

**Oregon Lakes Association (OLA)**  
**Scholarship Announcement for 2020**

- ✓ **The Oregon Lakes Association as part of its scholarship and outreach commitment is pleased to announce the availability of a \$1000 academic scholarship.**
- ✓ **OLA seeks to encourage students whose career will contribute to the well-being of lakes and other water bodies. To meet this goal interested applicants should be enrolled (or will be enrolled by the time the award is accepted) in an Oregon college or university graduate program in a field related to the study of Oregon lakes, ponds or reservoirs. An applicant may also be enrolled in a graduate college or university graduate program outside of Oregon if the study project will involve Oregon lakes, ponds or reservoirs.**
- ✓ **Please send your biography (two page limit) plus a statement of research interests and explain why your research is of importance to the field of limnology and/or watershed management, career goals, and intended use of scholarship funds (one-page limit). In addition please request two letters of reference (teacher, academic advisor, community leader or someone who knows you well).**
- ✓ **Send all of these materials to: [OLA Scholarship Committee, OLA post office box 345, Portland OR 97207](#), or to [Wayne Carmichael at wayne.carmichael@wright.edu](mailto:wayne.carmichael@wright.edu).**
- ✓ **The award will be based on quality of research, its significance to the field of environmental science, particularly limnology and hydrology, and relevance of the applicant's interests to Oregon lakes and a career that maintains a contact with limnology.**
- ✓ **Application deadline is May 31, 2020**
- ✓ **Award will be announced by June 15, 2020.**
- ✓ **The successful applicant will also be awarded a one-year membership in OLA, an invitation to attend our annual meeting with up to \$200 in travel expenses and a waiver of the conference fee, in order for OLA to present your award. In addition OLA encourages the scholarship recipient to present results of their lakes project at an OLA future annual meeting.**
- ✓ **See our website with more background on this award at: <http://www.oregonlakes.org/Scholarship>**