SenSys 2014 Student Travel Grants

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With the support from the U.S. National Science Foundation (NSF), a limited number of Student Travel Grants is available. An important goal for these grants is to broaden participation in the ACM Conference on Embedded Networked Sensor Systems (SenSys 2014) by **supporting U.S. based students (women and minorities will receive the highest priority) with interests in sensor networks research.**

IMPORTANT DATES

Application Deadline:	**September 1, 2014**
Notification of Acceptance:	**September 8, 2014**

ELIGIBILITY

The support is intended to partially cover the costs of attending the conference. The costs include conference registration, transportation, lodging, and meals. Students receiving travel awards may be expected to volunteer at SenSys'14. Such volunteer tasks will not interfere with attendance at conference sessions.

Selection for the Student Travel Grants will be in accordance with the following guidelines:

- The applicant **must be a current student at a recognized US institution of higher education**.
- The applicant's field of study must be related to SenSys topics.
- **Priority will be given to female and under-represented students, as well as students pursuing their graduate studies in Minority Serving Institutions**, such as, Historically Black Universities, Hispanic Serving Institutions, Tribal Colleges and Universities, and institutions that serve Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders and persons with disabilities.
- Students from under-represented states and institutions are specifically encouraged to apply.
- Consideration will be given to other applicants falling outside above categories, but demonstrate a well-justified financial need.

HOW TO APPLY

1) The student applicant **must** send an email to **sensys2014@cse.tamu.edu** with subject line "**SenSys Student Travel Grant Application**".

2) The e-mail **must** include the student's faculty advisor in the cc list.

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3) The email **must** include the following information:

     Name:
     University:
     Address:
     Email:
     Advisor Name:
     Research Topic:
     Degree Sought:

     Female/under-represented student? (please explain – this is very important)
     Minority serving institution? (please explain - this is very important)

     Is your research funded by an active grant (yes/no)?
     If Yes, is NSF the source of funding (yes/no)?

     Will you present a paper (indicate author list and title) at SenSys'14 or affiliated workshops?

Successful applicants will receive an award letter by e-mail together with instructions on how to receive partial refunds which will be issued to the person or institution that covered the expenses.