



ASCIA – NACE HotPubs Travel Grants Policy

The NACE Travel Grants program supports postgraduate students and early-mid career researchers to showcase Australian allergy research at the annual Australasian Society of Clinical Immunology and Allergy (ASCIA) Conference.

Travel Grants can be used to support your presentation on allergy research at the Hot Publications (HotPubs) session on the Tuesday program of the conference.

(Note: Food allergy researchers are encouraged to apply for the <u>CFAR Symposium HotPubs</u> session on the Wednesday program.)

Applicants whose allergy research has been submitted or accepted for publication in a peer-reviewed journal within the previous 12 months will be invited to apply to present their work in the NACE HotPubs session.

Travel support includes:

- Your flights (must be Red-E deal or equivalent)
- In-person registration for the ASCIA Conference Tuesday Program (\$A280-380)
- ASCIA will provide complimentary registration for the Wednesday and Thursday Program.

An application call will be issued around mid-June each year for the NACE HotPubs Travel Grants.

Eligibility criteria

To be eligible you must:

- Be enrolled in, or employed by, an Australian University as a PhD or Masters' student (100 per cent research) or level A-C academic within 15 years of your PhD being awarded
- Be an Australian citizen or an Australian permanent resident. International students / researchers based in Australia are also eligible
- Be the principal author of the work, which must be largely the applicant's own work and aligns with the <u>NACE vision</u>

- Have at least one author, who is a member of a NACE Drug, Food, Insect or Respiratory <u>Stream</u> <u>Advisory Group</u>
- Be a <u>NACE member</u>.

How to apply

- Please complete the <u>application</u> <u>form</u> and submit it to <u>nace@mcri.edu.au</u> by 5pm Tuesday 22 July 2025
- Successful applicants will be advised in August to register for the Conference
- Further information will be provided about the reimbursement process for covered travel costs
- If you have any questions, please email <u>nace@mcri.edu.au</u>.

General information

Applications will be considered on merit, with priority given to NACE-funded Postgraduate Students and NACE-funded Postdoctoral Fellows and applicants who have not previously received a NACE HotPubs Travel Grant.

The NACE Training and Innovation Pillar Lead will make the final decision on successful applications from those received.

