



WEAT and WEF Student Membership Award Hill Country (San Antonio) Section of WEAT

About WEAT/WEF

The Water Environment Association of Texas (WEAT) is a Member Association of the Water Environment Federation (WEF). Founded in 1928, WEF is a not-for-profit technical and educational organization with members from varied disciplines who work toward the WEF vision of preservation and enhancement of the global water environment. The WEF network includes water quality professionals from 75 Member Associations in over 30 countries.

Membership in WEAT and WEF will help you satisfy both your personal and professional goals and develop leadership skills while accumulating a knowledge base that is truly extraordinary. WEAT offers you opportunities and benefits you cannot ordinarily obtain by providing statewide networking opportunities with water environment peers. Involvement in WEAT can enhance your career by projecting your experiences and accomplishments to your peers and the industry, by presenting technical papers, serving on committees, or getting involved in technical event planning.

Membership Benefits include the following:

- Professional Development
- Increased Interaction with Peers
- Career Growth Opportunities
- Networking and Social Opportunities
- Recognition by Peers
- Professional Mentoring
- Discounted Admission to Statewide Conferences
- Technical Publications
- Leadership Training
- Access to Scholarship Assistance Program
- Invitation to local chapter meetings
- Reduced price to Texas Water Conference the largest regional water conference in the US, April 27-30, 2026 in San Antonio, Texas

San Antonio Section of the Water Environment of Texas (WEAT)

The San Antonio Section of the Water Environment Association of Texas (WEAT) will be awarding up to ten (10) student memberships to students that demonstrate the following characteristics.

- 1. Attending a 4-year college or university or a junior college with accredited degree programs in Biology, Chemistry, Engineering and Environmental Sciences.
- 2. Maintain a high-grade point average and/or have a high SAT/ACT score.
- 3. Students who have shown leadership abilities in extracurricular activities.
- 4. Have demonstrated special accomplishments and/or achievements.
- 5. Are members, or dependent of a member, of the WEAT San Antonio Section.

Recipients are required:

- To maintain a 3.0 GPA (or receive special exemption from the scholarship committee).
- To be a full-time student (enrolled for a minimum of 12 hours/semester or part-time student (enrolled for a minimum of 6 hours/semester).

If selected, awardees are encouraged to attend at least two local chapter meetings to become acquainted with the organization, meet other members, and to promote WEAT locally to other students.

To apply for the award, submit an application form with enrollment verification provided separately, by September 1, 2025 to Dennis Laskowski via email at dlaskowski@saws.org. Once selected, students may be notified by WEAT and expected to complete the membership application form if sufficient data is not already provided in the enclosed application.





WEAT and WEF Student Membership Award Application Form Basic Information Date of Application: Expected Graduation Date: Print Name: Major: Street Address or PO Box, City, Zip: Telephone: **Email: Classification in the Department** Circle One: Junior | Senior | Graduate Major GPA: **Overall GPA: Membership Commitment** Provide a brief explanation of how membership will enhance career goals: Water Resources and/or Environmental Engineering Coursework Name(s) of course(s) taken: Semester: Year: **Grade:** Name(s) of course(s) taken: Grade: Semester: Year: Name(s) of course(s) taken: Semester: Year: **Grade:** *If more space is needed, attach a sheet of paper with the continued list to the back of the application. **Enrollment Verification** *Please attach documentation of the courses that you are enrolled in at the time of this application. I, the academic advisor and/or faculty member support this application for membership to WEAT by verifying that the above student is enrolled in at least 6 hours of coursework. **Academic Advisor (Print):** Academic Advisor (Signature & Date): **Copy of Student ID Student Signature**