South Atlantic Chapter of the Society of Wetland Scientists

Winners of Student Travel Awards to SWS Annual Meetings

The South Atlantic Chapter of the Society of Wetland Scientists provides at least one travel award of at least $500 to support a graduate and undergraduate student(s) presenting at the Annual SWS Meeting/Conference. Student awardees can be enrolled in either a public or private university located within the South Atlantic Chapter’s region.

2014 Portland Travel Award Winners:
- Cameron Okie, Duke University - Anabranching as a Novel Restoration Design to Reduce Aquatic Pollution
- Courtney Holt, University of Georgia - Impacts of Flow Regulation of Population Dynamics of Neoporus S., A potential Bioindicator Organism for Floodplains

2013 Deluth Travel Award Winners:
- Brooke J. Czwartacki, College of Charleston
- Christine M. VanZomeren, University of Florida

2012 Orlando Travel Award Winners:
- Ember Morrissey, Virginia Commonwealth University
- O. Stribling Stuber, University of Georgia

2011 Prague Travel Award Winners:
- Lisa G. Chambers, University of Florida
- Scott Winton, Duke University

2010 Salt Lake City Travel Award Winners:
- Sara Kreisel, College of William and Mary
- Nilam Kayastha, Virginia Tech

2009 Madison Travel Award Winners
- Jamie Duberstein, Clemson University
- Michael Osland, Duke University
- Rachel Michaels, University of Virginia

2008 Washington DC Travel Award Winners:
- Amy Cohen, University of Miami
- Pamela Marsh, University of South Carolina

2007 Sacramento Travel Award Winner:
- Emma Hardison, East Carolina University

2006 Australia Travel Award Winners:
- David Bailey, VIMS
- Tom Mozdzer, University of Virginia

2005 Charleston* Travel Award Winners:
- Jianbiao (Jeff) Lu, NC State University
- Shuwen Li, Memphis State University
- Jennifer Hamel, University of NC-Asheville
- Gary Oates, University of Wisconsin-Madison

* As the conference host, the South Atlantic Chapter also helped USGS support 14 students from across the country to attend the Charleston meeting as well as helped fund several minority students for a 1 day attendance.
2004 Seattle Travel Award Winner:
- Monica Palta, University of Georgia - Assessing response in diameter growth of bald cypress (*Taxodium distichum* (L.) Rich) to an altered flow regime.