



AMERICAN SOCIETY OF ANIMAL SCIENCE

ASAS Travel Scholarships:

Wilson G. Pond Appreciation Club International Travel Award

Name of Award: Wilson G. Pond Appreciation Club International Travel Award.

Nature of Award: Certificate and a specified monetary award towards expenses for travel to an international meeting or training in an international venue.

Purpose: The Wilson G. Pond Appreciation Club will support travel:

- To aid in the professional development and success of young animal scientists in an international venue.
- To cover international travel within the given calendar year.

Eligibility for Nomination:

- ASAS Membership for at least 12 months.
- Early career member defined as a member that is a student, a post-doctoral fellow or within 10 years of their PhD graduation date.
- If request is for attendance to a meeting, preference will be given to individuals giving a presentation.

Nomination dossier must contain the following:

- A description of the meeting or training opportunity (not to exceed 2670 characters and spaces).
- A justification of the importance of the opportunity (not to exceed 2250 characters and spaces).
- A budget and listing of matching funds.
- Confirmation of applicant's membership (ASAS Member ID Number).
- A copy of the applicants CV.
- Three letters of support from any ASAS members.
- Citation for printing and reading (not to exceed 1000 characters and spaces).
- Photo of nominee (photo will only be used in the awards program and will not be visible to the award review committee).



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H. Allen Tucker Graduate Student Travel Scholarship

Name of Award: H. Allen Tucker Graduate Student Travel Scholarship

Nature of Award: A specified monetary award and a certificate.

Purpose: The Tucker Appreciation Club will support travel for graduate students to the ASAS annual meeting and the biennial Biology of Lactation Workshop.

Eligibility:

- Applicant must be a current Graduate Student Member of ASAS.
- Applicants must submit an abstract to the ASAS annual meeting. Abstracts must be related to research in physiology, endocrinology, growth, or developmental biology.
- Abstracts found unacceptable as described in the ASAS "Quality Standards for Abstracts" will not be considered.
- Abstracts must be presented as an oral presentation at the ASAS annual meeting
- Each applicant must provide one letter of recommendation from his/her thesis advisor.
- Previous winners are not eligible
- All entries must be submitted by published abstract deadline.

Application Procedure:

Application to be submitted electronically on the website by the published deadline.

Selection Criteria:

The abstract will be judged on the following criteria:

- Originality.
- Clear-cut experimental design, results, interpretation, and conclusions.
- Potential impact on industry.

Evaluation Committee

The evaluation committee will be a panel of three ASAS Past Presidents.



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Joseph P. Fontenot Travel Scholarship

Name of Award: Joseph P. Fontenot Student Travel Scholarship.

Nature of Award: A specified monetary award and a certificate.

Purpose: The Fontenot Appreciation Club will support travel for graduate students of the Southern Section ASAS Scientific Meeting and the National Annual ASAS Scientific Meeting.

Eligibility:

- Applicant must be a current Graduate Student Member of ASAS.
- Applicants must submit an abstract for oral presentation at the Southern Section ASAS Scientific Meeting or ASAS Annual Meeting.
- Abstracts found unacceptable as described in the ASAS "Quality Standards for Abstracts" will not be considered.
- Applicant must provide one letter of recommendation from his/her thesis advisor or department head.
- Applications that have been submitted for other ASAS student travel scholarships for the same meeting will not be eligible for the Fontenot Graduate Student Travel Scholarship.
- All entries must be submitted by published abstract deadlines.

Application Procedure: Applicants must submit an oral presentation at the Southern Section ASAS Scientific Meeting or the ASAS Annual Meeting prior to the respective abstract submission and awards deadline, whichever deadline comes first. Applicants that have not completed the abstract submission will be removed from consideration for the award.

Selection Criteria: The abstract will be judged on the following content:

- Importance, originality, clarity 65%
- Letter for Support 35%

Evaluation Committee

- Southern Section Meeting: The evaluation committee will be a panel of three Southern Section Past Presidents. A nonvoting chairperson will chair the committee.
- Annual ASAS Meeting: The evaluation committee will be a panel of the immediate past presidents of geographical sections of the American Society of Animal Science. A nonvoting chairperson will chair the committee.