

2009 Young Investigator Travel Award: Application Instructions

Submission Deadline May 15, 2009

Young Investigator Travel Awards of \$500 will be available to active Young Investigator (YI) members to support attendance at the 40th Annual ISPNE Conference in San Francisco. Winners will be invited to present their data at the conference.

To qualify for this award, you must be a member of ISPNE and a doctoral or postdoctoral student with less than 5 years postgraduate experience. If you are not currently a member of the Society and would like to be considered for this award, please go to Step One below. If you are a current ISPNE member with YI status, please proceed to Step Two. Rebecca Wyse (admin@ispne.org) will be happy to answer any questions you may have about the application and review process.

Step One – Apply for ISPNE membership at the Young Investigator level

ISPNE invites doctoral and postdoctoral students to join the Society. We offer a unique package of benefits:

- Full ISPNE membership for \$45/year
- Electronic subscription to the ISPNE journal, *Psychoneuroendocrinology*
- Access to ISPNE websites
- Reduced meeting registration fees
- Opportunity to compete for a Young Investigator Travel Award
- Qualification for mentoring programs (coached by ISPNE member)
- Opportunity to attend expert lunches at ISPNE meetings

The 2009 application form may be found at <http://www.ispne.org/membership>. To expedite the application process, please send your completed form and *curriculum vitae* as email attachments to Rebecca Wyse at admin@ispne.org. Your application will be forwarded to the Membership Committee for review, and Rebecca will notify you as soon as the Committee has reached a decision.

Step Two – Apply for a 2009 Young Investigator Travel Award

Once you have been accepted as a Young Investigator in the Society, you are eligible to apply for a 2009 Young Investigator Award. To do so, log on to the ISPNE website at <http://www.ispne.org/> and proceed to “Annual Conference.” Click on “Award Applications” and “Young Investigator Award.” Here you may load your 1) letter of application; 2) one-page research summary; 3) *curriculum vitae*; and 4) letter of recommendation. One letter of recommendation is required; however, a second letter may be provided, if you choose.

Questions? Please contact Rebecca Wyse in ISPNE Member Services at admin@ispne.org.

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