

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF ANIMAL SCIENCE

ASAS Travel Scholarships:

Joseph P. Fontenot Student Travel Scholarship

Name of Award: Joseph P. Fontenot Student Travel Scholarship.

Nature of Award: A certificate and a specified monetary award towards expenses for travel.

Purpose: To support travel for graduate students to the Southern Section ASAS Meeting and the National ASAS Annual Meeting.

Eligibility:

- Applicant must be a current Graduate Student Member of ASAS.
- Applicants must submit an abstract for oral presentation at the ASAS Southern Section Meeting or ASAS Annual Meeting.
- Abstracts found unacceptable as described in the ASAS "Quality Standards for Abstracts" will not be considered.
- Applications that have been submitted for other ASAS student travel scholarships for the same meeting will not be eligible for the Fontenot Graduate Student Travel Scholarship.
- All entries must be submitted by published abstract deadlines. Applicants that have not completed the abstract submission will be removed from consideration for the award.

Selection Criteria: The abstract will be judged on importance, originality, clarity (65%) and letter of support (35%).

Dossier must include the following:

- Applicant must provide one letter of recommendation from his/her thesis advisor or department head.
- Citation for printing and reading (not to exceed 1000 characters and spaces).
- Photo of nominee (photo will only be used in the awards program and will not be visible to the evaluation committee).

Evaluation Committee:

- Southern Section Meeting: The evaluation committee will be a panel of three Southern Section Past Presidents. A nonvoting chairperson will chair the committee.
- ASAS Annual Meeting: The evaluation committee will be a panel of the immediate past presidents of geographical sections of ASAS. A nonvoting chairperson will chair the committee.

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