

**Application for the
American Institute of Professional Geologists (AIPG) - Michigan Section
2016/2017 Educational Advancement Award**

Purpose of Award: *The purpose of the Educational Advancement Award is to promote geological sciences education in the K-12 grade levels (public and private).*

Amount of Award for 2016/2017: \$500

The award may be given to one applicant, or split among several applicants (the amount of the award will be determined by the AIPG section committee). The AIPG selection committee may elect to not make an award if it feels that none of the proposals meet the goals of the AIPG Michigan Section.

Applicant Requirements: *Applicants must be currently employed as a classroom teacher in a public or private school in the State of Michigan.*

Applicant Guidelines: *The review committee is looking for proposals that will result in more hands-on activities and a better understanding of the importance of geology and/or geologic principles.*

(Please print neatly or type)

Applicant Name: _____

Home Address: _____

_____, MI _____

Home Phone: () _____

School: _____ Grades Taught: _____ No. of Students: _____

School Location (city/town, county): _____

Your project Will Involve Developing (please check all that apply)

Labs: _____ Field Trips: _____ Guidebooks: _____ Curriculum: _____ Other: _____

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: ____/____/____

On a maximum of two attached pages, please provide the following along with your name, signature and date:

- A) A detailed description of the project, including expected outcomes
- B) How you propose to evaluate the expected outcome
- C) A time-line when you will start and expect to finish
- D) How many students (and teachers) will benefit
- E) A detailed budget (how you propose to use the monies)

Please submit this application form with the one-two page proposal by to:

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