



Call for 16th WCTR Bursary Awards

The World Conference for Transport Research Society and the CIRRELT are proud to announce bursary awards to encourage researchers from Lower Middle- & Low-Income Economy countries (The [World Bank classification LMI/LI](#)) to participate and present in WCTR Montreal Conference.

A number of bursaries will be awarded to the researchers whose country of **current affiliation** is in the [World Bank list](#) of lower-middle & low-income economy countries and whose paper is well graded, to enable them to present their paper at the conference. The number of bursary awards may increase or decrease depending on the number of deserving applications received and the finances of the conference. Papers and applications will be judged by a bursary award selection committee.

The recipient of each bursary **must attend in person** to present their paper at the 16th WCTR to be held at *Palais des Congrès, Montreal*, during July 17-21, 2023. Each recipient will receive a waiver (or a refund) for registration at the conference plus some lodging costs may be taken in charge, for a maximum total of 1300 CAD\$ (about 1000 USD\$). All papers for which bursaries are awarded will be published in partner journals or in *Procedia* (published by Elsevier) following standard review/revision procedures. Recipients will receive the bursary certification at the closing ceremony.

An application consisting of the following documents as a **single PDF file** must be emailed before **5th March 2023**.

1. A signed letter in no more than 500 words identifying the paper for which bursary award is sought (and paper ID), why the paper is worthy of the award of a bursary, and confirming adherence to the terms of the award of bursaries as set out above. It is also necessary to mention the reasons for seeking the award.
2. Certificate from the current employer or bona fide student certificate. This certificate should also include justification for seeking the financial support.
3. A copy of Photo identify proof.

Please double-check that your current affiliation is in LMI/LI countries on the [World Bank classification](#).

Please send your application to wctr2023@cirrelt.ca.