

Call for Proposals UVM Graduate Student Travel 2003

The Vermont Genetics Network (VGN) is supported by a NIH Biomedical Research Infrastructure Network Grant. The VGN is a collaboration among the University of Vermont, Castleton State College, Johnson State College, Middlebury College, Norwich University and St. Michael's College, to develop science infrastructure and also the careers and training of faculty and students in science. Information on how you can participate in this program is listed below. You may also visit our website www.uvm.edu/~biology/vgn for more information about our activities.

Travel Support

UVM genetics/biomedical Graduate Students are encouraged to apply for:

- Travel support
- Application forms are on our website, and checklists are given below
- **Application deadline is May 1, 2003**

Eligibility Requirements

- UVM Genetics/Biomedical Graduate Students

Travel Awards

- There will be 10 travel awards made for 2003 (approximately \$1,000 each)
- Use of the funds must be outlined and justified as part of the application
- We anticipate similar numbers of awards will be made in 2004

Application Review

- A committee of UVM faculty members will review the applications and make their recommendations to the VGN Steering Committee.
- Notification of the outcomes of the applications should be available by May 20, 2003

Obligations that come with Funding

- All participants will be expected to be part of our mentoring activities
- Your attendance is expected at the 2nd Annual VGN Retreat on August 13, 2003

CHECKLIST
For Graduate Student Travel Support

- Application cover page with signatures
- Abstract of work to be presented (conference only)
- Budget
- Description of conference or workshop and how attending impacts the applicant's research
- Curriculum Vitae (2 pages)
- Letter of recommendation from Advisor
- Signatures of Applicant and Chair

Return application to: Vermont Genetics Network
University of Vermont
120A Marsh Life Science Bldg.
Burlington, VT 05405

Applications are due on May 1, 2002 by 4:00 pm

Questions?

- Call: (802) 656-4087
- Email: Vermont.GeneticsNetwork@uvm.edu
- Web: www.uvm.edu/~biology/vgn