**Hudson River Environmental Society**

**McKeon Research Grant Application**

**Application Deadline: Monday, February 8, 2021**

The McKeon Research Grant is available for High School, Undergraduate and Graduate

student research on environmental issues in the Hudson Valley. Grants of up to $1,000 will be

given to help defray the cost of summer field work.

**APPLICATION**

Name: Affiliation:

Address: Faculty Sponsor:

Street:

Town:

State: Zip Code:

E-Mail: Phone:

**You must submit a research proposal to include**:

1. Title of Project

2. A brief (2 to 3 page) description of your proposed research project that includes the

following:

a. Details on the research being proposed including relevance, methods, and

anticipated results;

b. A brief discussion of the importance of the proposed field work to your education.

c. A schedule for conducting the project;

d. Indicate whether the work will be part of an established, larger project or is to be

carried out independently.

3. Project budget to include:

a. Total costs of the project including field supplies, equipment, transportation,

living expenses, tuition, if any.

b. Funding requested from HRES (**maximum request allowed is $1,000**).

c. The minimum funding which would make it possible to pursue the desired work.

4. Letter of support from faculty advisor or project supervisor stating the importance of the

award for the applicant, and approval of the proposed project.

Following the field season, the student is expected to prepare a poster for the Annual

Hudson River Environmental Society Symposium presenting the results of their research. This

symposium is typically held in early May in the Hudson Valley.

**How to submit:** It is preferred that all application material be sent electronically as one combined PDF, with a file name with applicants last name(s). For example: DoeJaneMcKeonApplication.pdf

**Please send the completed application to Dr. Lucy Johnson, HRES Grant Committee Chair**

**by COB Monday, February 8, 2021**

**Email complete application to:** johnsonl@vassar.edu

Or mail to: Dr. Lucy Johnson 144 Velie Road, LaGrangeville, NY 12540