

MEMORANDUM:

TO: All Graduate Students and Faculty Advisors
FROM: Dr. Chuck Cichra, Chair - Florida Chapter American Fisheries Society Scholarship Committee
RE: Roger Rottmann Memorial Scholarship

The Florida Chapter is pleased to announce the availability of the 11th Annual (2007) Roger Rottmann Memorial Scholarship, established in memory of Roger Rottmann, one of the first fisheries biologists ever hired by the State of Florida University System. Roger conducted fisheries and aquaculture research for more than 20 years at the University of Florida, producing numerous scientific journal and educational publications and videos.

This scholarship was established to recognize outstanding students enrolled in Florida universities and colleges. Prior recipients have included:

1997--Robert Humston, University of Miami RSMAS (PhD)
1998--Dan Willis, University of Florida (MS)
1999--Joel Carlin, University of Florida (PhD) AND Bonnie Whitlock, University of West Florida (MS)
2000--Jeff Hill, University of Florida (PhD) AND Tom Glancy, University of Florida (MS)
2001--Steve Huskey, Florida Institute of Technology (PhD) AND Kim Tugend, University of Florida (MS)
2002--Bridget Tiffany, University of West Florida (MS) AND Jodie Rummer, University of West Florida (MS)
2003--Tim Bonvechio, University of Florida (MS)
2004--Patrick Cooney, University of Florida (MS)
2005--Mark Rogers, University of Florida (PhD) AND Jeff Grim, University of West Florida (MS)
2006--Ivy Baremore and Drew Dutterer, Master's Students, University of Florida

Any student, working toward a graduate degree related to the freshwater or marine fisheries sciences, is encouraged to apply. If qualified candidates apply, two scholarships will be given this year: one at the Masters level and one at the PhD level.

Applications must be received by 31 January 2007. The recipient(s) of the scholarship will be notified prior to the Chapter's Annual Meeting, at which the scholarship will be presented. For additional information, contact Dr. Chuck Cichra at 352/392-9617 ext 249 or e-mail FISH@IFAS.UFL.EDU

The following link has the criteria, application form, and letter of recommendation form:
<http://www.sdafs.org/flafs/doc/rottmann.html>