



**Australian Acoustical Society
Queensland Division**

ACOUSTICS AWARDS 2020

COLIN G SPEAKMAN TRAVEL BURSARIES

ACOUSTICS 2020

The Third Australasian Acoustical Societies Conference

Wellington, New Zealand, November 2020

THE AWARD

The Australian Acoustical Society, Queensland Division conducts an awards program to support acoustical research and education in Queensland. Applications are sought for the 2020 Colin G Speakman Travel Bursaries. The Bursaries are established to encourage acoustical research in Queensland by providing grants towards the travel and registration costs of presentation of acoustical research at conferences.

The grants are in two categories:

- A Student** (undergraduate or postgraduate);
- B Early career** (recent graduate/early post-doctorate).

THE SOCIETY

The Australian Acoustical Society is a learned society formed in 1971 to advance the science and practice of acoustics. Members practise or study in a wide range of areas including architectural acoustics, engineering noise and vibration control, underwater acoustics, bioacoustics, ultrasonics, environmental and occupational noise and vibration, acoustic and vibration transducers, speech communication, hearing and speech physiology, audiology and music acoustics.

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*Colin G Speakman Travel Bursaries***A STUDENT (undergraduate or postgraduate)**

Two (2) bursaries of up to **\$1200** are provided to assist with travel and registration costs associated with attendance at **ACOUSTICS 2020**, Wellington, New Zealand, November 2020.

Students presenting a research paper at another conference, relevant to the science and practice of acoustics, may also apply¹.

Applicants for a Colin G Speakman Travel Bursary (Category A) must be:

1. a student at a university in Queensland;
2. engaged in research relevant to the science and practice of acoustics, with the research counted towards the award of an Honours, Masters or higher degree; and
3. have a paper accepted by the conference, which they will present in person^{2,3}.

B EARLY CAREER (recent graduate/early career post-doctorate)

A bursary of up to **\$1200** is provided to assist with travel and registration costs associated with attendance at **ACOUSTICS 2020** or at another conference relevant to the science and practice of acoustics.

Applicants for a Colin G Speakman Travel Bursary (Category B) must be:

1. a recent graduate, resident and working in Queensland, in industry or at university (not being a student), who has completed their 1st degree in the last five years or has completed their doctorate in the last three years;
2. a Member or Graduate member of the Society; and
3. have a paper accepted by the conference which they will present in person^{2,3}.

In addition:

4. the application must have been reviewed and seconded by a colleague (normally but not necessarily the applicants' immediate supervisor).
5. The seconder must be a Fellow or Member of the Society and have been a member of the Society for at least five years.

NOTES:

1. For interstate or overseas conferences, grants of up to **\$1200** may be applicable.
2. Without precluding the involvement of co-workers (who may contribute as co-authors, etc) the work presented must be substantially their own work.
3. If the conference provides for peer review (optional or not) the paper must have been reviewed and accepted for publication in the conference proceedings as a "reviewed paper".



HOW TO APPLY

1. Applicants for a **Colin G Speakman Travel Bursary** must complete the relevant application form.
Form A Student
Form B Early Career (recent graduate/early career post-doctorate)
2. Where a bursary is sought to assist with costs associated with participation at a conference, other than ACOUSTICS 2020, the application form must be accompanied by a letter of endorsement from the applicants' supervisor/seconded. The letter must provide particulars of the conference for which travel assistance is sought and its relevance to the applicants' area of acoustical research. Applications which are not accompanied by such a letter will not be considered further.
3. Student applications shall be made through the responsible academic supervisor who will review the application for its worthiness prior to forwarding to the Awards Committee.
4. Early career (recent graduate/early career post-doctorate) applications shall be submitted by the applicant.
5. Submissions for travel bursaries for **ACOUSTICS 2020** close **5.00 pm, Friday, 18th September**. Late applications will not be considered.
6. Submissions for a travel bursary to another conference should normally be submitted not later than two weeks after the due date for conference paper submission or six weeks prior to conference commencement (whichever occurs earlier).
7. The Awards Committee will review the submissions and select the most outstanding.

