



CALL FOR APPLICANTS AGRO Education Awards

Support for Graduate Student Poster Presentations at the 2007 Fall ACS Meeting in Boston

The AGRO Division has established an endowment fund that will be used to promote an understanding of the role of chemistry in agriculture as embraced in the following areas related to pest management chemistry. Potential topics include synthesis, metabolism, regulatory, biotechnology, delivery, risk assessment, resistance, residues, mode of action, and fate/behavior. To address this mission, awards will be made through the Division's Education Committee.

Proposals are sought for the 2007 awards. Graduate students will be awarded up to \$600 each to help defray costs of attendance to give poster or oral presentations at the ACS 2007 Fall Meeting, which will be held August 19 – 23, 2007 in Boston. Posters will be displayed in a special poster session of the ACS AGRO Division as well as at the ACS Sci-Mix. A winner and two runners up will be selected for display at the Division's Social. First, Second, and Third place winners will receive an additional cash award. The subject of the presentation should fall within the areas listed in the introductory sentence.

To apply, a graduate student should submit the following, to be received no later than April 2, 2007:

1. An abstract formatted according to the directions given on the ACS website. Be sure to include name (of applicant), address, and e-mail address.
2. A two page extended abstract giving more detail of the research/presentation.
3. A letter of nomination from the faculty advisor.

Submit items 1, 2 to the ACS OASYS abstract submission website. Submit item 3 to as a Word or pdf file to Dr. John Johnston at john.j.johnston@aphis.usda.gov.

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Abstracts will be reviewed by the Education Committee; submitters will be notified of their selection status in May 2007.