

THE 25th INTERNATIONAL GEOLOGICAL CONGRESS FUND

GRANT-IN-AID FOR 37th IGC IN BUSAN, 25-31 AUGUST 2024

The Australian Academy of Science's (the Academy's) National Committee for Earth Sciences is offering funding support to assist early- and mid-career geoscience researchers (EMCRs) from Oceania (Australia, New Zealand and Pacific Island nations) who will attend the 37th International Geological Congress (IGC) in Busan, South Korea on 25-31 August 2024.

Criteria. Applications are open to practising geoscientists eligible to study or work in Australia, New Zealand or a Pacific Island nation, who hold a degree (including PhD, masters and honours students) in geoscience (or equivalent) and who have registered to attend the 37th IGC. Those eligible to receive grants under the scheme should generally be PhD, masters or honours student or within 10-15 years of receiving a PhD. Career interruptions, for example parental leave, will be considered if clearly specified.

Value and use of grant. Up to ten grants will be awarded to a maximum value of A\$3,000 each in contribution towards the cost of your attendance.

Application process. Applications are to be submitted to the Academy by 5.00pm AEST Monday 5 August 2024 for a decision by 19 August 2024.

Assessment process. A review panel committee convened by the National Committee for Earth Sciences and the Geological Society of Australia (GSA) will evaluate each application. The decisions of the committee are based on the assessed competitiveness of the applications. The Academy and the GSA are not able to enter into discussion or correspondence regarding the reasons why an application is successful or not.

Successful applicants. The EMCR geoscientists who are awarded a travel grant must agree to use the funding for the purposes specified and to provide a reconciliation of expenditure (including original receipts) and a one-page written report about their participation at the congress by 30 September 2024.

APPLICATION FORM

APPLICANT DETAILS

Name of applicant (title, first name, surname)	
Highest level of qualification (Hons, Masters or Doctorate), institution and date awarded	
Career stage (e.g. years since PhD; postgraduate status)	

Organisation	
Department	
Position	

Postal address (including country of residence)	
Telephone	
Email	
Social media handle	

MOTIVATION

Explain the motivation behind your study and/or research. What about this sets you apart from other applicants?

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How will attending the congress contribute to your career?

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SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

Please attach:

- CV (2-3 pages maximum)
- Publication list (2 pages maximum)
- Confirmation of your attendance at the 37th IGC in Busan in 2024

Signature of applicant	
Name	
Date	

Deadline for applications is 5.00pm AEST Monday 5 August 2024. Submit your application form and all supporting documents to nc@science.org.au.

You will be advised on the outcome of your application by 21 August 2024.

Contact. If you have any questions, please email: nc@science.org.au.

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