



## THE GERALD D. SCHMIDT MEMORIAL BIOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP

*for*

Students Pursuing a Master's or Ph.D.

*in the*

Department of Biological Sciences

College of Arts and Sciences

University of Northern Colorado

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**D**r. Gerald D. Schmidt, class of 1960, was a professor of Zoology and Parasitology at the University of Northern Colorado for 25 years. Dr. Schmidt discovered 200 new species and parasites. In addition to being an internationally known parasitologist, Dr. Schmidt published over 160 articles in professional journals and wrote several books currently in use world wide. One of the three founding members of the Rocky Mountain Conference of Parasitologists, Dr. Schmidt received a lifetime membership award from that same group. In recognition of his outstanding contributions to the field, he was awarded the Henry Baldwin Ward Medal by the American Society of Parasitologists.

Dr. Schmidt received the M. Lucille Harrison Award for Outstanding Teaching in 1968, the UNC Distinguished Scholar Award in 1972 and the UNC Distinguished Alumnus Award in 1975. It is out of respect and admiration of Dr. Schmidt that his colleagues, students and friends established this scholarship in his honor.

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The Gerald D. Schmidt Memorial Biology Scholarship is awarded to graduate students in the Department of Biological Sciences.

The University of Northern Colorado Foundation is pleased to recognize the generosity of Mrs. Pauline Schmidt, and others who provided the gifts to create this permanent fund to perpetuate excellence in the College of Arts and Sciences.

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