



ehps grants

The Executive Committee of the EHPS is pleased to announce several new initiatives this year. The EHPS and its interest groups CREATE and Synergy will be able to offer grants to support conference and/or workshop attendance at our Pisa 2009 Annual Conference as well as stipends to support collaboration and networking. To apply for the grant or the stipends, please submit the following application materials. The application materials and checklist will be available on www.ehps.net.

Grant and stipends application - Deadline is May 10th 2009

EHPS Conference Grants 2009

The purpose of these grants is to encourage talented researchers and graduate students who do not have access to funding to attend the EHPS conference and CREATE or Synergy workshops. For the upcoming 2009 conference the following grants will be offered:

1) Synergy Workshop participants: 2 grants for **researchers** who plan to attend the Synergy workshop and who are EHPS members. Each grant is for a maximum of 1100 Euros toward workshop registration, conference fee, accommodation and travel.



2) CREATE Workshop participants: 2 grants for **graduate students** who plan to attend the CREATE Workshop. Each grant is for a maximum of 800 Euros toward workshop registration, conference fee, accommodation and travel.



3) EHPS Conference only: 3 grants for **graduate students and researchers**. Each grant is for a maximum of 750 Euros toward conference registration, accommodation and travel. Grant is contingent upon acceptance of your paper or poster for the conference.



How to apply for EHPS Conference Grants: checklist

- ✓ A one-page narrative, describing your reasons for applying for the grant, your planned participation in the specific workshop and/or EHPS Conference and your estimated financial need. Please indicate which of the three grants you are applying for.
- ✓ Curriculum Vitae
- ✓ Abstract of your paper or poster that has been accepted for the EHPS Conference
- ✓ For the graduate students, proof of student status, such as copy of student ID
- ✓ An official statement from your employer or supervisor that no funding is being provided from your University or Institution and confirming your financial need.
- ✓ Synergy applicants please also fill out the Synergy Workshop application form (Forms are available at <http://www.ehps.net/synergy/ws2009/workshop2009.html>)
- ✓ CREATE applicants please also fill out the CREATE Workshop application form. (Forms are available at <http://www.ehps.net/create>)





CREATE Stipends 2009

The EHPS will fund two new initiatives with the **purpose** of promoting collaboration and networking across countries.

- 1) The **tandem stipend** is intended to allow two **young researchers** from different countries to visit one another to work on a joint project. Two tandem stipends are available for a maximum of 2000 Euros for each tandem.
- 2) The **visiting scholar award** is intended to allow a **young researcher to visit a senior researcher** in another country. Two visiting scholar awards are available for a maximum of 1000 Euros each. Details about these programs are available on the CREATE web site: <http://www.ehps.net/create>.

How to apply for CREATE Stipends: checklist

Please indicate which one of the two stipends you are applying for (tandem stipend or visiting scholar).

- ✓ For the Tandem Stipend: A one-page narrative, describing your reason for application, the joint project, the anticipated scientific contribution and dissemination plan.
- ✓ For the Visiting Scholar stipend: A one-page narrative, describing the reasons for application, the relevance to current PhD project and the anticipated scientific contribution and a Letter of support from your host for the Visiting Scholar stipend

For both CREATE stipends:

- ✓ Curriculum Vitae (i.e. of both partners for the tandem grant)
- ✓ Recommendation letter from supervisor
- ✓ For the graduate students, a proof of student status, such as copy of student ID
- ✓ An official statement from your employer or supervisor that no funding is being provided from your University or Institution and confirming your financial need
- ✓ Further information is available at: <http://www.ehps.net/create>

Grants and Stipend Selection Process

The selection of EHPS grant recipients will be conducted by a committee consisting of a CREATE member, a Synergy member and the EHPS Education and Training officer. The selection of CREATE stipend recipients will be conducted by a committee consisting of a CREATE member, the EHPS Education and Training Officer and another EHPS Executive Committee member.

The selection criteria will be:

- (a) Relevance of the applicant's work to the topic of the workshop (for Synergy and CREATE grants), relevance of the submitted abstract to the conference (for the EHPS conference grant), or relevance of your collaboration project (for CREATE stipends) to the promotion of networking)
- (b) Demonstration of financial need
- (c) Potential of the fund to promote the career of the recipient
- (d) Complete application package (see checklist on www.ehps.net and <http://www.ehps.net/create> for CREATE stipends)

You will be informed of the results by May 20th, 2009.

Please send all application materials electronically (include scanned copies of the official letters and student ID cards) to Holger Schmid, Education and Training Officer: holger.schmid@fhnw.ch

