

ANNOUNCEMENT - GRADUATE STUDENT TRAVEL AWARDS

For Travel to Professional Meetings

SPRING AWARD PERIOD: STUDENT APPLICATION DEADLINE: AWARDS ANNOUNCED WEEK OF: January 1, 2023 – December 31, 2023 March 17, 2023 May 15, 2023

Graduate Studies is now accepting applications for graduate student travel to meetings of nationally and internationally recognized professional societies to be held between January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023.

ELIGIBILITY

Graduate students at or near the completion of their studies who have not previously received this award and who are presenting a research paper (acceptance of paper may be pending at time of application) are eligible. Students must be in good academic standing and are required to hold and maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0. Applicants must be registered and enrolled as full-time graduate students. Students on PELP (Planned Educational Leave Program) and Filing Fee status are not eligible for this award. Travel must take place during the award period (see above) and prior to the student submitting their thesis or dissertation.

AWARD

Award amounts vary depending on the destination of travel. Please note, these awards are funded by state funds and travel restrictions are listed here.

- \$1,500 maximum award for all travel outside the continental United States (including Hawaii & Alaska)
- \$1,000 maximum award for all travel within the continental United States but outside of California
- \$500 maximum award for travel within California and conferences held virtually

Disabled student applicants, whose disabilities require the assistance of a personal attendant, may also request an award for the attendant's travel.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

The application details can be found at https://gradstudies.ucdavis.edu/travel-awards.

March 17, 2023: Graduate student submits their completed application and supporting materials through <u>InfoReady</u>. Supporting materials needed are below and must be uploaded as PDF only:

- A student and research statement (max 300 words each)
- An abstract of the paper or presentation
- A letter (or e-mail) of acceptance, a formal invitation, or a printed program as evidence of acceptance Indicate "Pending" on the application if written confirmation has not yet been received. Funds, if awarded, will be released when the Office of Graduate Studies has received evidence of acceptance
- Documentation of overall academic record or transcript. An unofficial copy attached by your graduate program coordinator or <u>MyUCDavis</u> is acceptable. Unofficial transcripts from SISWEB will not be accepted
- A Curriculum Vitae (CV) including a list of publications and/or awards
- A letter of recommendation from a major professor
- Please submit a separate application for each conference you are attending



FOR GRADAUTE PROGRAM USE ONLY:

Graduate Programs will rank their applications in InfoReady and submit for the Graduate Studies Faculty Review Committee's review. Please make sure the applications submitted fit the eligibility criteria. **Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 17, 2023.**