

27th HGS Student Expo
September 14-15, 2026
Houston, TX
www.studentexpo.org

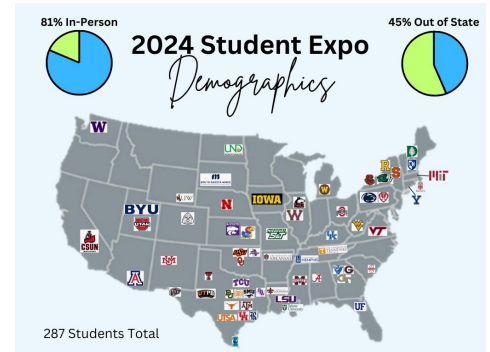


Recruiter and Sponsor Information

The HGS Student Expo is a packed two-day event on September 14-15th at the Norris Conference Center in Houston, CityCentre. As a recruiter, the Expo provides an inexpensive but significant opportunity to promote your company as a potential employer to over 300* talented geoscience students from across the country during the exhibition and evaluate potential interns and new-hires in private in-person or virtual interview rooms. There are four recruiter packages available for purchase.

Event line-up includes:

- Recruitment exhibition
- Career panel luncheon
- Candidate interviews
- Networking happy hour



Recruiter Sponsorship Packages

	Platinum \$3500	Gold \$3000	Silver \$2500	Bronze \$2000
Attendees	6	4	2	2
Exhibitor Table [†]	2	1	1	1
Interview Booth [†]	2 (days 1&2)	1 (days 1&2)	1 (day 2 only)	
Lunch (Day 1 Only)	✓	✓	✓	✓
Recognition on HGS & Student Expo Websites	✓	✓	✓	✓
Access to student demographics, resumes & poster session	✓	✓	✓	✓
WiFi & power supply	✓	✓	✓	✓

* Numbers based on the 2025 Student Expo

† Includes power supply

Add-Ons*

- Each additional interview booth (\$500/day)
 - Includes 2 additional attendees
 - Includes power supply
- Each additional attendee (\$200)

*One recruiter package must be purchased to utilize

Specialty Sponsorships

Receive special recognition on the HGS Student Expo website, and shoutouts (e.g. LinkedIn) and signage displaying your logo throughout the specific event/item you are sponsoring for your contributions.

Want to sponsor something not listed? Please email office@hgs.org to discuss further.

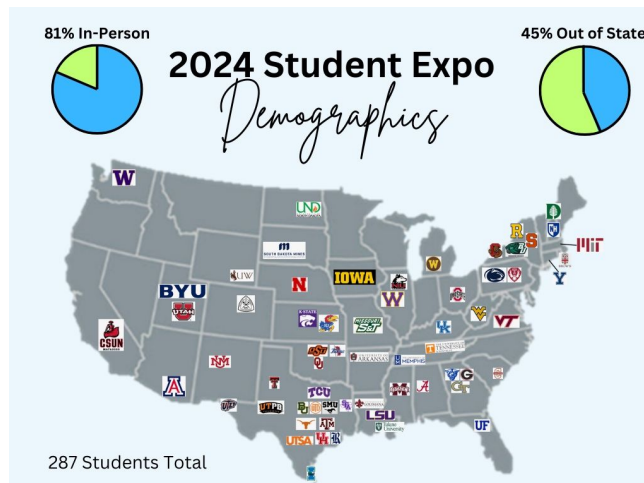
Headline Sponsor	\$10,000
Conference Luncheon	\$3,500
Signage	\$2,000
Poster Session	\$1,500+
Poster Awards	\$1,500
Lanyards	\$1,000
Happy Hour	\$500+
Coffee, Day 1	\$750
Breakfast, Day 2	\$1,000
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2025 Student Expo

300+ Students

70+ Universities

30+ States



HGS Student Expo Exhibition and Sponsorship Agreement



Date: _____

Recruiter/Sponsor: _____

Contact name: _____ Title: _____

Contact email: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Postal code: _____

Contact phone: _____

Recruiter Sponsorship Items

- Platinum Package \$3,500
- Gold Package \$3,000
- Silver Package \$2,500
- Bronze Package \$2,000
- Additional Interview Booth \$500/day
Number of additional booths _____
Number of days (1 or 2) _____
- Additional Attendees \$200/each
Number of additional attendees _____

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- Headline Sponsor \$10,000
- Conference Luncheon \$3,500
- Signage \$2,000
- Poster Session (Min \$1500)
- Poster Awards \$1,500
- Lanyards \$1,000
- Happy Hour (Min \$500)
- Coffee, Day 1 \$750
- Breakfast, Day 1 \$1,500
- Coffee, Day 2 \$750
- Breakfast, Day 2 \$1,500

Agreement total: (US \$): _____

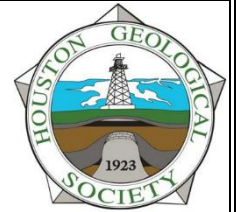
Payment

100% of payment is due at time of execution. Fulfillment cannot be guaranteed without payment in full.

- Credit card (additional 3.5% processing fee)
- Check (mail to 14811 St. Mary's Lane, Suite 250, Houston, TX 77079)
- ACH - information upon request
- Zelle - Houston Geological Society (andrea@hgs.com)

Please direct questions and submitted forms to office@hgs.com

HGS Student Expo Exhibition and Sponsorship Agreement



Terms and Conditions

1. The undersigned (“Organization”) hereby submit the signed agreement (“Agreement”) for exhibition and sponsorship at the HGS Student Expo (“the Event”), to be held, September 14-15, 2026.
2. This agreement shall be binding upon its acceptance as set forth above.
3. All amounts are in U.S. Dollars.
4. Packages are non-refundable and non-transferable.
5. Package monies are to be paid to the Houston Geological Society (HGS) and may be deductible as ordinary and necessary business expenses. They are not deductible as contributions or gifts for U.S. federal income tax purposes.
6. The organization agrees to pay 100% of the total commitment upon signature of agreement. Fulfillment cannot be guaranteed unless package is fully paid.
7. Organizations are required to submit an approved company logo in JPEG, GIF, or TIFF format with this signed agreement.
8. The HGS Student Expo Committee will be ultimately responsible for fulfillment and all expenditures for packages therefore it is required that sponsor initial and date Item #9.
9. The sponsor shall defend, indemnify, and hold the HGS Student Expo and the Houston Geological Society (HGS) harmless from all liability, costs, and damages relating to acts and omissions of organization and its employee’s, agents, and contractors associated with the event. _____ [Initials required.]
10. If for any reason the event is not held, the HGS Student Expo and the Houston Geological Society (HGS) may terminate this agreement prior to the event start date and provide written notice to the organization.
11. This agreement contains the complete agreement of the parties, and all prior agreements, whether verbal or written will be null and void.
12. Please direct all questions and submit forms to office@hgs.org.

The undersigned (“Organization”) represents and warrants that he/she has full power and authority and is legally competent to enter into this agreement for exhibition or sponsorship at the 2026 HGS Student Expo (“Event”) operated by the HGS Student Expo and managed by the Houston Geological Society, a corporation (“HGS”), on behalf of the organization. Upon completion and signature, the sponsor and/or exhibitor agrees to all terms and conditions of this agreement.

Name: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____