

## LARP Research Travel Grant Program

LARP receives a limited amount of funds from the UMASS Graduate School to support student travel to conferences where they will be presenting research. As these funds are limited, we prioritize funding to academic conferences and the student must be a listed as a presenting author in the conference program. We generally do not fund travel outside of the U.S. or Canada. We also may consider where you are in the program (students on the job market have priority) and whether you have been provided with travel funds in the past.

The program operates as a reimbursement and requires that you submit receipts of your travel expenses before we will submit your claim for reimbursement. Covered expenses typically include conference registration fees, airfare, hotel, and other direct expenses. The maximum reimbursement is typically between \$400 to \$500 per student, per year.

If you are interested, please provide the following information and send this form to Henry Renski at [hrenski@larp.umass.edu](mailto:hrenski@larp.umass.edu) with the subject "LARP grad travel application."

Student name and program (PhD, MLA, MRP):

Name and date of conference:

Conference location:

Type of conference (professional/academic/other):

Title of presentation/conference paper:

Author(s) as listed on conference paper or program:

Brief description of research project:

Reimbursement requested:

Funds are very limited and often allocated on a first-come first serve basis (for qualified students/conferences). So if you intend on presenting at a conference this year fill in the form now.

Sincerely,

Henry Renski

Director, PhD Program in Regional Planning