Fleur L. Strand Professional Opportunity Award
Award: $1,000 + advanced meeting registration reimbursement (1 award)
Contact: Education Office
Deadline: Coincides with Experimental Biology meeting abstract deadline

This award provides funds for junior physiologists to attend and participate fully in the Experimental Biology meeting. The Strand award is granted to the top ranked applicant of the Caroline tum Suden/ Frances Hellebrandt Professional Opportunity Awards.

Eligibility:
To be considered for these awards, the candidate must:
• be the first author of an abstract submitted to APS, and
• be a member of APS in good standing at the time of application* (either Student or Regular).

Application Information:
The candidate must write and submit the application materials. They consist of:
• a copy of your abstract,
  o may submit ONE abstract for consideration.
  o Successful abstracts typically include:
    ▪ a clearly stated hypothesis or aim;
    ▪ the technical approach to the study;
    ▪ the pertinent results obtained with quantitative and statistical comparisons, when appropriate, and
    ▪ a clearly stated conclusion, including the significance of the results to the field.
• a one‐page letter written by the candidate stating:
  o your career goals;
  o your research goals,
  o your role in the research described in the abstract, and
  o the reasons why you are deserving of the award.
  o Note: The letter should NOT restate the abstract OR be longer than 1 page (or your application will NOT be considered).

Awardees will be notified prior to March 1 and MUST be present at the APS Business Meeting during EB to receive their award. Awardees will be allowed to only receive the Strand Award once as a graduate student and once as a postdoctoral fellow.

Please review the Awards site for details. Click on the Apply Now button above to submit an application.

* If you are not an APS member, you must apply early. Membership is not automatic, so apply at least 1-2 months prior to the application deadline. Visit the Membership section for details or contact Members@the-aps.org.