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Welcome to Our Newest Majors:

Chris Turner - Geol, Holly Chatterton - Geol, & Leroy Fulton - Geol. Please do not hesitate to let us know how we can best support you with your goals. (Geol=Geology major, AEG=Applied Environmental Geosciences major, EST=Earth Science Teaching major).

Entry-Level Geotechnician Job / Rio Tinto / Bingham Canyon Mine:

Rio Tinto is looking to fill the position for a Geotechnician to be responsible for installation and maintenance of both software and hardware for the slope monitoring systems. Deadline is November 10. [Please visit this page to learn more and apply.](#)

Kennecott Geology and Geotechnical Monitoring (Monday):

The Geoscience Speaker Series continues with “Kennecott Geology and Geotechnical Monitoring” presented by WSU Geoscience alumni Jens Gibbs (Geotechnical Engineer/Geologist) and Matthew Laird (Geotechnician) with Rio Tinto Kennecott Copper. Join us Monday, November 6, 12:30 pm in TY 234. A flyer is attached.

Slime & Mass Extinctions:

We are pleased to host Dr. James Hagadorn (Denver Museum of Nature & Science) for two presentations on Wednesday, November 8. "Deep Time Slime"

will be presented 11:30 am-12:20 pm in TY 217, and "The Rocky Mountains' Newest Mass Extinctions" will be presented 3:30-4:20 pm in TY 211. Everyone is welcome to attend. Flyers are attached.

Paid Internship in Washington, D.C.:

The American Geosciences Institute's (AGI) Workforce Program is seeking a full-time intern for a 12-week project beginning in January or February 2018. This position will be focused on researching the extent of impact of geologic mapping and related data products on the U.S. economy. Details about the position and how to apply are provided on the attached flyer

Come in for Advising:

The Spring 2018 course schedule is now available online. As you consider your choices, please come touch base with your departmental faculty advisor to discuss your course selections, and overall degree progress. The advisors are listed below. Academic Advising can save you time, effort & money -- come see us!

- All Graduating Seniors (Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Summer 2018): [Dr. Rick Ford](#)
 - Geology: [Dr. Rick Ford](#)
 - Applied Environmental Geosciences: [Dr. Marek Matyjasik](#)
 - Earth Science Teaching: [Dr. Rick Ford](#)
 - Geospatial Minor/Geomatics Certificate: [Dr. Michael Hernandez](#)
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We Need Photos of Majors for Majors' Board:

Magan Tea is heading up efforts to update the Geology majors' board in the Majors' Room. She needs photos of all majors. If you would like to be on the majors board (we hope everyone can participate) please [send her a picture at your earliest convenience](#). Please indicate your major (Geol, AEG, or EST) with the photo. Thank you!

Ergo Calls for Student Submissions:

Ergo, Weber State University's Undergraduate Research Journal, is calling for student submissions for the 2017-2018 academic year. This journal gives students an opportunity to publish new research and encourages research to be

shared and understood across disciplines. Please see the attached flyer for full information. You can also [learn more about Ergo here](#).

Study Abroad Opportunity:

Northern Arizona University is offering a geo-study-abroad trip to Bosnia, Croatia, and Montenegro to investigate hydrogeology and water-systems engineering in karst aquifers. Weber State students may participate and transfer earned credits from NAU to WSU for geoscience elective credit. Please see the attached flyer for more information.

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Photo of the Week:



Demetrio Antonio, Aaron Phipps, Tommy Thorpe, Carmen Longo, and Brindalyn Greaves, take a family photo with their baby rock before a Field Methods presentation. (Photo credit: Jessica Clark)

Have a great weekend!

[The Department of Geosciences faculty & staff](#)



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