



APPLICATION FOR JRS BIODIVERSITY FOUNDATION GRANTS 2018

Application deadline - 5.00pm GMT April 30th

The [JRS Biodiversity Foundation](#) is offering assistance towards the costs of travel for those wishing to attend from African countries. Grants of US\$250, \$500, \$1,000, \$1,500 and \$2,000 are available.

Participants are required to make all their own travel arrangements, including application and requests for visas, if required. Preference will be given to those who have had submitted abstracts accepted by the SPNHC-TDWG 2108 local organizing committee.

A letter of support from the applicant's advisor, supervisor, or professional mentor should be submitted to spnhc.tdwg2018@otagomuseum.nz together with this application and a copy of the abstract for the paper/poster the applicant intends to present.

(See below for instructions for submission.)

Name	
Institution	
Address	
City	
State/Province	
Zip Code	
Country	
Country of Residence	
Email address(es)	
Anticipated travel dates	
Are you receiving any additional funds to attend this meeting? Y N	
Amount requested	US\$

Respond to each of the four questions below, limiting your response to 400 words total.

1. Give a brief description of your Museum/place of work. (Students - Describe your course of studies.)

2. Give a brief description of your current position, duties, and number of years in the museum/biodiversity profession (Students - State your goals in the museum/biodiversity profession.)
3. How will your attendance at the SPNHC-TDWG annual meeting strengthen your career as well as your work? (Students - How will your attendance strengthen your future career? How will it help you meet your goals in the museum/biodiversity profession?)
4. I am in need of financial assistance because...

Please provide an estimate of anticipated expenses (in US\$):

Transportation (air fare, train fare, ground transportation)	\$
Lodging	\$
Meals	\$
Additional expenses (list individually)	\$
Total	\$

Please submit your application and a copy of your abstract to spnhc.tdwg2018@otagomuseum.nz. Only electronic submissions can be accepted.