Call for the ESA participation grant



7th European Symposium on Aerobiology (ESA) "Bioaerosols and Environmental Impacts"

7th European Symposium on Aerobiology "Bioaerosols and Environmental Impacts" will welcome participants from 22nd to 26th of June 2020 in Cordoba, Spain (http://www.esacordoba2020.com/). This Symposium will be organized in the frame of the European Aerobiology Society (EAS). Following the mission of EAS we announce the call for an ESA Participation Grant (hereinafter - Grant). EAS offers 8 grants covering the ESA participation fee. We strongly believe that the Grant enables early career researchers to take part in this scientific event and should encourage more active participation in aerobiology, collaborate and keep abreast of new developments in their field.

<u>Eligibility.</u> Applicants from all countries of the world should be master or PHD students in the aerobiology field or young researcher (below 31 year on the day of the opening ceremony of the ESA). They should be a member of the EAS at the date of the application. The membership information is on EAS webpage (http://www.eas-aerobiology.eu/membership-and-membership-fees/). The Grant can be assigned to oral presentations or poster presenting author at the Symposium.

Interested applicants are welcome to submit a <u>Grant application form</u> (attached) with the complementary documents:

- 1. Motivation letter (a short text in which the applicant's professional focus and potential benefit for his/her job are clearly stated. Not exceeding one page).
- 2. Short CV (not exceeding one page with the main list of publications).
- 3. Abstract to ESA2020.

<u>Application procedures.</u> All the documents must be sent by 20 March 2020 to the EAS General Secretary Dr. Letty de Weger (<u>L.A.de Weger@lumc.nl</u>), using the email Subject: EAS_Grant_Application_last name of the applicant (i.e. EAS_Grant_Application_de Weger).

<u>Evaluation of the applications</u>. The applications will be circulated among a Selection committee constituted by EAS members. The evaluation will give weight to the motivation for participation in the ESA. Publications and abstract will be considered as well. The final decision will be made during EAS board meeting on the 15th of April 2020. Information to the applicant will be sent on the 20th of April 2020 and grants will be transferred directly to ESA organizers.

Board of European Aerobiology Society



GRANT APPLICATION FORM for

7th European Symposium on Aerobiology "Bioaerosols and Environmental Impacts" 22–26 June 2020, Cordoba, Spain

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Fill in this form and send it by 20th March 2020, together with the complementary documents, to the EAS General Secretary Dr. Letty de Weger <u>L.A.de Weger@lumc.nl</u>, using the email Subject: EAS BC Grant Application_last name of the applicant (i.e. EAS BC Grant Application_de Weger).

Family Name:	First Name:
E-mail:	
Position (Master or PhD Student, other):	
Institution/Organization:	
Are you member of:	
European Aerobiology Society (obliged to apply for the grant)	
International Association of Aerobiology (not obliged to apply for the grant)	

Documents to be included in the application form:

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- 2. Short CV (not exceeding one page)
- 3. Abstract to ESA2020 http://www.esacordoba2020.com/

Other information of interest:

The Selection committee, consisting of EAS committee members, will make the selection of the candidates. The grant holder will be announced 20th of April 2019.