The Association of Primate Veterinarians (APV) recognizes the importance of DVM/VMD training programs promoting non-human primate care and wellbeing. The APV Education Committee awards one Travel Grant Award (of either $500 or $1500 plus waived APV Workshop registration fee) to a veterinary student. The Travel Grant Awardee may present a poster or oral case report, clinical investigation, or research project at the APV Workshop, October 19-22, 2022, at The Lexington Griffin Gate Marriott Resort & Spa in Lexington, KY. Veterinary students that will not be presenting are eligible for an award of up to $500 for travel expenses (including APV Workshop registration). Veterinary students that will be presenting, are eligible for an award of up to $1500 for travel expenses (including APV Workshop registration). The award will help defer the cost of travel to the APV Workshop, but the recipient is responsible for all travel arrangements and costs exceeding $500 or $1500, respectively.

Applicants must be enrolled in a DVM, VMD, or equivalent degree from a veterinary medical college. Training program qualification will be at the discretion of the APV Education Committee.

Applicants must submit the following:

- A CV, two pages or less
- An essay, less than 400 words, describing the applicant’s interest in primate medicine, care or research, and the impact that attending the APV Workshop will have on their professional development
- Two letters of recommendation from mentors describing the candidate’s character, experience and interest in nonhuman primate medicine, care or research
  - Mentors must be board certified (in an AVMA recognized veterinary specialty) or have a Ph.D.
  - At least one letter of recommendation must be from a current APV member

Applicants are strongly encouraged to submit the following:

- A letter from the student’s veterinary program formally excusing the student’s absence from coursework covered during the conference and confirming their approval of the student’s attendance at the APV Workshop
- If presenting, an abstract, less than 300 words, describing the clinical case, research, or management-related issue to be presented

Research projects or case reports impacting the husbandry, clinical management, and/or welfare of nonhuman primates are highly desired. Applicants are encouraged to review the APV Veterinary Student Travel Grant Rubric for additional information.

Applicants will be reviewed by the APV Education Committee. Incomplete applications will not be evaluated. The submission deadline is Friday, July 1, 2022. For more information, please contact Alexandra Smith (alexandra.smith@abbvie.com)

To apply, visit https://www.primatevets.org/workshop for online submission.