



CENTER FOR RESEARCH ON  
**College-Workforce Transitions**

## Conference Travel Grant Competition for Graduate Students

The Center for Research on College Workforce Transitions (CCWT) at the Wisconsin Center for Education Research invites UW-Madison graduate students to **apply for up to \$500** to support registration and travel expenses associated with attending a professional or academic conference. Priority will be given to students presenting research on topics related to CCWT activities at the conference including: work-based learning, experiential education, internships and apprenticeships, hiring practices, career/technical education, labor market issues, inequality in higher education, and teaching and learning (see the CCWT mission statement: [ccwt.wceruw.org/About/mission.html](http://ccwt.wceruw.org/About/mission.html)).

Students in any social science or education research discipline are welcome to apply, and while priority will be given to students presenting their research, the competition is also open to students who are not presenters but who plan to attend a conference to develop their career or academic interests related to the topics above.

### To apply for this funding submit the following in an email to [ccwt@wcer.wisc.edu](mailto:ccwt@wcer.wisc.edu):

- A 1-page letter addressed to the CCWT Review Committee that describes (1) how your research, academic, and/or career interests relate to research on college-workforce transitions and (2) how your participation in the conference will benefit your research and/or career.
- If you are accepted as a presenter at the conference, also include the Letter of Acceptance from the organization sponsoring the conferencing and the abstract of your paper.

**Applications will be accepted on a rolling deadline during the 2019-2020 academic year; the deadline for using the funds is the end of Spring 2020 semester.** After receiving notice of an award, students will work with CCWT administrative staff to ensure that they meet all UW-Madison travel regulations.

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**The Center for Research on College-Workforce Transitions (CCWT)** is an initiative of the Wisconsin Center for Education Research (WCER). CCWT's mission is to conduct and support research, critical policy analysis, and public dialogue on how college students experience the transition to the workforce. CCWT strives to inform policies, programs, and practices that promote academic and career success for all learners.



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