

**Scottish Metabolomics Network Lab Visit Training Grant**

The SMN invites applications for **Lab Visit Training Grant**s with a goal to encourage researchers from one network lab to visit another lab in the network to gain new scientific skills and encourage collaboration.

**Key facts about the grant:**

1. The applicant must be an Early Career Researcher (ECR), either undertaking PhD studies or within their first 5 years in post-doctoral positions (adjusted for %FTE).
2. The ECR must be employed/training in a laboratory of a SMN Network member,
3. The ECR must be hosted in a SMN lab, with a nominated sponsor.
4. The ECR must attend and present the work at the subsequent (2019) SMN meeting.
5. The ECR must prepare a report of the project for the SMN Newsletter within 6 m.
6. The grant will reimburse return travel and accommodation and a contribution towards consumables and provide free registration for the ECR to SMN2019.
7. A maximum of £2k will be available and preference will be to fund multiple placements. Individual grants will not exceed £500.
8. The awardees will be announced at the SMN2018 meeting.
9. Reimbursement will be made to Institutional accounts of the Home lab.

Deadline for applications **29th September 2018 5pm**. Applications should be sent to wtcrf\_education@ed.ac.uk

**Application Form** (expand sections as necessary, one supporting Figure may be included)

**Name of Applicant**:……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..

**Current position and years post-doctoral work**…………………………………………………………………………………

**Home Laboratory**:……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….

**Host Laboratory**:…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

**Project Title**

**Project Proposal (500 words)**

**Justification of why Travelling Grant needed (250 words)**

**Benefit to Applicant, home and host labs and network and expected outcomes. (250 words)**

**Supporting Statement from Sponsor (250 words)**

**Anticipated costs: (note receipts will be required)**

**Signature Print name Date**

**Applicant**

**Home PI**

**Host sponsor**