



CSA Trust Grant

1. The CSA Trust Grant is a program of the Chemical Structure Association Trust (CSA Trust) for promoting the career advancement of young scientists. The CSA Trust Grant is financed by the CSA Trust as well as business, scientific and governmental organisations. As a member of the CSA Trust foundation, FIZ CHEMIE Berlin supports this initiative.
2. The CSA Trust considers the storage, preparation and query of information to play a key role in the success of chemical research. Therefore the grant programme serves the objective of achieving greater, lasting awareness of the importance of technical information for chemistry as a success factor.
3. Support is available for applicants who are distinguished by outstanding research work in the areas of information storage, processing and query of chemical structures, reactions and compounds award and who can present a plausible case that their career development is of potential benefit to the field of technical information for chemistry. Funds up to USD 3000 are available. The age limit for applicants is 35.
4. Subsidies are given for specific purposes. Possibilities include grants to cover research activities, travel to other research groups, participation in conferences, access to computer-based facilities, the acquisition of technical equipment for one's research purposes as well as other incidental costs associated with scientific work. The focus of the support is on the career development of the next generation of researchers. However, the CSA Trust can also give other grants at its discretion.
5. Applications are to be submitted in triplicate in English. A relationship between the purpose of the grant and the objectives of the CSA Trust as well as a clear statement of this relationship are important for the consideration of applications.

The complete application includes the following documentation:

- Detailed listing of the work of the applicant on the basis of which the granting of funds is to be evaluated, and a detailed description of the most recent research
- The amount of support desired and an exact list of how the money is to be used (such



as the costs for equipment and travel for participation in meetings).

- A brief curriculum vitae with information on qualifications.
- Two written references.
- Additional documentation can be included with the application if relevant and not already covered by the documentation listed under points one through four.

Applications for the CSA Trust Committee:

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Completed applications can also be emailed to the committee: chescot@aol.com

Homepage of the Chemical Structure Association Trust:

<http://www.csa-trust.org>