SSPA Conference Grant Program for Students and Recent Graduates

The ASA Section for Statistical Programmers and Analysts (SSPA) has a small grant program to pay the primary registration fees for section members who have recently graduated and who want to attend an ASA conference.

Eligibility

- The applicant is a current student or has graduated from a college or university within the previous three years with a degree in statistics, biostatistics, applied mathematics, or a related field.
- The applicant must be a member of the SSPA in the year for which funds are requested.
- The conference must be an ASA-sponsored conference such as the Joint Statistical Meetings (JSM) and the ASA Conference on Statistical Practice.

Application

The applicant should fill out the Conference Grant Application and send the application to the Treasurer of the Section. The decision to approve a grant is dependent upon sufficient funds being available. Upon approval, the Treasurer will contact the ASA to waive the conference registration fee. Consequently, **applications should be sent before you register for the conference**.

The Treasurer will administer this grant program and present an annual report to the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee will determine limits on the program each year based on available funds. For example, the Executive Committee might decide to limit the maximum number of grant recipients and the maximum award per person.

Currently, a maximum of 10 awards are authorized and no person shall receive more than $500 during the calendar year.

SSPA Conference Grant Application

Name:

Company Name:

Occupation:

Address 1:

Address 2:

City:

State/Prov :

Country:

ZIP Code:

Phone:

E-mail:

Are you a recent graduate? List university, degree, and date of graduation.

Are you a member of the ASA Section for Statistical Programmers and Analysts?

What conference do you plan to attend? (Name, location, dates)

Conference registration fee (The grant for this amount):

Are you presenting a paper, poster, or workshop? If so, what is the title?

Are you serving on an ASA committee that is meeting at the conference? If so, which?