

SenSys 2015 Student Travel Grants for US-based institutions



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With the support from the U.S. National Science Foundation (NSF), a limited number of student travel grants are available for students from US based institutions to attend ACM SenSys 2015. Women and minorities will receive the highest priority with interests in sensor networks research.

IMPORTANT DATES

Application deadline:	September 11, 2015
Notification of acceptance:	September 16, 2015

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 2015. Such volunteer tasks will not interfere with attendance at the 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 African-American 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 the above categories, but they need to demonstrate a well-justified financial need.

HOW TO APPLY

1. The student applicant must send an email to sensys2015studenttravelgrants@gmail.com with the subject line "SenSys 2015 NSF Student Travel Grant Application".
2. The e-mail must include the student's faculty advisor in the CC list.
3. The e-mail must include the following information:
 - a. Name
 - b. University
 - c. Address
 - d. Email
 - e. Advisor Name

- f. Research topic
- g. Degree Sought
- h. A one paragraph summary on your research
- i. Female/under-represented student
- j. Minority serving institution
- k. Is your research funded by an active grant?
- l. If Yes to (k), is NSF the source of funding?
- m. Will you present a paper (indicate author list and title) at SenSys 2015 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. Note that the student's advisor is expected to cover the remaining expenses for the travel if the NSF budget does not completely cover it.