scholarship applications will be reviewed by the CCPA Native American Initiatives Committee (NAIC)
- The purpose of the CCPA Native American Initiatives Committee (NAIC) is to foster an atmosphere of cooperation and understanding between the archaeological and Native American communities through a variety of means, including but not limited to professional development of archaeological careers, education, and outreach.
- The scholarship recipient(s) will also be announced at the next CCPA annual meeting in March 2022 and in CCPA newsletters.



- CCPA may make payments directly to the University. If the student drops the course/training, CCPA must be reimbursed in full.
- The scholarship recipient(s) shall provide proof of accreditation to CCPA upon completion of the field school or other training WITH a brief letter/email to the CCPA/Bridget Ambler describing their experience by December 31, 2022.
- Scholarship recipients are encouraged, but not required, to become student members of CCPA and are encouraged to attend the subsequent CCPA annual meeting held the following spring and present a paper or a poster on their research.

Questions? Contact Bridget Ambler at (970) 570-7770 or bridge4corners@gmail.com.

Submit application form and accompanying documentation via email or USPS to:

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