

Pre-Doctoral Student Travel Award Application
Gait & Clinical Movement Analysis Society (GCMAS) Meeting
March 26-29, 2019
Frisco, Texas USA

Award Guidelines

- 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.
- 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.
- A student may receive no more than one (1) travel award total per year. If you have received an award for a prior year's conference, you are still eligible.
- Students agree to attend all days of the conference if awarded.
- Applications not adhering to the procedures/instructions below will not be considered.
- Applications must be received no later than January 21, 2019 at 11:59 PM Central Time.

Scoring

Awards are based on the following criteria:

- Quality of the applicant's written statement (50%)
- Accepted abstract(s) at annual meeting (20%)
- Letter of recommendation, GPA, etc. (30%)

Application Instructions

- Complete the GCMAS Student Travel Award Application form.
- Include a written statement describing your specific academic and personal goals related to the GCMAS and attendance at the annual conference.
 - *Statement should be 1000 words maximum, 12 pt font, Times New Roman, double spaced.*
- 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.
- 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 the conference experience will aid in planning this future work.
- 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.
- Include a one (1) page maximum letter of support from your primary mentor on institutional letterhead.
- Include a copy of your CV.
- Include all conference abstracts accepted to the program.
- Compile all documents into one single PDF.
- Send the completed PDF application (form, abstract(s), CV, support letter, and statement) by e-mail to: Dr. Christina Bickley, GCMAS Education Committee Chair (CBickley@twu.edu) by January 21st, 2019.
- Award recipients will receive notification by February 11th, 2019 in time for the early bird registration deadline of February 15th, 2019.

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Personal Information

Name:			
Address:			
Phone:			
Email:			
GCMAS Membership Status:	Student Member	Regular Member	Not A Member
If you are a member, what year did you become a member?			
Will you be traveling internationally to attend the meeting?			

Educational Information

Educational Institution:	
Current Program Enrolled:	
Current Degree Held:	
Current Degree Enrolled:	
GPA:	

Advisor Information

Advisor Name:	
Advisor Title/Position:	
Advisor Phone:	
Advisor Email:	

Conference Participation Information

How many podium presentations have you had accepted at this year's meeting? (Either first author or co-author):	
How many poster presentations have you had accepted at this year's meeting? (Either first author or co-author):	
Please check this box if you are not presenting and are only attending the conference.	