

JECS Trust Student Travel Grants and Awards

1. JECS Trust Student Contest

A student contest with an oral-poster session will be also organised. For the student **oral-poster** contest, the students will present briefly (**3 min**) their poster prior to further discussion during the poster session. This contest will be supported by the <u>Trust of the Journal of the European Ceramic Society (JECerS) (LINK: https://www.jecstrust.org/)</u> that will provide the awards (JECerS Trust Award) for the best quality presentations: 600.00 €-1st prize, 400.00 € - 2nd prize, 300.00 €-3rd prize. The winners will be announced during the Conference Dinner.

2. JECS Trust Travel grants for students

To encourage Master/PhD students' participation, funding provided by JECS Trust will be allocated to fund 10 travel grants. A maximum of 500€ is envisaged for each grant designated to cover travel costs, from outside Italy. Requests have to be presented by e-mail (Dr. Begoña Ferrari, bferrari@icv.csic.es) before July, 1st indicating "JECerS Student Contest" as subject attaching the following information as well as a scanned document certifying the student status:

Name:
Laboratory:
Poster Title:
Ph D Thesis Title:
Advisor:
Starting date:
Possible date for the defence:
Describe the previewed Travel Costs:

All PhD students requesting a travel grant will be automatically registered to participate in the student contest (see above). If the poster/oral contribution was not submitted on line in form of Abstract before) before **July, 1st**, the student will be excluded from grant application.

If requests exceed the budget, selection will be done by the organizing committee of the Student Contest (Dr. Begoña Ferrari, Prof. Paula Vilarinho and Prof. Aldo R. Boccaccini) considering to promote the participation and representation of the maximum number of groups around the world working in EPD. Travel costs will be reimbursed after the conference; once the invoices and tickets are sent by email to Dr. Begoña Ferrari, bferrari@icv.csic.es.