

Graduate Student Request For Travel Funds



Applications will be reviewed once a month and are due by the 15th. Applicants will be notified by the 1st of the following month. Please plan to submit requests at least two months prior to anticipated travel dates.

PURPOSE OF REQUESTED TRIP: **Travel** **Research** **Other**

If research: Must include copy of invite to conduct research or approval to use archive/library and a brief letter (e-mail of recommendation from advisor individualizing support for funding and how it relates to thesis).

TRAVELER:

Name: _____
Visa Type: _____
Email Address: _____
Mailing Address: _____
Telephone Number: _____

TRIP:

Name of Conference: _____

Location Origin: _____ Destination: _____
Departure Date: _____ Return Date: _____

Airfare: _____

Please submit airfare itinerary, ticket(s,) and confirmation of payment – with prices – upon return from trip.

Maximum funding based on time zone: \$500 (EST/AST), \$350 (CTZ/including WA, OR, HI, AK), \$250 (MST/PST), Mexico/Canada (follow time zones).

Personal/Rental Car License: _____

Round-trip Mileage: _____

Please submit printed map including estimated mileage. Log sheet is required if multiple destinations.

Comments: _____

Approved: _____
Event #: _____

Date: _____
Funding Source: _____

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- Travel funds are for MFA or PH.D students to present work at a conference or symposiums.
- Limit one grant funded per year, per a student on a first come first serve basis.
- Must include a 1 page request or proposal indicating purpose of trip in relation to student's research/thesis.
- Must provide copy of invitation to participate in conference or symposium.
- Documentation of expense estimates (Travelocity or other online quotes are acceptable but actual receipts must be turned in for final reimbursement)
- Travel funds cover transportation only – hotel charges are not covered.
- Transportation expenses shall be reimbursed based on the most economical mode of transportation and the most commonly traveled route consistent with the authorized purpose of the trip –
<http://www.ucop.edu/ucophome/policies/bfb/g28vii.pdf>
- Reimbursement will not be processed until all required documentation is received by the department's Financial Coordinator and after student returns from travel.
- Please complete this insurance form and print insurance card before your travel event has taken place – [UC Travel Insurance Form](#)
 - For more information, please visit:
<http://www.ucop.edu/risk-services/loss-prevention-control/travel-assistance/enrolling-in-uc-trip-insurance.html>.
 - Your Employee ID can be found on your pay stub by logging on [At Your Service](#).