

Pre-Doctoral Student Travel Award Application
Gait and Clinical Movement Analysis Society (GCMAS) GCMAS Meeting:
May 22-25, 2018, Indianapolis, Indiana, U.S.A.

Name:

Address:

Phone:

E-mail:

GCMAS membership Status:

Member

If you are a member, what year did
you become a member?

Student Member

Not a member

Will you be traveling overseas
to attend the meeting?

Yes

No

Education

Institution:

Current degree held:

Current degree enrolled:

GPA:

Current program enrolled:

Advisor name and title/position:

Advisor phone:

Advisor e-mail:

Conference participation

Number of oral presentations (first author and co-author) accepted:

Number of poster presentations (first author and co-author) accepted:

Please check this box if you are not presenting and only attending the conference.

GCMAS Pre-Doctoral Student Travel Scholarship Guidelines

1. Eligible students include anyone pre-doctoral and are affiliated with a specific educational/training program at a public or private education institution. This includes, but is not limited to: Bachelor's, Master's, Pre-DPT, Pre-PhD, and Pre-MD.
2. The minimum amount of a student travel award is \$400.00. This award is available to assist students defray their travel costs for attending the annual GCMAS conference.
3. A student may receive no more than one (1) travel award total per year. If you have previously received an award, you are still eligible.
4. Students agree to attend all days of the conference if awarded.
5. Applications not adhering to the procedures/instructions below will not be considered.
6. Applications must be received no later than February 15, 2018 at 11:59 PM Central Time.

Scoring

Awards are based on the following criteria:

1. Quality of the written statement (50%)
2. Presentation at the meeting (20%)
3. Letter of recommendation, GPA, etc (30%)

Procedure/Instructions

1. Complete the GCMAS Student Travel Award Application form.
2. Include a statement (1000 words maximum) describing your specific academic and personal goals related to the GCMAS society and annual conference.
 - a. If you are presenting, please describe how your work fits under the umbrella of GCMAS and what you expect to gain from presenting at the conference.
 - b. If you are not presenting at the conference, you are still eligible to apply. However, we strongly encourage you to clearly describe future work being planned and how you anticipate using the conference experience to aid in planning this future work.
 - c. If you have previously received a travel award from GCMAS, please describe how you have built upon the prior year's award and attendance at the meeting.
3. Include a one (1) page maximum letter of support from your primary mentor on institutional letterhead.
4. Include all conference abstracts accepted to the program.
5. Send the completed application (form, abstract(s), support letter, and statement) by e-mail to: Dr. Jenna Yentes, GCMAS Education Committee Chair, jyentes@unomaha.edu.