About You

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Short Bio: (250 words or less)

Received BSc in Geology from the 'Ben-Gurion University' in Israel at 2008;
Received MSc in Geology from the 'Hebrew University' in Israel at 2011;
PhD Candidate at the University of Alberta since January 2012, working on the Petrophysics, diagenesis and geochemistry of the Montney Formation in western Canada.

Project Description

1. Name of project ____________________________________________________________

2. Brief synopsis/areas of geosciences or engineering (50-75 words)

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3. Bullet list of 5-7 main outcomes/goals.

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4. In two or three sentences, describe why your research is important. Please mention who will benefit from your work.

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5. Timeline with milestones (12 month/18 month) ____________________________________________________________
6. Funding amount needed to achieve first basic goals within 12 months. Please provide a brief summary overview of your budget. List costs of 5-10 main items.

7. In the process of gaining background knowledge in the field of your proposed research, who did you find to be the top two or three researchers? What are the main concepts that are being explored? Please briefly describe.

8. Please provide a photo of yourself and a photo related to your proposed project. It will be very helpful in publicizing your project and potentially securing funding.

9. Who will benefit?

AAPG Research LAUNCHER supporters receive

The opportunity to work directly with you and receive reports, information, and findings, depending on the level of support.

The Deal

The researcher agrees to:

- Develop a brief public presentation on the research to be made available to AAPG
- Share an annotated bibliography and review of relevant published articles
- Present research findings on project at an AAPG Forum, GTW, or Research Symposium
- Write a detailed report on the results of your research to be made available to LAUNCHER supporters
- Write a extended abstract on the results of your research to be made available to AAPG

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