

Application for Travel Grants



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Application deadline: **March 31, 2010**

The Society for the Preservation of Natural History Collections (SPNHC) is offering grants of a minimum of \$750 USD for travel expenses associated with attendance of the SPNHC Annual Meeting. Participants are required to make all their own travel arrangements, including application and requests for visas, if required. The SPNHC Annual Meeting Local Organizing Committee can provide a letter of support verifying registration/participation in the meeting. Applicants should be members of the Society or apply for membership before the application will be accepted. Preference will be given to graduate students or emerging professionals in fields related to the management and conservation of natural history collections. Applicants from the institution(s) hosting the meeting will not be eligible. Awardees are required to make either an oral or poster presentation at the meeting and to be first author on the presentation. Receipt of the grant is contingent on the acceptance of the applicant's abstract by the local committee for the meeting. A letter of support from your advisor, supervisor, or professional mentor should be submitted to the SPNHC Annual Meeting Local Organizing Committee (electronically) together with this application.



Name			
Institution			
Address			
City		State/Province	
Country		Zip/Postal Code	
Country of Residence			
Telephone		Email	
Anticipated travel dates			
Are you receiving any additional funds to attend this meeting?	Y	N	
Are you a current member of SPNHC?	Y	N	

Explain in the space provided below the benefit that attending a SPNHC meeting will afford you.

Provide an estimate of anticipated travel expenses (in US\$):

Transportation (air fare, train fare, ground transportation)	\$
Lodging	\$
Meals	\$
Additional expenses (list individually)	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
TOTAL (in US\$)	\$

Please submit your application to the SPNHC Annual Meeting Local Organizing Committee. Electronic submission is preferred (jprice@mus-nature.ca), but hard copies will be accepted at the address below, provided they are received by the application deadline, March 31, 2010.

SPNHC 2010 Annual Meeting Travel Grant
 Canadian Museum of Nature
 P.O. Box 3443, Station D
 Ottawa, ON, CANADA K1P 6P4

or FAX at 613-364-4027



Checklist:

- ✓ completed application form sent to Local Organizing Committee
- ✓ letter of recommendation sent to Local Organizing Committee
- ✓ enrolled as current member in SPNHC
- ✓ abstract submitted for poster or oral presentation at SPNHC Annual Meeting