Note: Where there are several suitable submissions, the Committee, at its discretion, may elect to award additional bursaries. In such cases, the total funds allocated will be apportioned between the several awardees. Monies shall be apportioned, in such a manner as the Committee in its competence shall elect.

In all cases, the decision of the Awards Committee shall be final.

NOTE: Awardees may be invited to make a short (20 - 30 minute) presentation of their research to a Technical Meeting of the Queensland Division during the year following the conference.

ADDRESS FOR CORRESPONDENCE

Submissions should be forwarded to:

ACOUSTICS AWARDS 2020 – Travel Bursaries
Australian Acoustical Society, Queensland Division
PO Box 3089
DARRA QLD 4076

Or via email to: **qld-awards@acoustics.asn.au**

N.B. Applications and supporting documentation submitted electronically must be provided in .pdf format. Proposals submitted in word processor file format (i.e. file extensions: .docx, .doc, .odt, .wpd, .tex, etc) will not be accepted.



Form A: Student						
Conference Name:						
<i>For Acoustics 2020, write "ACOUSTICS 2020", for another conference, provide name, location and web address.</i>						
1. Applicant Details (please print in block letters)						
<i>Title (Please tick):</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Ms	<input type="checkbox"/> Mrs	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr			
<i>Surname:</i>		<i>First name:</i>				
<i>University:</i>						
<i>School/Faculty:</i>						
<i>Degree Program:</i>						
<i>Student Number:</i>						
<i>Address:</i>						
<i>City:</i>		<i>State:</i>		<i>Post code:</i>		
<i>Email:</i>		<i>Telephone:</i>				
2. Project Details						
<i>Research topic:</i>						
<i>Title of paper:</i>						
<i>Abstract:</i>						
<i>Abstract Number: (as assigned by conference secretariat):</i>						
3. Supervisor						
<i>Title (Please tick):</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Professor	<input type="checkbox"/> Associate Professor	<input type="checkbox"/> Dr	<input type="checkbox"/> Ms	<input type="checkbox"/> Mrs	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr
<i>Surname:</i>		<i>First name:</i>				
<i>School/Faculty:</i>						
<i>Email:</i>						
4. Endorsement of Supervisor						
<i>As supervisor of this research student, I endorse this application:</i>						
<i>Signature of supervisor:</i>						
<i>Date:</i>						



Form B: Early Career (recent graduate/early career post-doctorate)						
Conference Name:						
<i>For Acoustics 2020, write "ACOUSTICS 2020", for another conference, provide name, location and web address.</i>						
1. Applicant Details (please print in block letters)						
<i>Title (Please tick):</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Ms	<input type="checkbox"/> Mrs	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr	<input type="checkbox"/> Dr		
<i>Surname:</i>			<i>First name:</i>			
<i>Membership Grade:</i>			<i>Years of membership:</i>			
<i>Business/Institute</i>						
<i>Branch/Division:</i>						
<i>Address:</i>						
<i>City:</i>		<i>State:</i>		<i>Post code:</i>		
<i>Email:</i>			<i>Telephone:</i>			
2. Project Details						
<i>Research topic:</i>						
<i>Title of paper:</i>						
<i>Abstract:</i>						
<i>Abstract Number (as assigned by conference secretariat):</i>						
3. Seconder						
<i>Title (Please tick):</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Professor	<input type="checkbox"/> Associate Professor	<input type="checkbox"/> Dr	<input type="checkbox"/> Ms	<input type="checkbox"/> Mrs	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr
<i>Surname:</i>			<i>First name:</i>			
<i>Organisation:</i>						
<i>Email:</i>						
4. Endorsement of seconder						
<i>Being familiar with the applicants' work and having reviewed this application, I endorse it as suitable for consideration of the award of a Colin G Speakman Travel Bursary:</i>						
<i>Signature of seconder:</i>			<i>Membership Grade:</i>			
<i>Date:</i>			<i>Years of membership:</i>			