

**Grant Title:** SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE GRANT

**Funding Opportunity Number:** N/A

**Agency/Department:** American Psychological Association (APA).

**Area of Research:** Research conferences in psychology.

**Release and Expiration:** N/A

**Application Deadline:** June 1 and December 1, annually.

**Amount:** \$5,000 - \$20,000.

**Length of Support:** Usually a two-day long conference is held. Conferences should take place within approximately 12 months after the funding decision is made.

**Eligible Applicants:** The eligibility requirements below must be met in order to submit a proposal: (a) one of the primary organizers must be a member of APA; (b) only academic institutions accredited by a regional body may apply; independent research institutions must provide evidence of affiliation with such an accredited institution; joint proposals from cooperating institutions are encouraged; (c) conferences may be held only in the United States, its possessions, or Canada; (d) APA governance groups, APA Divisions and related entities are not eligible for funding under this program.

**Summary:** The Science Directorate of the American Psychological Association (APA) is seeking proposals for research conferences in psychology. The purpose of this program is to promote the exchange of important new contributions and approaches in scientific psychology. The conference must also be supported by the host institution with direct funds, in-kind support, or a combination of the two. APA is open to innovative ways to hold conferences. Applicants who have experimental methods for sharing knowledge are urged to contact the Science Directorate to discuss the possibility of obtaining funding through this program (e.g., scientific conference held through electronic mail). In addition, as important topics arise in the field of psychology, the Science Directorate will confer with its Conference Review Committee to determine if a conference and/or scientific volume are warranted. Conferences should take place within approximately 12 months after the funding decision is made.

**Detail Information:** <http://www.apa.org/science/confer2.pdf>