



Hello again from the Geosciences Department! We hope you find these weekly emails informative and helpful. Please feel welcome to reply back to these emails, or contact the person listed within any given piece of information, with any questions that you may have.

Tanner Scholarships for Geosciences: These \$5000 scholarships are open to any Geosciences major who is planning on pursuing a career in geosciences or Earth Science education. They require a separate application than the departmental scholarships mentioned below and there is the expectation that the recipients will provide leadership for geoscience outreach and service activities during the 2013-2014 academic year. Please pick up more information in the Department of Geosciences office (202M).

Department Scholarship Applications are Available: GEO majors are encouraged to apply for Departmental Scholarships. An application is attached to this email and more are available in Marianne's office, 202M. The deadline is February 22.

Join us for Talk on Mining Activity in U.S. & Employment Opportunities: Join us on **February 11th**, at 12:30pm in LL124 (lunch provided!) for a presentation by Stephen McKay (WSU Geosciences alumnus) & O.J. Gatten on mining activities in the U.S. & opportunities for employment with North American Exploration. For more information, please contact Dr. Wilson at 801-626-6208 or jwilson@weber.edu.

Presentation on National & Local Strategies for Recruiting Women in STEM: Join us for this presentation by Mimi Lufkin on **February 4th** at 3:00pm in LL231. Mimi Lufkin has over 30 years of experience as an educator advocating for access, equity and diversity in education and workforce development. She has been a high school teacher, teacher educator, founder and executive director of a micro enterprise development program for low income rural women, director of a statewide gender equity professional development program and a community college director of development. Since 1994, Mimi has served as the Chief Executive Officer of the National Alliance for Partnerships in Equity, a consortium of state and local education and workforce development organizations. NAPE's STEM Equity Pipeline provides professional development for educators to transform institutions and classrooms to increase the participation, achievement and completion of under-represented students in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) programs of study. ***If you are planning on attending, please print off the three attachments "Mimi..." beforehand.***

Fill Out A Survey For A Chance To Win An iPad: Did you see this? Weber State is participating in the National Assessment of Service and Community Engagement survey. This online survey measures student participation in service and community engagement opportunities as part of their college experience. Students who complete the survey will be entered in a drawing for an iPad or a \$250 WSU Campus Store gift card. The first 50 students to complete the survey will get \$5 added on to their Wildcard. For more information please contact Brenda Kowalewski at bkowalewski@weber.edu or 801-626-7737

Photo of the Week:



Sara Yearsley (what are they doing) during a (GEO...) trip to Arizona State University's

Have a wonderful week!

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