# Apply for the AFS Genetics Section Postdoc Travel Award

The Genetics Section of the American Fisheries Society is pleased to announce a special funding opportunity to support postdoc travel to the annual meeting. The Section anticipates awarding several awards to assist postdocs with travel expenses and/or registration fees to attend the 2022 AFS Annual Meeting in Spokane. In person attendees will receive \$500 while virtual attendees will receive \$300 (cost of virtual registration for early career professionals).

## Eligibility:

The applicant must be a postdoctoral scholar and a full or affiliate member of the Genetics Section at the time of application.

## Selection Criteria:

- 1. Potential for success in research in fisheries genetics (60%)
- 2. Anticipated contribution to upcoming annual meeting, e.g. paper, poster, or other contribution (20%)
- 3. Service to the Society, Sections, or Chapters (10%)
- 4. Demonstrated need for travel assistance (10%)

# **Application Procedure:**

Application package should include:

- a. A brief curriculum vitae (3 pages)
- b. A statement describing postdoctoral research and abstract of progress to date (~2 pages)
- c. The names and contact information for two references familiar with the applicant's background and abilities
- d. A statement of previous service to the Society, Sections, or Chapters, and need for travel assistance
- e. A statement addressing anticipated contribution to the upcoming AFS Annual Meeting
- f. Please indicate if you intend to attend the meeting virtually or in person

### Deadline for application:

15 June, 2022

### Send all application materials via email to:

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