Tourism and Travel Research Association - Canada Chapter is pleased to present the

**Graduate Researcher Award**  
*Sponsored by Tourism HR Canada*

**Deadline July 14th, 2023**

**Purpose:** The purpose of this award is to encourage and recognize excellence in and usefulness of research on travel and tourism at the Graduate level.

**Award:** The winning student(s)/group will receive a $1,000 cash award and complimentary TTRA Canada conference registration. For group submissions, only one student will receive funding to attend the conference and present a summary of his/her/their work.

**Eligibility:** Work completed as a graduate student while enrolled at a Canadian institution, within six months of graduation.

**Requirements:** Eligible students must submit:

i) A one-page cover letter that outlines the role of study authors (if multiple authors contributed), and a description of the student(s) applicant’s previous involvement in tourism (academic or industry) as well as their future career goals.

ii) A 500-word abstract that clearly describes the rationale, methods, and results of the research study.

iii) An original electronic version of the completed research study in PDF format as a 20-page (maximum) manuscript. All authors’ names and their academic institution must be redacted from the study to facilitate blind review of the submission. Multiple authors may have contributed to a research report, and they may be all awarded the Graduate Researcher Award, but only one student will be funded for travel to the annual TTRA Canada conference.

iv) If multiple authors have contributed to a research report, all authors should sign a brief statement that outlines which author is the “official submitter” (i.e., he/she/they will travel to the conference if the report wins the reward).

**Criteria:** The papers will be judged by a review committee consisting of members of TTRA Canada. The review committee will examine and judge the submissions based on the quality of research, the creativity of approach, relationship to travel and tourism, usefulness and applicability, and quality of presentation.

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