San Francisco Bay Scholarship
Romberg Tiburon Center for Environmental Studies
San Francisco State University

Name of scholarship/award/prize/loan: **San Francisco Bay Scholarship**

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**Contact for student inquiries:**

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**College/Office/Dept. Web Page where scholarship information and/or application may be obtained:** [http://rtc.sfsu.edu/grad_studies/grad_support.htm](http://rtc.sfsu.edu/grad_studies/grad_support.htm)

**Intent of scholarship/award/prize/loan:**
To provide partial support for educational expenses of undergraduate and graduate students conducting research and taking classes at the Romberg Tiburon Center.

**A. Selection of Applicant Pool:** (how potential candidates are identified or nominated)

Students to meet criteria set below. Students to complete application available on RTC website and include cover letter regarding willingness to participate in RTC community and outreach.

**B. Types of Publicity:** (how potential candidates are notified of the award/scholarship/prize/loan opportunity)

Advertised locally at RTC and on RTC website. [http://rtc.sfsu.edu/grad_studies/grad_support.htm](http://rtc.sfsu.edu/grad_studies/grad_support.htm)

**C. Application Availability and Return Procedures:**

Awarded once per academic year per student. Send application and cover letter to: Doreen Britton (dbritton@sfsu.edu) or send via intercampus mail to Tiburon, Attention: Doreen Britton

**Application Deadline:** September 15 or March 1

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**2. SELECTION PROCEDURES**

**A. Student Eligibility Criteria:**

**Major(s):** (list all or state “all majors within a specific College”) All majors within the College of Science & Engineering
**Class level** (check all who are eligible to apply):
- High School Senior
- Freshman
- Sophomore
- Junior
- Senior
- Graduating Senior
- Credential
- 2nd BA
- Masters
- PhD
- Other

**SF State Student Status:**
- Currently enrolled SF State student
- Entering student
- Both can apply

**Minimum GPA:**
- Undergraduate 2.5
- Graduate 3.0
- No minimum GPA requirement

**Citizenship** (check all that apply):
- US Citizen
- Permanent Resident
- International Student
- Any

**Does scholarship require student to apply for financial aid using the FAFSA form** to determine financial need? (If yes, prior to selection of winners contact Financial Aid to determine if applicants meet this criteria.)
- Yes
- No

**Minimum Enrollment requirement to receive award:**
- Undergraduate/2nd BA -
  - full-time (12)
  - half-time (6)
  - 3 units
  - 1 unit
- Graduate/Credential -
  - full-time ( ___8 or ___9)
  - half-time ( __4 or __6)
  - 3 units
  - 1 unit

- OK to include College of Extended Learning units as part of above enrollment requirement

**Additional Criteria:**

1. Students working on their thesis/final project are not held to the enrollment requirement.

2. Active participation in the RTC community as defined by the following:
   - Faculty mentor identified and research project partially formulated.
   - Current or past enrollment in RTC classes.
   - RTC community service/outreach – participate in specified outreach activities of approx 10 hours per semester at the discretion of the RTC Education and Outreach Coordinator. Review opportunities by clicking on “Community Service” at [http://rtc.sfsu.edu/grad_studies/grad_support.htm](http://rtc.sfsu.edu/grad_studies/grad_support.htm) and contact Erin Blackwood (erin70@sfsu.edu or 338-3757) to discuss prior to completing application.

**B. Selection Committee Composition:** (donors may not be on the selection committee)
Director, Romberg Tiburon Center

**C. Amount of Award:**
- amount varies $250-500

**Number of Awards:**
- one
- varies
- other
- Once per academic year

**Timetable for Award Distribution:**
- Fall
- Spring
- Academic year
- Summer
- varies (Fall or Spring, once/academic year)