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## Student Application for Professional Development Funding

Application due dates are September 15 (Fall semester related travel)

and March 1 (Spring semester related travel) of each academic year

Student professional development awards are available to admitted and currently enrolled graduate students in Department of Educational Psychology programs contingent upon the availability of funds.  A student can be awarded EPS Student Professional Development funding once per academic year.

A student may be eligible for expenses related to travel/registration expenses to attend a **conference only** (conference registration, transportation, or lodging only). Awards can be up to $350.00 during the current academic year.  *Preference will be given to those students who are presenting at conferences and are 1st author on research presentations*.

Completed applications are accepted twice per academic year – September 15 for conferences taking place in the fall or winter semesters (July 1 the December 31; all travel must be completed by December 31), or March 1 for conferences taking place in the spring or summer semesters (January 1 thru June 30; all travel must be completed by June 30).

Only completed applications accompanied by support documentation will be reviewed (required support documentation: conference brochure, proof of acceptance for presentations/posters, letter of support from an EPS faculty member or EPS faculty advisor).  Submit your application to [EPS@nau.edu](mailto:EPS@nau.edu). Support letters/emails from faculty/advisors can be emailed to [EPS@nau.edu](mailto:EPS@nau.edu). APPLICATIONS NOT RECEIVED BY THE DUE DATE WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. **PLEASE SUBMIT WITHIN THE SEMESTER IN WHICH TRAVEL WILL OCCUR ONLY**.

Students are also encouraged to seek other sources of funding through their place of work; i.e., school district, or the links below:

* Graduate Student Organization ([Travel & research grants for NAU graduate students | NAU Office of Graduate and Professional Studies](https://legacy.nau.edu/graduate-professional-studies/travel-research-grants/))
* COE Dean’s Graduate Research/Travel Grants: (<https://legacy.nau.edu/college-education/student-resources/travel-research-grants/>)

**Application Submission Date:** Click here to enter a date.

**Name:** Last, First, MI **NAU Student ID #:**

**Phone:**       **Current Email:**

**Program Name:** Choose an item. **Advisor’s Name:**

**List all Classes in which you are currently enrolled:**

**Current Cum GPA:**

**Attending Only  Attending and Presenting**

**Date Conference Starts:** Click here to enter a date. **Date Conference Ends:** Click here to enter a date.

**List the name of the conference, reason for attending, and relationship to your Program of Study:**

**What are the benefits to you as a Graduate Student for attending this conference?**

*For Department Use Only:*

**Funding Granted**?  Yes  No **Amount: $**

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**EPS Department Chair Signature:** **Date**