



Gorgas Scholarship Competition & Alabama Science Scholar Search

2010 – 2011

Applications for the 2011 competition may be submitted directly to the Chair, Dr. Ellen Buckner. Deadline for receipt of entry is Friday January 7, 2011. Final competition for 2011 will be held at Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville AL March 2-4.

This competition is for High School Seniors only. See complete information and entry instructions on the website at

www.GorgasScholar.org

Entrants must have a scientific paper describing original research or project. Scientific work may have been done in conjunction with a summer science program or year-round supervised work. It may have been presented at other science fairs or paper competitions. Gorgas Scholars compete for over \$10,000 in Scholarships and most Alabama Colleges and Universities offer additional scholarships.

The Gorgas Scholarship Program is named for General William Crawford Gorgas, the Alabama physician who conquered yellow fever in the Panama Canal Zone and later became the Surgeon General of the United States Army. The purposes of the Gorgas competition are to promote interest in science and to aid in the education of promising students.

The Alabama Science Scholar Search and Gorgas Scholarship Competition is a program of the Alabama Academy of Science and the Alabama Power Foundation. For questions, contact Dr. Buckner, Chair, at ebuckner@usouthal.edu or (251) 445-9449 or Dr. Mark T Jones at mtjones@auburnschools.org or (334) 444-3099.