



SOCIETY FOR PERSONALITY ASSESSMENT

Diversity Support Grant

Deadline: November 30 (each year)

As part of its overall commitment to diversity, SPA is now offering diversity support grants of up to \$1000.00 (includes room rate for one night at the hotel of the Annual Convention location) to support diverse professionals or students involved in personality assessment who seek to attend the annual convention.

Eligibility

Individuals applying for the grant *must be SPA members or student affiliates*, or should apply to be a member or student affiliate online when applying for the diversity grant. At the time of application, membership dues must be current and paid for the year of the annual convention that you are applying for in order to be eligible. An applicant must be a member of an underrepresented group in psychology (these groups include, but are not necessarily limited to, ethnic and racial minorities; professionals or students who are or were first-generation college students; members of the LGBTQ+ community; and people with disabilities). Priority will be given to students and professionals who are attending the annual convention for the first time and may otherwise not be able to attend the annual convention.

Application Process

Applications are available on our web page under the Convention tab, Grants link. Applicants should complete an application online and submit it *no later than November 30 (each year)*. If mailing the application to the SPA office, applications must be received in the office no later than November 30 (not postmarked November 30) to be considered.

Awards Process

Applicants will be notified as soon as possible after the application deadline whether they will receive a Diversity Grant. To receive the grant, the recipient must register at the convention hotel and be present at the Annual Convention. Diversity Grant recipients must make reservations at the Convention Hotel and send the confirmation number to the SPA Administrative Director by January 31. One night's lodging plus taxes and fees will be waived from the final hotel bill. Checks can be picked up at the Annual Convention registration desk.

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