



41ST ANNUAL EVERGLADES COALITION CONFERENCE

EVERGLADES STRONG: ALL IN FOR RESTORATION

JANUARY 28-30, 2026 @ NAPLES GRANDE BEACH RESORT

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

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Join 400+ participants including elected and community leaders, policymakers, scientists, advocates, business owners, Tribal leaders, and conservationists as we discuss the science and solutions to restoring the Everglades. 20 students will be selected to receive free conference registration, meals, and on-site hotel room. Applicants must be 18+ and a currently registered high school, undergraduate, or graduate student. Scholarship recipients will also be connected with a professional mentor and a cohort of fellow conservation advocates to help facilitate networking.

NEW OPPORTUNITY IN 2026: Students will be invited to share relevant research at the conference poster session.

LEARN MORE & APPLY TODAY

The Everglades Coalition is an alliance of 50+ groups committed to the protection and restoration of the Everglades. Learn more about the Everglades Coalition Conference: evergladescoalition.org/conference

Apply online by October 30th. Scholarship recipients will be notified and invited to attend by December 4th. Apply online: tinyurl.com/EvergladesConference2026



This scholarship is supported by National Parks Conservation Association. Contact Cara Capp at ccapp@npca.org to learn more.

EVERGLADES SCHOLARSHIP

Investing in the Next Generation of Park Advocates



NPCA is proud to underwrite the participation of twenty college students to attend the annual Everglades Coalition Conference, where they can engage with scientists, advocates, elected leaders, and policymakers to learn about protection and restoration of our national parks in the Greater Everglades. This invaluable learning and networking opportunity is available to students from all educational backgrounds - including science, law, and public policy.

"I am passionate about the environment and want to work in research in the future, and would love to one day work in Everglades National Park. Hearing about work being done to restore the Everglades was incredible. I'm excited to see what we can accomplish together in the future."

Samantha Johnson, Florida International University



"I met with people who are willing to help me to build my career. Since I am a science-oriented individual, I met many people from the same background and they are a source of motivation to me. I also got to know how much interest I have in wildlife conservation. It was an awesome experience!"

Providence Pangria, Bethune Cookman University

"My conference experience was very interesting and fun! The panels were interesting and gave me new ideas of the various fields and organizations I can be a part of in the future. I hope to one day be one of the experts in the field advocating for the protection of Florida's environment."

Arielle Perry, Florida Atlantic University



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