

2024 GAULT RESEARCH AWARDS



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About the Gault Research Awards

Gault Nature Reserve is proud to provide support for research. Research projects provide valuable experience and are a major stepping-stone to a student's career, particularly if they are interested in pursuing graduate studies.

Learn more about us: gault.mcgill.ca.

Selection Criteria

This Award will be granted through a competitive review process, evaluated by an impartial committee of faculty members. The selection of recipients will be based on the quality of the proposed research, its relevance to the mission of the Reserve, and the educational background of the student. **The research must be conducted primarily at the [Gault Nature Reserve \(Mont-Saint-Hilaire, QC\)](#) or at the [Wilder and Helen Penfield Nature Conservancy \(Lake Memphrémagog, QC\)](#).** Each selected project is eligible for a maximum grant of \$10,000. To be eligible, candidates must fulfill the following criteria:

- Is or will be an undergraduate or graduate student at McGill University during the coming academic year (2024-2025) **or** was a student in the previous academic year (2023-2024);
- Has not previously received a Gault Research Award for the same degree;
- Demonstrates a strong interest in field-based research **or** in analyzing data that is relevant to Gault's [mission](#);
- Commits to participating in outreach activities highlighting their research with local communities and visitors of the Reserve (e.g., through blog posts, informational kiosks, etc.)

Application Process

Applicants are required to submit the following documents in PDF format to science@reservegault.ca:

- A cover letter;
- A CV including a summary of past training and research experience;
- A University transcript;
- A one-page (maximum) description of the proposed research;
- A letter of support from the project supervisor(s);
- A detailed plan outlining the intended use of the funds.

The decision of the selection committee will be shared with you by email.

Deadline for applying: April 5th, 2024