



The Wildlife Society's Out in The Field (OiTF)

TWS Conference Grant Application

Application Deadline:

Aug. 14th, 2025 (Friday)

This grant program is funded through generous donations provided to The Wildlife Society's Out in The Field Initiative primarily by TWS organization units and individual donors. This year, we are offering 3 travel grants to assist in offsetting the cost of attending the 2026 TWS Annual Conference. Preference for funding will be given to applicants who have a role in the conference, but this is not a requirement to be considered for the grant. This grant is only to be used to support attendance at the TWS Annual Conference. Recipient must be a member in good standing of the TWS at the time of application, support the mission of Out in The Field, and a check will be provided to the recipient at the OiTF Evening Reception (Wednesday, 4 November). Winning recipients will be expected to serve on the application review panel in at least 1 future year.

APPLICATION

Name_____ Email_____

Address_____ Phone_____

City_____ State_____ Zip_____

Pronouns:_____

****While TWS OiTF would like to promote the grant recipient of our LGBTQ+ travel grants program, we also understand that some recipients may want or need to remain anonymous. Please check this box to indicate that you would like TWS OiTF to keep your name and information confidential:** ☐

Students:

Name of Major Professor (if applicable)_____

College or University of Applicant_____

Year of School (Junior, Senior, MS, PhD, etc.)_____

Professionals:

Employer_____

Position Title_____

Are you a current member of TWS (y/n)?____ Number of years as TWS member_____

Are you a current member of any TWS organization units (e.g., student chapter, state chapter, working group, section)?

If so, please list those units:_____

If you are involved in TWS, please briefly state your current or past involvement in TWS_____

Are you presenting (check one if applicable): ☐ Paper ☐ Poster ☐ Other (specify)_____

Title of paper/poster, if applicable_____

Describe your role in the conference, if applicable (250 words maximum):

Describe the benefit(s) you expect to obtain from attendance at this conference. (250 words maximum):

Describe your past involvement (if any) in the OiTF community. (250 words maximum):

Your Signature _____
Date _____

Your signature certifies that you are a member in good standing of the TWS, that you support the mission of Out in the Field, that you acknowledge and pledge to follow the [TWS Code of Ethics](#), that the information you provided in the application is true and accurate to the best of your knowledge, and that you will use these funds, if awarded, for the purpose stated in this application.

All application materials must be received by 1159 pm PST on August 14th (Friday) for consideration.

Please send this application by email to:

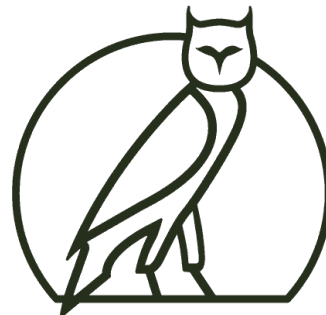
Andrew Tri

OiTF Travel Grants Team Lead

Email: andrew.n.tri@gmail.com (include "TWS OiTF Annual Conference Grant" in the subject line of the email)

The recipient will be notified by September 15th. The grant recipient is expected to use the grant for attending the TWS Conference in the year the grant is awarded. If not used, grant funds will be voided.

The recipient can collect the grant funds from our organizers during the OiTF Evening Reception (November 4th). The reception starts at 6:00 PM. Unless the recipient wishes to have their information remain confidential (please see check box on page 1), OiTF organizers would like to make an announcement of the grant recipient during the reception.



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