



Alamo Area GIS Scholarship

*For Undergraduate and Graduate Students
in the Alamo Area*

What is the Scholarship?

Alamo Area GIS (Geographic Information Systems) Scholarship has been created to:

- Encourage the goals of students and professionals who are working toward their undergraduate or graduate degree in a geospatial science.
- Promote and support the increase of knowledge and proficiency of geospatial sciences in the Alamo Area.
- Recognize and encourage scholastic and professional accomplishments in the geospatial sciences.

How is the Scholarship Funded?

The Alamo Area GIS Scholarship is funded by the proceeds from sponsorships to the AAGIS Conference from local businesses and entities in the community.

What are the benefits of the scholarship?

- A scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded.
- The scholarship will be presented in the form of a check to the recipient.
- Complimentary registration to the Alamo Area GIS Professional Conference (**Date to be announced**).

How will the recipients be selected?

The scholarship recipients will be selected by the AAGIS officers. Selection will be based on merit and meeting eligibility requirements as outlined in the application. Scholarships will only be awarded if applicants are deemed worthy by the AAGIS officers.

When will the scholarships be awarded?

The application deadline is **July 17, 2026**. Recipients will be notified by the end of the day **August 14, 2026**.

How will the scholarships be presented?

Scholarships will be presented to recipients during the lunch hour at the Alamo Area GIS Professional Conference (**Date to be announced**).

How do I apply?

Submit a complete application to AAGIS by end of day **Friday July 17, 2026**.

A complete application includes:

- Application form
- Transcript of current undergraduate or graduate educational courses (PDF).
- A one-page statement (single-spaced) from the student outlining their interest in the geospatial industry, specific education and professional goals, any distinguishing experiences or accomplishments, and contributions to the Alamo area.
- Web Application: Create and share a web application with us to show off your GIS prowess. The application can highlight anything: interests of yours, research, or even schoolwork you've completed. We are looking for a creative and interactive GIS-based web application.
- All documents and the URL to the application must be received in one email in order to be considered.

Eligibility

- Applicant must be a registered student, in good standing, at a recognized university or community college in the Alamo Area. The Alamo Area includes the following counties: Bexar, Comal, Guadalupe, Wilson, Atascosa, Medina, Bandera, Kendall, Hays.
- Applicant must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale unless Fall 2025 is their first college semester.
- Applicant must be enrolled in a course of study in the field of geospatial sciences for the Fall 2025 semester.
- Applicant may not be a past recipient.
- The one-page statement may not be written by AI.

Applicants must include a Scholarship Application Form which can be found on the following page. Only applicants who meet ALL REQUIREMENTS will be considered. Questions will only be answered via email: scholarship@aagis.org

Deadline: July 17, 2026

Submit to: scholarship@aagis.org



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First Name:_____ **Last Name:**_____

Academic Institution:_____

Major:_____ **GPA:**_____

Student Status: Undergraduate / Graduate **Expected Graduation:**_____

Address:_____

City:_____ **State:**_____ **Zip:**_____

Phone:_____ **Email:**_____

Please check that all required documentation is included with your application.

- This Application Form
- Transcript of current undergraduate or graduate educational courses (PDF).
- A one-page statement (single-spaced) from the student outlining their interest in the geospatial industry, specific educational and professional goals, any distinguishing experiences or accomplishments, and contributions to the Alamo area.
- URL to a GIS-based web-application made by the applicant

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Receipt of your application will be acknowledged via e-mail only. Decisions regarding scholarships are made by the AAGIS officers and will be final. Recipients will be notified by the end of the day **August 14, 2026**. Recipients will be acknowledged during the lunch hour at the Alamo Area GIS Professional Conference in San Antonio, TX. The conference typically occurs on a Thursday in the second half of September. The official date of the conference will be communicated via AAGIS.com and to the scholarship recipient directly. Questions will only be answered via email: scholarship@aagis.org.

Please send application and required documentation to: **scholarship@aagis.org**