



Purdue University, Center for Animal Welfare Science

Announcement of Travel Grant/Scholarship Opportunities  
from the Center for Animal Welfare Science

The Center for Animal Welfare Science is pleased to announce the intention to facilitate graduate student and postdoctoral fellow travel to academic Research and/or Extension conferences in 2016 to present work resulting from collaborations with center-affiliated faculty or staff.

**Eligibility.**

In order to be eligible for travel funding consideration you must:

- be a postdoctoral fellow, or a M.S. or Ph.D. graduate student in good academic standing.
- be actively collaborating with one or more center-affiliated faculty or staff members.
- be presenting research and/or participating actively in some documentable way in an academic conference.
- be actively working on research which is focused on some aspect of animal welfare science consistent with the Center's areas of focus.

**To Apply.**

Please send the following to Dr. Nicole Widmar [nwidmar@purdue.edu](mailto:nwidmar@purdue.edu) by Friday, June 17<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm in a single PDF document.

Completed 3 page application form, including a detailed budget outlining the total cost of the travel and amount requested from the Center for Animal Welfare Science, as well as a disclosure of whether funds are being received from other sources to support the proposed travel.

Requests of up to \$1,000 will be considered, although the Center for Animal Welfare Science reserves the right to fund a portion of the requested amount (or to refuse funding), at the discretion of the evaluating committee.

**Funding Criteria.**

Funding decisions will be made by a committee within the Center for Animal Welfare Science based upon information provided on the application form, letters of support, level of involvement in conference activities, and completeness/acceptability of proposed budget. Failure to meet eligibility requirements will result in applications being rejected for funding without review.

*In the event that funding is received, all work presented at the conference for which funding was provided must display acknowledgement of funding for travel by the Purdue University Center for Animal Welfare Science. In addition, before funds will be released, any student receiving funding will be required to submit a one page project summary suitable for posting on the Center for Animal Welfare Science website detailing the research work completed, key findings, and acknowledging the Center for Animal Welfare Science for facilitating presentation of such work.*



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Travel Grant/Scholarship Application: 2016

If you have any questions, please contact Dr. Nicole Widmar at [nwidmar@purdue.edu](mailto:nwidmar@purdue.edu).

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Department: \_\_\_\_\_

**Graduate students**

M.S. or Ph.D. (Circle One). Intended Year of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Major Professor/Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Center-Affiliated Collaborator: \_\_\_\_\_

**Postdoctoral Researchers**

Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Center-Affiliated Collaborator: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name of conference you are seeking funding to attend.

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Dates of Conference: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Conference: \_\_\_\_\_

Level of Participation (please check one):

Oral Presentation       Poster Presentation

Other. Please Describe: \_\_\_\_\_



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Has your work already been accepted for the above-mentioned conference? \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide a short summary of your project/work which you will be presenting in the text box provided below.

Please provide a short statement of how funding from the Center for Animal Welfare for travel to your proposed conference will contribute to your professional development in the text box provided below.



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Please provide a complete budget for your proposed travel in the space provided.

Are you receiving support for this travel from any other source (including your major professor or department)? (please circle)

YES

NO

If yes, from what source and how much?

Source: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount: \_\_\_\_\_