



Postgraduate student, research assistant and/or research fellow 2023 Conference Attendance Funding

This call is for attendance at a 2023 conference. There will be two funding rounds this year:

Round 1: **Opens 1 February 2023**
 Closes 1 March 2023
 Decisions will be announced by 31 March 2023.

Round 2: **Opens 1 June 2023**
 Closes 1 July 2023
 Decisions will be announced by 31 July 2023.

Eligibility: You must be a student or employee of Victoria University of Wellington whose supervisor is a Principal Investigator in the Centre for Biodiscovery. Funding is to support attendance at a local, national or international conference. Eligible costs include registration fees, airfares and/or accommodation.

Funding available: up to \$500 per award (and up to five awards granted per round).

How to Apply: Applications should be submitted via email to biodiscovery@vuw.ac.nz by the closing date of the funding round. Only complete applications will be considered. Draft abstracts and/or abstracts where acceptance from the conference is still pending are fine, but the final abstract and notification of acceptance must be forwarded once obtained.

Priority will be given to applicants who: (i) are actively participating in a conference by presenting a poster and/or talk and (ii) have not previously received Centre for Biodiscovery funding.

If you are funded: Funding recipients must agree to include the Centre for Biodiscovery as an affiliation in their abstract, and to acknowledge the funding support in their presentation (*i.e.* on their poster or in their Acknowledgements slide). Funded applicants must also be willing to provide a short blurb (and cheesy photo) for our monthly newsletter about your conference experience.

2023 Conference Funding Application Form



APPLICANT DETAILS

Name:

Email:

School:

Position:

Supervisor's Name(s):

Have you received prior CfB funding? If so, provide the details.

Year of enrolment (if student):

CONFERENCE DETAILS

Conference: *Provide the conference name, date and website.*

Presentation type: *talk or poster.*

Presentation abstract: *as submitted (or to be submitted), include the title, authors, affiliations and abstract text.*

Has your abstract been accepted for a talk or poster?

SIGNIFICANCE

Though we would love to fund all applications, we are likely to have more applications than we have funding to support. Therefore, briefly describe (~250 words) why we should fund your application. Why is this conference important to you? What will you get out of it (e.g. job networking? Scientific glory?). Can you think of any benefits to the wider CfB community from your conference attendance?

BUDGET

Estimated costs *include an itemised list of major costs (e.g. registration, flights, accommodation) in NZD.*

Other sources of funding applied for and/or received *(provide details)*