



PRF 2023 Travel Bursary Applicant Guidelines

The PRF is pleased to announce that three travel bursaries are available to support PRF Grant Recipients to present their PRF funded research project at the APA Conference, IGNITE 2023. Three awards of \$1200 each (ex GST) will be on offer to those whose submitted abstracts are accepted for presentation. Funds are intended to be allocated towards costs associated with attending this conference (e.g. airfares, accommodation and registration).

Applicants are required to demonstrate how their presentation relates to their PRF funding as well as how and why this award would help them attend the conference.

To apply, please send the completed application form, and include a copy of your submitted abstract(s) to jenine.fleming@australian.physio. Please indicate if you are submitting multiple abstracts. Please note that previous PRF Travel Bursary recipients are ineligible to enter.

Conference Streams

The Conference Program is structured around each of the National Groups.

Acupuncture and Dry Needling	Animal
Aquatic	Cancer, Palliative Care and Lymphoedema
Cardiorespiratory	Disability
Advanced Practice / Emergency Department	Gerontology
Mental Health	Neurology Group
Paediatric	Musculoskeletal
Orthopaedic	Occupational Health
Pain	Sports and Exercise
Women's, Men's and Pelvic Health	
Physiotherapy General (please use this category if your abstract is not group specific)	

Type of Presentation

- Free Papers (15 minute oral presentation)
- 'How to' presentation (30 minutes)
- 'Rapid Five' presentation (5 slides, 5 minutes)
- Symposium (45 minutes)
- E – Poster

For further details on the conference, click [here](#)

Reviewing and Scoring

Bursaries will be primarily offered on the basis of scientific merit, key practice points and the relevance of the presentation to the awarded PRF Grant. Consideration will also be given to the need for funding and how it will assist the applicant in their career. Applications will be reviewed by the PRF Grants Review Committee, whose decisions will be considered final.

Award winners will be notified in late June / early July 2023, after abstract notification to authors. Bursary payments will be made following the Conference on presentation of receipts.

Please forward any questions and your application form, along with copies of your submitted abstract(s) to jenine.fleming@australian.physio

Applications close **Sunday 23 April 2023, 11:30 pm AEDT**