**Application for Student and ECR Travel Award for Indo-Pacific Fish Conference / ASFB 2023**


# Information about the OCS travel awards 2023

The OCS is providing funding for students and early career researchers (ECRs) to travel to the Indo-Pacific Fish Conference / ASFB to be held in **Auckland, New Zealand from 20-24 November 2023**. For **ECRs** and **students**, $600 AUD grants are available for in-person attendance. Note that applicants are expected to present a talk or poster at the meeting, and successful applicants must acknowledge the OCS as providing funding to support their travel.

Instructions for applying for the OCS 2023 travel awards are as follows:

* Complete all fields in this form to the best of your ability and return via e-mail to the OCS Vice President at: ssherman@deakin.edu.au
* Applicants must have been a member of OCS for at least **6 months** prior to applying
* Applications will be assessed on the basis of the scientific merit of the research being presented, evidence of efforts to disseminate information about the project, and the need for support based on budget information provided.
* Applications must be received by **05:00 PM AEST 28 July 2023**.
* Please note that these awards will be highly competitive and **poor-quality applications will not be considered**.

# Personal, research and presentation details

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| Name |  |
| Student or ECR | [ ] Student [ ] ECR  |
| What year did you finish your PhD (ECRs only) |  |
| Degree type (students only) | [ ] Honours [ ] Masters [ ] PhD |
| What year did you start this degree (students only)? |  |
| University / Organisation  |  |
| Presentation title |  |
| Presentation type  | [ ] Oral [ ] Poster |
| Attendance  | [ ] Online [ ] In-person |
| Describe the target audiences for your project outcomes – who needs to know about your project and why? |  |
| Brief research summary – what is your project about; what methods and approach were used; what findings will you present? (Maximum of 200 words, dot-point form preferable) |  |
| Have you communicated this data at a previous conference; in a peer reviewed journal; via mainstream media; via social media; industry briefings; public meetings etc? If so, please list these. |  |

# Travel and funding details (only if attending in-person)

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| Departure city |  |
| Transit city (if applicable) |  |
| Estimated cost of travel[[1]](#footnote-1) including airfares and accommodation |  |
| Are you also sourcing funds from your university to attend this meeting? If so, please specify the amount that may be covered and the funding sources. Also include the amount of personal funds you expect to invest in travel to the meeting. |  |

# Any other comments or remarks?

1. If more than one flight/transfer etc. is required, please separate costs of each. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)