**Undergraduate Fieldwork Scholarship**

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY APRIL 5, 2019

The Los Angeles County Society of the AIA invites applications from current local student members for 2 scholarships for $1,000 each. This award to support participation in an archaeological field project in summer or fall of 2019, with preference given to those without prior field experience. These scholarships are to assist undergraduates gain their first field experience to explore professional training and a career in an archaeology-related field, and to encourage student membership in the AIA ($40: http://www.archaeological.org/join). Awards can be used to cover any eligible expenses (upon presentation of receipts) including travel, accommodation or tuition costs directly related to fieldwork participation. Student awardees will submit a brief report about their project at the AIA-LAC Fall Garden Party and in the LA County Society Newsletter. Students who receive(d) other awards, such as the AIA Archaeological Field Scholarship or from the Institute for Field Research or Cotsen Institute of Archaeology, UCLA, will not be eligible.

PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WITH YOUR APPLICATION

**Applicant information** (name, mailing and email address, phone number):

**Budget** (outline major expenses of your fieldwork participation, and any other sources of support):

**Narrative (Max: 500 words):** Discuss the impact that participation in the field project will have on your development as an archaeology student. Please include information about (a) any courses you have taken or relevant experience (internships, travel, other fieldwork, etc.), (b) the general scope of the field project and your role in it, and (c) your plans for future study and work in
archaeology and how the proposed field experience will assist those plans. Awards will be made to students who best demonstrate how the experience will make a substantial difference to them.

*Letter of support to be (sent directly to AIA officer at email below):* Please include a letter from the director of your field project confirming your plans and explaining your role in the project.

Please send applications (cover letter with narrative, completed form) to:

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