

Travel Awards Instructions - 2025



CCS will award **two** travel awards each year:

- The Ron Weisman Travel Award
- The Psychonomic Society Travel Award

Students need only apply once to be considered for both awards. No student may win both awards in the same year.

Award Premise: Each award supports travel expenses to attend CO3 by a graduate student member or post-doctoral member of the society with a \$300 prize.

We strongly encourage applications from diverse peoples. The CCS seeks to address structural inequities in science which disproportionately burden specific groups that are represented by (but not limited to): Indigenous peoples, race, ethnicity, national origin, sex, gender identity and expression, sexual orientation, disability, socio-economic status, age, and religion.

Award Eligibility: Students must meet the following eligibility requirements:

- The applicant must be a CCS graduate student member or postdoctoral member at the time of application.
- The applicant must be the presenting author on an accepted abstract for a talk or a poster at the 2025 Conference on Comparative Cognition.

Award Application Process: Students and postdocs wishing to be considered for this award need to submit the following information:

- Name and email
- Affiliation (Institution, Department)
- Program (i.e., MA, MS, PhD.)
- Year in the program (i.e., 2nd year, 4th year)
- Endorsing supervisor name and email
- A letter of endorsement from the student's supervisor that endorses the abstract and its contents, verifies that the applicant is in the stage of their program reported, is currently a graduate student in good academic standing, is the lead author on the work being presented
- A long abstract: A maximum of 500 words not counting figures or tables that may be used to supplement the abstract (maximum of 2 tables and/or figures).

- An estimate of expected travel costs to the conference indicating where the applicant will be travelling from
- A statement of demonstrated need (e.g., lack of travel support from host university)

Please email your application to Dr. Jennifer Vonk (awards@comparativecognition.org) by 30 November, 2024