



The Wyss Scholars Program for United States Land Conservation Cohort: 2024-2025

Program Overview

The **Wyss Foundation** is a private, charitable foundation dedicated to United States land conservation. The **Wyss Scholars Program** seeks to identify and nurture a new generation of leaders focused on U.S. land conservation by providing financial support to students who are committed to careers focused on land conservation. It is expected that Wyss Scholars will seek careers in the land conservation field. Qualifying employment includes federal or state agencies or a nonprofit organization with a mission to further land conservation in the United States.

One Wyss Scholar will be selected each year based on leadership potential, commitment to furthering land conservation in the United States, commitment to pursuing a career in nonprofit or public sector conservation, financial need, and academic strength. *All students interested in land conservation and sustainability issues are encouraged to apply.*

**The Getches-Wilkinson Center is now accepting applications for the
2024-2025 Cohort through Friday, January 19th.**

Eligibility

All current 2L J.D. candidates at the University of Colorado Law School are eligible to apply. One Law School student will be selected each year to the Wyss Scholars program.

Application Instructions

Application Due Date: Friday, January 19, 2024

The following items must be completed and submitted as separate PDF e-

Information Sessions

The GWC will host an information session to provide an overview of the program and answer questions about the application process, examples of summer internships, and expectations post-graduation.

Thursday, October 26 12-1pm in Room 206

All interested 2Ls for the current cohort and 1Ls interested in a future cohort are encouraged to attend an information session.

Contact Information

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