

NORTHLAND CHAPTER ACSM 2017 STUDENT TRAVEL AWARD

The Northland Chapter of the American College of Sports Medicine (NACSM) is pleased to offer up to five (5), \$500 travel awards to student members of NACSM. The purpose of the award is to provide assistance to help fund travel expenses accrued by up to five (5) students to present their scholarly work at the ACSM 64th Annual Meeting, 8th World Congress on Exercise is Medicine® and World Congress on the Basic Science of Exercise and the Brain, which will take place in Denver, CO from May 30-June 3, 2012. Please visit:

www.acsmannualmeeting.org for more information.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Applicant must be an undergraduate/graduate student in good standing at the time of submission of the abstract for the ACSM annual meeting and have been an NACSM Student (grad or undergrad) member at the time the abstract was submitted.
2. Abstract must have the applicant as the first author and the abstract must be accepted by the program committee for presentation at the ACSM 64th annual meeting (e.g. free communication/slide, free communication/poster, clinical case study). See #7 below for additional information on verifying acceptance prior to receipt of travel award)
3. Applicant must have a faculty sponsor, who must sign the application indicating that the student is in good standing and that the student is responsible for the research abstract being presented.
4. Applicant must submit a letter (no longer than one page) describing: a) the importance of the research being presented; b), how the research experience influences his/her future career; c), their involvement in the NACSM
5. Scientific quality will be the primary criterion for selection. Following quality, priority will be given to students who have not previously received a travel award from NACSM.
6. Students who are already receiving funds from NACSM to attend the ACSM conference (e.g quiz bowl winners, Presidents Cup) are not eligible to receive the award.
7. Applications must be received electronically by January 1, 2017, **no exceptions.** *As final annual meeting abstract selections will not be released by this date, interested candidates are encouraged to apply with their submitted abstract. Awards monies will not be sent to awardees until verification of acceptance is received.*
8. Send to bradley.bowser@sdstate.edu with subject line as "NACSM Student Travel Award".
9. Announcement of award recipient will be made by February 1, 2017.
10. Selection of the awards will be conducted by a committee made up of the NACSM Student Activities and Research Director and 2 NACSM board members.
11. In order to receive funding, award winners will be required to submit receipts verifying \$500 in allowable expenses directly resulting from presentation at the meeting. Examples of allowable expenses are travel, lodging, conference registration, and meals.

2017 NACSM Student Travel Award Application

Name _____ NACSM id# _____

Signature _____

Postal Address _____

Daytime Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

Institution _____

Degree/Current Degree Being Pursued _____

Title of Abstract _____

Faculty Sponsor _____

Faculty Sponsor Signature* _____

Institution _____

Sponsor's Daytime Phone _____

Sponsor's E-mail Address _____

Please Note the "Requirements" listed above. Applicants must list presentation / abstract type and/or title and submit a one-page letter describing 1) the importance of the research being presented, 2) how the research experience influences her/his career, and 3) their involvement in the Northland ACSM Chapter. Please INCLUDE a copy of your abstract.

*Faculty sponsor confirms that the applicant is 1) a current member of the Northland Chapter of the American College of Sports Medicine, 2) is a graduate or undergraduate student in good standing, and 3) is responsible for the research abstract being presented.