The Association of Primate Veterinarians (APV) recognizes the importance of post-DVM/VMD training programs promoting non-human primate care and wellbeing. The APV Education Committee awards three Travel Grant Awards Award ($1500 plus waived APV Workshop registration fee) to residents or graduate students. The Travel Grant Awardee will present an 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. 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 $1500.

Applicants must have a DVM, VMD, or equivalent degree from a veterinary medical college and be enrolled in a formal residency, postgraduate training program, or laboratory animal medicine internship. Training program qualification will be at the discretion of the APV Education Committee.

Applicants must submit the following:
  o A CV, two pages or less
  o 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
  o An abstract, less than 300 words, describing the clinical case, research, or management-related issue to be presented
  o Brief letter of recommendation from a mentor describing the candidate’s residency or graduate program and their involvement in nonhuman primate medicine, care or research
    o Mentors must be board certified (in an AVMA recognized veterinary specialty) or have a Ph.D.
    o If the mentor or advisor is not a current APV member, applicant must also submit a letter of recommendation from a current APV member

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 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.