**Application for Conference Grant**

*to support Early Career Researchers attending Geomicrobiology Network Research in Progress meetings*

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| **1. Applicant details** |
| **Membership Number** |  |  | All correspondence will be sent by email |
| **Title (Ms/Mr/Dr etc.)** |  |  |
| **First name** |  |  |
| **Last name/Family name** |  |  |
| **Email** |  |  |
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| **2.Employment/Study details** |
| **University/Employer** |  |
| **Date began study or took up current employment** |  |
| **Type of employment: permanent or end date of contract if temporary** |  |
| **Type of employment: full time or part time** |  |
| **For postdoctoral researchers: Year obtained PhD** |  |
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| **3. Presentation details** |
| **ABSTRACT TITLE**  |
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| **AUTHOR(S)**  |
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| **4. Justification for attendance** |
| **Describe how your attendance at the event will further your research and briefly state the importance of the meeting presentations/sessions within your discipline. Describe the value of attending this event to your career and professional development and give comment on the necessity for attendance at this stage in your career. Please include justification of status as an early career researcher if this is not clear (i.e. if you are not a PhD student or postdoctoral researcher)** |
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| **5. Attendance costs** |
| **GIVE FULL COSTS OF EXPENSES FOR EVENT ATTENDANCE****All costs should be given; not just those that will be covered by the grant. It is expected that grant recipients will travel to the conference by the least costly means possible and take advantage of advance booking prices and railcard discounts where appropriate. Budget or shared accommodation should be utilised.**  |
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| **Accommodation**  |  |  | **No. of nights** |  |  |  |  |
| **Travel** |  |  | **Name of town travelling from** |  |  |
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|  | **TOTAL COST** |  |  |  |
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| **6. Other financial support for attendance** |
| **Indicate how the expenses in excess of the grant will be funded (e.g. your institution/employer/funding body or grant from a charitable organisation/other learned society or professional body).** |
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| **7. Financial remittance**  |
| **Grants will be paid by bank transfer. Please provide the details of the account into which you wish the funds to be paid.** |
| **Name on the account**  |  | **Sort code**  |  |
| **Bank name** |  | **Account number**  |  |
| **Reference to quote (for payments to university/organisation accounts. NB 18 character limit)** |  |
| ***For accounts outside of the UK*** |
| **IBAN** |  | **Swift/BIC** |  |

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| **8. Supporting statement** |
| **To be supplied by your supervisor/senior manager/head of department. The statement should confirm that your organisation/employer supports your attendance at the conference and that the details provided in this application are correct.**  |
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| **Name**  |  | **Email** |  |

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| **9. Applicant declaration** |

In signing this document I confirm that I am a member of the Mineralogical Society of Great Britain and Ireland and that I have read, understood and agree to abide by the terms and conditions of the scheme. I also confirm that all information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

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| **Signature** |  | **Date** |  |

*Send completed form, together with supporting documentation, to:*

gmbn@minersoc.org with the subject line **Student Travel Bursary Application**