



**THE
WILDLIFE
SOCIETY**

**CONSERVATION EDUCATION AND
OUTREACH WORKING GROUP**

The Wildlife Society
Conservation Education and Outreach Working Group
2026 Travel Grant Application for the
33rd Annual Conference of the Wildlife Society

DEADLINE: September 18, 2026

The program is funded on an annual basis upon approval of the expenditure by the board of the CEOWG. The objective of this program is to provide three travel grants up to \$750 to members of The Wildlife Society to assist them in offsetting the cost of travel to the 2026 TWS Annual Conference in Des Moines, Iowa, USA. Applicants must be a member in good standing with The Wildlife Society and have been accepted to present at the 2026 TWS Annual Conference. Travel grant awards will include membership to the Conservation Education and Outreach Working Group.

APPLICATION

Name _____ Email _____
Address _____ Phone _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Students:

Name of Major Professor (if applicable) _____
College or University of Applicant _____
Year of School (Junior, Senior, MS, PhD, etc.) _____

Professionals:

Employer _____
Position Description _____

Are you presenting (check one) ☐ Paper ☐ Poster ☐ Other (specify other) _____

Title of paper/poster, if applicable _____

Provide your abstract in the box below:

Describe the benefit(s) you expect to obtain from attendance at this meeting. How will attendance enhance your career goals and be a benefit to the Conservation Education and Outreach Working Group (350 words maximum):

Provide a budget for the cost of attending this meeting.

Registration \$ _____

Lodging \$ _____

Meals \$ _____

Transportation \$ _____

Miscellaneous \$ _____

Total \$ _____

Provide a summary of other funding available to you for attendance at this meeting.

Your signature _____ Date _____

Your signature certifies that you are a member in good standing of The Wildlife Society, that your dues are paid, and that you will use these funds, if awarded, for the purpose stated in this application.

For **STUDENTS** only – have your major professor or thesis/dissertation advisor sign and date this application

Major Professor or Advisor _____ Date _____

Please send this application by September 18th via email as a PDF with subject line "CEOWG Travel Grant" to:

Jacob Dykes

Past-Chair, CEOWG

Mississippi State University

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