



# Canadian Obesity Network

## Student Travel Support Program Information & Application Instructions

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The purpose of the Student Travel Support Program is to help students and postdoctoral fellows travel to the 5th Canadian Obesity Summit held in Banff, Alberta from April 25-29, 2017. This program does not support travel expenses for lab exchange travel.

Approximately (8) students or postdoctoral fellows will receive \$500.00 Canadian each to support their travel to this conference.

Applicants must be members of the Canadian Obesity Network (CON) to be eligible for the award and have an obesity-related abstract accepted for presentation at the conference. Further information about this award will be provided to all applicants in the notification of application receipt.

The Application Deadline is on February 10, 2017

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### **ELIGIBILITY:**

1. Applicants must be enrolled full-time at an accredited university or college located in Canada and have an obesity-related abstract accepted for presentation at the conference.
2. Applicants **and** their supervisors must be members of the Canadian Obesity Network.

### **APPLICATION PROCESS:**

1. A jury composed of representatives from the Canadian Obesity Network will examine all applications for eligibility.
2. Applicants must use the online application form. The application form must be submitted with the following materials:
  - A. 1-page maximum typed cover letter describing your interest in obesity and how attending the meeting will benefit your work.
  - B. 2-page maximum Curriculum Vitae including scientific publications and presentations (the Curriculum Vitae may contain only highlights and may not be a complete version).
  - C. 1-page maximum reference letter from your supervisor (who must also be a member of CON).
3. Award recipients will be announced February 17, 2017.
4. Travel Expenses will be reimbursed upon completion the conference.



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CON Student Travel Support 2017 Application

5th Bi-Annual Canadian Obesity Summit

Banff, Alberta, April 25-27, 2017

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Please consult the [CON Student Travel Award Program Information and Application Instructions](#)

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Ms. \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Last, First, MI): \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Mailing Address (Street): \_\_\_\_\_

(City, Prov, PC): \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of University/College: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Department: \_\_\_\_\_

University Mailing Address (Street): \_\_\_\_\_

(City, Prov, PC): \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Degree and Date of Conferral: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently a student member of CON? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Is your supervisor currently a member of CON? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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## DEADLINE:

Complete applications must be received by 4:00 pm MT on February 10, 2017 to the Canadian Obesity Network.

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**Please do not contact this office to verify receipt of your application.** Notification of application receipt will be e-mailed to all applicants.