

Call for Nominations for the
Jack L. Pate Undergraduate Travel Award
Department of Bacteriology

Purpose: To assist a Bacteriology / Microbiology undergraduate to attend an annual meeting of the American Society for Microbiology or a comparable scientific meeting. The 2008 General Meeting will be held June 1 – June 5, 2008 in Boston, MA. For information please see <http://gm.asm.org/>

Criteria: Students majoring in Bacteriology / Microbiology who will not have graduated when the meeting is held. Students actively engaged in independent research and/or those who are presenting at the meeting are especially encouraged to apply.

Award: Travel, lodging, meals and registration fees, up to a maximum of \$1000.

Application procedure

Eligible students are encouraged to apply directly for this award. Faculty, staff, advisors, laboratory personnel may also initiate the nomination. Applications should include the following:

- 1) A letter (maximum 1000 words) written by the student that outlines how the travel award will be used and how attending a scientific meeting will benefit the student.
- 2) A letter of recommendation from the advisor or research mentor that addresses the reasons why the student would be a good candidate for the award.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 2008

Please submit application materials to:
Katy France, Student Services Coordinator
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Questions? Contact Katy at (608) 262-2975 (phone), (608) 265-9865 (fax), or kfrance@bact.wisc.edu (e-mail).

Jack L. Pate was a beloved faculty member in the Department of Bacteriology from 1967-1991. A fund in his memory to support undergraduate activities was established following his death in 1992.