

Fredric Rieders Family Foundation Young Forensic Scientist Scholarship to AAFS 71st Annual Scientific Meeting, Baltimore, MD, USA.

The Center for Forensic Science Research and Education (CFSRE) at the Fredric Rieders Family Foundation in collaboration with the Brazilian Academy of Forensic Sciences (ABCF), hereby establish the Young Forensic Scientist Scholarship for the **AAFS 71st Annual Scientific Meeting to be held in Baltimore, MD, USA.**

I - Purpose

The purpose of the Young Forensic Scientist Scholarship is to sponsor the participation of one upcoming forensic scientist from the ABCF to participate in the AAFS 71st Annual Scientific Meeting to be held in Baltimore, MD, from the 18th to the 23rd of February, 2019.

II - The Scholarship

The Scholarship consists of:

1. Air tickets (coach) for the selected author;
2. Hotel stay during the event;
3. Per diem of US\$ 69.00 (sixty nine US dollars).
4. Registration for the event
5. Airport pick-up by a member of the ABCF/Local representative.
6. ABCF/CFSRE support in the city of Baltimore, MD.

III. Rules of application

To apply candidates must meet the following criteria:

1. Be 35 years of age or under in 2018 (born in 1983 at the latest);
2. Be an ABCF member;

IV. The Application Process

1. Candidates must submit an abstract to the AAFS for presentation at the meeting through the AAFS website of the event:

<https://www.aafs.org/meetings/aafs-71st-annual-scientific-meeting-baltimore-maryland-2019/>

2. Applications must be submitted by August 1st, 2018.
3. Once the application is approved for presentation at AAFS 2019, the candidate must submit a grant application to presidente@cienciasforenses.org.br.
4. The application must contain:
 - a. Confirmation of acceptance of the paper by the AAFS Scientific Committee;

- b. A cover letter detailing the work done and explaining how the candidate would benefit from attending AAFS 2019;
- 5. Papers from any field of the forensic sciences are eligible;
- 6. Submissions must be written in English.
- 7. Submissions must be no more than 500 words.

V. The Selection process

1. All submissions will be reviewed by the Brazilian Academy of Forensic Sciences (ABCF) who will pre-select 3 (three) manuscripts for final consideration;
2. The selected manuscripts will be evaluated by designated member of the Fredric Rieders Family Foundation who will make the final selection of the scholarship recipient;

VI. Requirements;

The selected Young Scientist must acknowledge the Fredric Rieders Family Foundation and the Brazilian Academy of Forensic Sciences in their presentation. The selected candidate will also be required to write an article to be published at “Perícia Federal”, the jornal published by the Federal Forensic Expert´s Association (APCF).

VII. Visa Requirements.

The recipient of the grant must personally address all necessary Visa Requirements, if applicable.