

SFFGS Scholarships and Awards				
Updated September 2023				
Scholarships with highly specialized criteria related to geography, career goals, or other factors are highlighted in green. If you feel you meet criteria for one or more of these scholarships, make sure they are addressed in your responses in the application.				
Title	Amount	Criteria	Application/Award Semester	Notes
Carl E. Johnson Memorial Fund	Tuition	Geomatics student from south Florida, specifically Charlotte, Collier, Lee, or Hendry County	Fall / Spring	
Andregg Scholarship	\$500 to \$1,500	Undergraduate students in Surveying and Mapping	Fall / Spring	
Florida Surveying and Mapping Society Scholarship Fund	\$500 to \$1,500	Geomatics student, scholarship, professional potential	Fall / Spring	
Geomatics Initiative Scholarships	\$500 to \$1,500	Geomatics student, scholarship, professional potential	Fall / Spring	
Surveying and Mapping Out of State Assistance	Tuition assistance	Out-of-state student in surveying and mapping	Fall	
Sharon Fitz-Coy Memorial Scholarship	\$500 to \$1000	UF undergraduate student majoring in natural sciences, demonstrating passion for and involvement in volunteer activities impacting youth.	Fall or Spring	Fill out separate application form
J.B. Adkins Memorial Scholarship Fund	\$250 to \$2,000	first priority is forestry majors; second priority to students in other branches of agriculture; >=30 UF credits, potential	Fall / Spring	
LaFontaine Fellowship Endowment Fund	\$250 to \$2,000	Students enrolled in SFFGS	Fall / Spring	
David Conser Cooperative Forestry Assistance Scholarship	up to \$2,000, plus paid summer internship opportunity	Junior SFFGS student with a stated interest in working as a Cooperative Forestry Assistance forester in the state of Florida; renewable for senior year; minimum upper division GPA of 2.5	Fall or Spring	
Rayonier Scholarship to support Diversity and Inclusion in Operational Forestry	up to \$2,500	Rayonier is offering a scholarship for students wishing to pursue careers in operational forestry and who exhibit one or more of the following attributes: -demonstrated commitment to making meaningful contributions to a pluralistic community and the continuation of a diverse student body; -sensitivity to and understanding of racial and ethnic issues in society; -commitment to learning to better communicate and provide an inclusive and welcoming culture across the social lines of gender, race, generation, geography, and class; -ability to overcome educational, social, or family disadvantages; -academic merit and leadership potential.	Fall or Spring	

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Roland T. Stern Undergraduate Scholarship	\$4000/year, renewable	Ordered criteria: (1) Graduate from a high school in Bradford County and studying forest resources and conservation; (2) Graduate from HS in Jefferson, Madison, Hamilton, Columbia, Baker, Nassau, Duval, Taylor, Lafayette, Suwannee, Union, Clay, St. Johns, Dixie, Gilchrist, Alachua, Putnam, Flagler, Levy, Marion, or Volusia counties and studying forest resources and conservation; (3) Graduate from HS in the previous list of N FL counties and studying natural resource conservation or geomatics; (4) a student conducting research at the Austin Cary Forest. Recipients must be full-time students with at least a 2.5 cumulative GPA. Students may receive scholarship for more than one year as long as students continue to meet award criteria.	Fall or Spring	
William P. Shelley, Sr. Memorial Scholarship	\$1,000	Students in the SFFGS	Fall/Spring	
Wayne Smith Leadership	up to \$1,000	To be used at the discretion of the Director of the School to support leadership of professional projects of student organizations in the School and/or to support student leaders who participate in formal leadership development activities such as an administrative internship or a student leadership training program.	Fall/Spring	Complete the separate "leadership awards" application
Winnie Menear School of Forest Resources and Conversation Scholarship	\$800	a native Floridian at the junior level majoring in Forest Resources and Conservation	Fall	
Tyler "Tyce" Hall Endowed Memorial Scholarship	\$1,000	Supports scholarships for Forestry students in their Junior or Senior year.	Fall/Spring	

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Jim and Joh Lybass Forest Landowners Scholarship	\$1,000	Incoming SFFGS undergraduates; minimum 3.0 GPA in high school; pre-professional study, private forest landowner interest; professional potential	Spring	
Leigh A. Walker Memorial Scholarship Fund	\$1,000	Dedicated, enthusiastic forestry students who have a breadth of interests	Spring	
Louis F. Conde Memorial Scholarship Fund	\$1,000	Students enrolled in SFFGS with a keen interest in study and conservation of native plants	Spring	
Newins and Ziegler Scholarship Fund	\$1,000	Two awards: SFFGS senior with highest GPA; SFFGS senior with greatest demonstrated leadership potential	Spring	
Outstanding FRC, NRC and GEM Students	Plaque	Best combined academic, leadership, and professional potential	Spring	Selected by faculty vote from pool of eligible student applications
Society of American Foresters, Florida Division, Outstanding Graduate	Plaque	SFFGS Graduate, SAF Membership, leadership, scholarship	Spring	
Society of American Foresters, Florida Division, Senior Student Scholarship	\$500	Rising SFFGS seniors; participation in Student SAF chapter, academics, and professional potential.	Spring	
William James Menear Scholarship	\$500	junior-level FRC major (as close to forest resource management as possible) who is also a native Floridian	Spring	