Overview

The Esri Canada Higher Education Scholarship award recognizes excellence in the academic achievement of University of Calgary undergraduate students who use geographic information systems (GIS) within

2. the clarity and visual appeal of their poster that describes the GIS project they completed, and
3. innovative use of GIS technology within the project,

You will also be asked to provide biographical information, for example:

- Current degree program and department, school, or faculty name.
- Expected graduation year and term.
- Level of experience with components of the ArcGIS platform.
- Summary of your academic achievements, including overall GPA.

In addition to the information listed above, you will need to provide the following supporting documentation:

- Resume/CV.
- Academic transcripts for current program of study (unofficial copies are acceptable).
- Academic transcripts for previous program of study (optional, unofficial copies are acceptable).
- A digital poster describing the completed or in-progress course- or research-based project which showcases the innovative use of GIS technology, with emphasis on the use of Esri technology.

  Note: submissions involving group / collaborative work will be accepted, however, only a single applicant will be considered for the award. Ensure your contributions to the project are highlighted in your poster submission.

  o Poster Specifications:
    Include first and last name, institutional name (University of Calgary), an appropriate title, and citations, attributions, and acknowledgements (if applicable).
    The poster must be 24 inches by 36 inches (61 cm x 91 cm)
    PDF format, file size limit of 25MB
    All graphics should be minimum 300 dpi (recommended)

    For guidance on how to create an academic research poster creation:
    - [Research Poster](#)
    - [Poster Presentation](#)

The **submission deadline is March 1, 2024.** Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

Important Dates

- Mar. 1: Deadline for students to apply.
- Mar. 15: One applicant notified and invited to submit a report or ArcGIS StoryMap.
- Apr. 5: Deadline to submit report or ArcGIS StoryMap.
- Apr. 12: Selection Committee announces outcome of award competition.

Questions?

If you have any questions, please reach out to Renna Truong at rdtruong@ucalgary.ca. Use the subject line "Inquiry: Esri Canada Higher Education Scholarship."