The Gilbert W. Mouser Scholarship in Conservation and Environmental Education

ABOUT DR. JOHN McVICKAR AND PROFESSOR GILBERT MOUSER

Dr. John McVickar received his Master of Science degree in Resource Development from Michigan State College in 1953. During this time, Dr. Gilbert W. Mouser was one of his major professors. Dr. Mouser had a profound impact on Dr. McVickar and over the years his professional relationship with Dr. Mouser formed the basis of his very positive memories of Michigan State College. The excellent program that Dr. Mouser and his colleagues provided for students became the motivation for Dr. McVickar to create this scholarship in Dr. Mouser’s memory. Dr. McVickar states, “I found the whole experience [at MSC] to be very professional, rewarding, and educational.”
The Mouser Scholarship is intended to encourage students who have demonstrated the motivation and capacity to achieve their educational and professional goals, as well as the initiative to seek opportunities to further their progress.

ELIGIBILITY

Eligible applicants are:

- Graduate students pursuing a degree in the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources
- Graduate students whose program of study and career goals are in conservation education and environmental education

Recipients shall be selected by a joint committee with at least one representative of the Department of Community Sustainability and at least one representative of the Department of Fisheries and Wildlife.

All students are encouraged to apply, but preference will be given to students who have not previously been awarded the endowed fellowship.