



POLICY	Career Awareness Sponsorship/Grant Operational Policy
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APPROVED BY	Engineers and Geoscientists BC

GUIDELINES

Engineers and Geoscientists BC receives grants and sponsorship requests from various organizations and student groups around the province requesting sponsorship for their science based activities. Engineers and Geoscientists BC supports hands-on learning experiences for students and their science teachers. We are committed to supporting organizations and groups that develop science, engineering and geoscience skills and interests.

Engineers and Geoscientists BC supports organizations and student groups that:

- Work with young British Columbians to inspire an interest in science, engineering and geoscience.
- Motivate young people to study geoscience and engineering to pursue careers in these fields
- Bring interactive, hands-on science experiences to young people

This includes organizations/groups that:

- Focus on groups that are traditionally under-represented in scientific, engineering and geoscience careers
- Provide instruction and resources to science, math and technology teachers.

ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for an Engineers and Geoscientists BC Career Awareness grant or sponsorship, organizations must be based in British Columbia and/or primarily serve students from British Columbia in science based activities.

USE OF SPONSORSHIP/GRANT

Engineers and Geoscientists BC sponsorships or grants can be used to support the following:

- **Ongoing programming:** Sponsorship funds can be used to cover the costs of activities which are delivered on a continual basis from year to year.
- **Project/Activity specific:** Sponsorship funds can be requested to assist with one-time projects/activities which may or may not continue over the longer term.
- **Focus on science:** Proposed activities must be primarily focused on promoting interest and careers in science. A specific focus on engineering or geoscience is preferred.
- **Proposals with broad impact and reach:** We encourage proposals engaging students at the provincial level with broad reach to various areas around BC. Sponsorship for local groups engaging in science based competitions at the national or international level will also be considered.

DURATION OF SPONSORSHIP/GRANTS

Typically, Engineers and Geoscientists BC provides one-time funding. In some cases groups may request funding for multiple years at a time. The association considers these requests on a case by case basis.

QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions about the Engineers and Geoscientists BC Career Awareness Program Sponsorship/Grants Operational Policy, please contact careerawareness@egbc.ca.