Travel Scholarship Application
UMN College of Veterinary Medicine

Please include the following in your application:

Cover Page: Please provide the following information on the cover page of your application:
1) Name, University ID#, and CVM class
2) E-mail address
3) Name of program and contact information for organization
4) Destination
5) Short description of the trip objective(s) (1-2 sentences)
6) Travel dates
7) Total budget request amount

Summary of Activity: Provide a brief (2-3 paragraphs) description of how you plan to use the travel scholarship. Be sure to provide a summary of the course, program, or activity, when applicable. Focus on the "what", "where", and "when" details of your activity. If a language or cultural component is included in your proposed activity, please include this aspect in the description. Program websites or material should be included in the application if available.

Budget: Provide a detailed proposed budget for your activity. Be specific about airfare and other transportation costs, room and board, expected food and living expenses, etc. Miscellaneous expenses are typically not covered. Please remember that you, the applicant, will be responsible for 20% of the cost incurred.

Rationale: Provide a one paragraph summary that succinctly describes how this experience will be of benefit to you as a future veterinarian.

Funding Preferences:

The CVM travel scholarship committee will utilize the following preferences when awarding funding:

1) Priority will be given to students who have not previously received funding.
2) Priority will be given to upper classmen who have not previously traveled.
3) Priority will be given to international opportunities.
4) For trips that involve the opportunity to perform surgical procedures, preference will be given to students who have at least completed their second year.
5) Groups are encouraged to consult with Dr. Molgaard or Dr. Minicucci if funding is essential for the trip to occur.
6) Educational value, cultural opportunity, and uniqueness of the experience will be evaluated heavily.

Deadline: The Travel Scholarship Application Deadline is MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2014 at 12:00 PM. Please submit application and supporting materials by e-mail to Amanda Anderson at andersoa@umn.edu.

Please contact either Dr. Laura Molgaard or Dr. Larissa Minicucci with any questions you might have. Award decisions will be made in March 2014.

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