



IDAHO CONSERVATION OFFICERS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Idaho Conservation Officers' Association was founded in 1980. It is composed of Conservation Officers working for Idaho Fish & Game. These officers are responsible for the preservation, protection, perpetuation and management of all wildlife, including all wild animals, wild birds, and fish within the state of Idaho. The Association provides Conservation Officers with the professional opportunity to share knowledge, experiences, a common love of wildlife and, a member of an international organization.

Idaho Conservation Officers recognize the importance of wildlife and the need for trained, educated individuals willing to work in the field. To this end, students wanting to pursue a career in wildlife conservation are encouraged to apply for one of two scholarships in the amount of **\$1000.00** offered each year. Preference will be given to college students, in good standing and at least a sophomore, who demonstrate an interest in resource conservation law enforcement.

Application Packet: Special application, cover letter addressing your career goals, unofficial transcript, list of references and resume.

Applications should be submitted by June 15 each year, for award in the fall semester of that year to:

Barry Cummings, Senior Conservation Officer
Idaho Department of Fish and Game
1120 Claypit Road
Troy, ID 83843

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Last Name:	First Name:	Middle Initial:	
Permanent Mailing Address: Number and Street			
City:	State:	Zip code:	Telephone:
Date of Birth:		Social Security Number:	

II. EDUCATIONAL RECORD

List the college or university where you are enrolled:		
List your major(s):		
Colleges and/or universities attended:		
Name of School:	Dates attended:	Major:
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III. Please attach a copy of your college or university transcript.

IV. EMPLOYMENT AND VOLUNTEERISM

List any jobs or volunteer activities you have held:

Date of employment From: - To:	Employer:	Work or activity:

V. Attach two references to this application form.

VI. Include Cover Letter indicating professional goals

VII. Include resume

VI. Read the following carefully before signing:

I hereby affirm that:

- a. I am or will be enrolled as a full-time student in the fall semester of this year, as defined by the institution, in an undergraduate or graduate academic program in a public or private college or university accredited by the State of Idaho.
- b. I will be a sophomore, junior, senior or graduate student in good academic standing, as defined by the institution.
- c. I am or will be majoring in Fisheries, Wildlife, Range Sciences, or other related fields.
- d. I will use the funds of the scholarship, if awarded, for educational costs only, which are described as follows: "Student costs for tuition, fees, room and board, or expenses related to reasonable commuting, books and other expenses reasonably related to attendance at a postsecondary educational institution.

Signature: _____

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20_____

VII. Return completed application, transcript(s) and references no later than June 15th:

Barry Cummings, Senior Conservation Officer
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Troy, ID 83871