C. Werner and Kitty Hirs Research Awards
for Ph.D. Student Travel to Nationally Recognized Meetings

Student travel awards are provided from an endowment entitled the “C. Werner and Kitty Hirs Graduate Student Enrichment Fund” made to the University of Colorado Foundation for the use by the Graduate School at the Anschutz Medical Campus. Awards will be for up to $500 and are to be used to help defray the expenses incurred by a Ph.D. student who attends a nationally recognized meeting and presents his/her work.

Eligibility:
1. The student must have successfully passed his/her comprehensive exam.
2. The student must be enrolled in a biomedical sciences Ph.D. program.
3. The student must have an abstract (first author) submitted and accepted for presentation at the meeting.
4. The student must submit an estimated budget to attend the conference.
5. The student’s laboratory mentor must commit to providing any additional support necessary for the student to attend the meeting.
6. For attendance and presentation at a conference the award will be up to a maximum dollar amount of $500.

Application Materials:
1. Application form (see Travel Award Application Form on our resources page)
2. Student’s CV
3. Abstract of the work to be presented at the meeting
4. A letter of acceptance from the organization holding the meeting

Submittal Deadlines:
Applications must be submitted one month before the meeting.

Please visit the PSC website to make sure you are familiar with any travel restrictions that are in place due to COVID-19. These restrictions are fluid.

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