**MWSCAS-2021** is pleased to announce that a number of student participation grants are available to help offset the cost for student participation in the conference. These grants are supported, in part, by the National Science Foundation. These grants can be used to cover registration costs for participating in the technical program and/or the tutorials. Though non-author students are eligible to apply, preference will be given to students who have a paper that will be presented in the technical program. For the purpose of these grants, a student is anyone that is currently a student or an author/co-author of a paper that was a student at the time the work being presented was being done.

Students interested in being considered for one of these grants should fill out the following grant [application form](mailto:application form), scan it, and send it by email to rlgeiger@iastate.edu along with a proof of your student status. Be sure to include “MWSCAS Participant Grant Application” in the subject field of the email message. The deadline for full consideration is Monday June 7 but later applications will be considered if all grants are not awarded by the full consideration deadline. (NOTE: These competitive grants are cost reimbursable. Students that are awarded a grant will be asked to turn in a copy of their registration receipts after the conference is over to receive reimbursement for their registration costs.)

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