



Grants to contribute towards the costs of registration, accommodation and travel of SGM Postgraduate Student Associate Members in attending one SGM conference each year.

Postgraduate Student Conference Grants 2012

Rules of the scheme

1. The scheme is open to postgraduate students (PhD or Masters) who are paid-up Postgraduate Student Associate Members of SGM and currently residing in and registered for their course in a European Union country.
2. For the Spring 2012 Conference applicants may claim for:
 - up to £25 towards travelling costs
 - a contribution of up to £60 per night towards cost of bed and breakfast accommodation
Please note: the number of nights claimed must not exceed the number of days the applicant is attending the conference.
 - Associate Member early-bird registration fee
Please note: Grants will not cover the extra cost of registering after the earlybird deadline (Early registration for the Spring Conference ends 24 February 2012) and applicants will be responsible for this extra cost (£10 per day).
3. Grants are limited to attendance at **ONE** only of the 2012 conferences listed below:
 - **SPRING**
Spring 2012 Conference, The Convention Centre Dublin, Ireland - 26-29 March 2012
 - **AUTUMN**
Autumn 2012 Conference, The University of Warwick, England - 3-5 September 2012
Irish Division Conference, University College Cork, Cork – 14-16 November 2012
4. Applications must be made before the start of the conference. No retrospective claims will be considered.
5. Grant recipients who do not attend the conference will be required to repay the grant in full.
6. Applications must be made on the appropriate form. ONE copy of the completed application form must be submitted for consideration.

The closing date for applications to attend the Spring (Dublin) Conference is 23 March 2012

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