GSA Graduate Student Research Grant Program - Subject Matter Categories

When applying for a GSA Graduate Student Research Grant, students are asked to indicate the primary and secondary subject matter categories addressed in their research proposal. Although some proposals will cover more than two subject areas, students should select the two subjects that are most prominent in their proposed research. GSA welcomes proposals in any of these categories, as well as others not listed here. If a student's primary or secondary subject matter is not included in this list, they may select "Other". GSA aims to support a wide variety of research topics; there is no preference for specific subject matter.

Archaeological Geology	Limnogeology
Biogeosciences	Low Temperature Geochemistry
Climatology/Meteorology	Mapping
Coal Geology	Mineralogy/Petrology
Continental Scientific Drilling	Oceanography/Marine Geology
Economic Geology	Organic Geochemistry
Energy Geology	Paleobotany
Engineering Geology	Paleoclimatology/Paleoceanography
Environmental Science	Paleoecology
Geochronology	Paleogeography
Geography	Paleontology
Geoinformatics & Data Science	Petroleum Geology
Geology & Health	Planetary/Space Science
Geophysics/Tectonophysics	Policy/Regulatory
Geoscience Education / Science Communication	Quaternary Geology/Geomorphology
Geothermal	Seismology
Glacial Studies	Soil Science
High Temperature Geochemistry	Stratigraphy/Sedimentology
History & Philosophy of Geology	Structural Geology/Tectonics
Hydrogeology/Hydrology	Volcanology
Karst	Other