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Student Travel Awards for Professional Presentation (STAPP)

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ABSTRACT

The purpose of the *STAPP Awards Program* is to help defray the costs of any SHSU undergraduate student for travel to conferences, meetings, exhibits, or performances where the results of their faculty-mentored research, scholarship, or creative activity will be presented. Students must be enrolled at SHSU at the time of travel.

Funding: Each student will receive \$400 for regional/state travel and \$800 for national/international travel

Award Submission Deadline- October 1st (Fall travel); March 1st (Spring/Summer travel)

Selection: Applications will be evaluated, prioritized and selected by the Faculty Research Council, an interdisciplinary committee composed of faculty from each college. If your application is selected for funding, per SHSU policy, all travel will be reimbursed upon completion of the appropriate travel forms and submission of receipts. It is your responsibility to work with your faculty mentor and/or departmental administrative assistant to complete all appropriate forms prior to travel and to submit receipts for allowable expenses upon your return.

Submission: Please pay careful attention to these guidelines as incomplete applications and applications that do not follow the guidelines will be rejected. We will accept STAPP Award submissions throughout the year. To submit, combine all required proposal elements into a single PDF document and submit [here](#).

For questions related to the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs - Internal Grant EURECA Programs, please contact delaine@shsu.edu.

APPLICATION GUIDE

Sections

The STAPP Award application will consist of 3 individual sections. Each section must begin on a new page and be clearly listed in the Table of Contents of the proposal application. All sections should be continuously paginated and properly formatted in the prescribed order.

STAPP Awards Program – *Required Sections:*

- I. Application with mentor and chair approval signatures and dates
- II. Budget and budget justification form
- III. A letter of support from the student's faculty mentor

*Find all of the required documents for submission [here](#).

Additionally, we attempt to fund as many applications as possible, please plan to share rooms and costs with other students attending the same conference if possible and let us know how you intend to do so as part of your Budget Justification.

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