



Application for a travel grant for the 23rd Utopian Studies Society / Europe Conference
Utopian Imaginaries
Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania
July 4-7, 2023

The Utopian Studies Society (Europe) has some very limited funds available to assist with the expenses of attending the Society's annual conference and presenting work. In accordance with a decision taken at the Society's Annual General Meeting in 2003, the Committee has allocated a sum of money to be disbursed to appropriate applicants, with the following conditions.

1. The maximum grant available to any one individual will be **80 EUR** (your Conference Participation Fee will also be waived).
2. The grant money will be paid **retrospectively**, after the Paper has actually been presented at the Conference. [Normally, we arrange to pay the grant in cash during the conference].
3. In the event of the available funds being over-subscribed, preference will be given to Postgraduates and those from groups under-represented in the Utopian Studies community (see below). In addition, members of the USS board and the organizing committee will make assessments of the quality of the submitted abstracts.
4. Grants will be awarded only once to any individual; **previously successful applicants may not re-apply**.
5. The decision of the Chair and Treasurer of the Committee will be final.

We particularly welcome applications from participants under-represented in the Utopian Studies community, and/or who experience oppression in their lives and/or academic work. This includes, but is not limited to: people of colour; Indigenous people; women, transgender, intersex, agender, non-binary, two-spirit and others whose (lack of) gender identity does not conform to gendered norms; people with disabilities; and people from working class or poor backgrounds. *If this applies to you, please state how in a short statement at the bottom of the form (no more than a paragraph, and a sentence or two may well suffice).*

Please fill in the application form, and return it to USS/E Secretary:
justynagalantusse@utopos.net no later than **10th February 2023**.

For your application to be considered, please ensure you include your abstract with the application form, and sign/print your name on the final page where indicated.

You will be notified of the result of your application as soon as possible.

Application for a travel grant from the Utopian Studies Society (Europe)

Name	
Address	
Email	
University/institutional affiliation(s) if applicable:	

Please indicate your current status:

Registered postgraduate student, funded	
Registered postgraduate student, self-funded	
Other, waged	
Other, unwaged	

Title of Paper:

--

Abstract (please reproduce the wording below as it appeared in your submission to the conference committee):

Have you applied for assistance from any other source of funding? If so, please specify the source and the status of the application.

--

- If you are a postgraduate, please provide a signed statement of support from your academic supervisor, confirming that attendance at the USS conference would be relevant and beneficial to your studies/research.
- We particularly welcome applications from participants under-represented in the Utopian Studies community, and/or who experience oppression in their lives and/or academic work. This includes, but is not limited to: people of colour; Indigenous people; women, transgender, intersex, agender, non-binary, two-spirit and others whose (lack of) gender identity does not conform to gendered norms; people with disabilities; and people from working class or poor backgrounds. *If this applies to you, please state how in the space provided below:*

Signature of Applicant

Date: