

ANZAED/AED ICED EARLY INVESTIGATOR TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIPS 2024

Award Support

1. Two awards will be provided in 2024.
2. 1st prize: ANZAED will provide up to \$A2,000 for travel expenses to the AED ICED and AED will provide full conference and research training day registration plus an invitation to the AED Mentor/Mentee Breakfast for the awardee.
3. 2nd prize: ANZAED will provide up to \$A1,000 for travel expenses to the AED ICED and AED will provide full conference and research training day registration plus an invitation to the AED Mentor/Mentee Breakfast for the awardee.

Eligibility

1. Applicants must be members of ANZAED.
2. Applicants must be honours/ fourth year students, postgraduate students, or within three years of fourth-year or postgraduate degree.
3. Applicants must have abstract(s) (poster and/or oral) accepted for presentation for which they are the first author, and for orals must be the presenting author, at the upcoming AED International Conference on Eating Disorders.
4. An applicant cannot have previously received either the AED/ANZAED award prior to 2016, or first prize in the AED/ANZAED award from 2016 onward. Applicants may also have applied for a different AED Travel Fellowship but may only accept ONE such award from ANZAED/AED or AED for attendance at the 2024 ICED.
5. Applicants may not be current members of the ANZAED Executive Committee or current staff members of ANZAED.

Application Materials

1. Applicants must submit a copy of their accepted abstract/s, curriculum vitae and a letter from their training program or document verifying status as an early career investigator (as defined above).
2. Applicants must submit a personal statement (of no more than 500 words) addressing the following **Selection Criteria**
 - The quality, significance and innovativeness of the research you will be presenting at ICED,
 - Your potential to make a significant contribution to the field of eating disorder research, and
 - The impact that this Scholarship will have on your future research training/career.
3. These materials must be submitted to anzaed@anzaed.org.au by 5 pm AEDT 22nd November, 2023.

Selection Procedures

- Applicants will be selected based on **verification of eligibility criteria** and ranked according to the **Selection Criteria** by a panel of independent judges appointed by a representative of the ANZAED Executive Committee. The two highest ranked applicants will be approved by the ANZAED Executive Committee and submitted to the AED Board member responsible for Scholarships and Awards for ratification
- Applicants will be advised of the outcome by 21st December, 2023.