American Statistical Association Survey Research Methods Section
2009 Student Travel Award Application

The Survey Research Methods Section (SRMS) of the American Statistical Association offers a Student Travel Award for students in doctoral programs in statistics, survey methodology, or allied disciplines. Support is offered for students to attend the Joint Statistical Meetings, to be held this year in Washington, DC, August 1 to August 6, 2009. Preference is given to students presenting a paper or poster at the conference. In addition, applications must be supported by a current member of the SRMS section (see below). Up to 3 awards will be granted to cover expenses up to $400. Winners are expected to attend JSM sessions and the SRMS mixer on Wednesday night in order to be recognized by our section for your award. Previous winners are ineligible for this award.

Name: _____

Department: _____

Address: _____
Street Apt

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City State Zip

Email Address: _____ Home phone: _____

Degree Objective: _____

Are you presenting a paper or poster at the conference? YES NO

Have you previously attended any professional meeting on statistics, survey research, or a related discipline? YES NO

If YES, please describe (meeting, location, dates):

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Signature of Applicant Date Submitted

Support from Current SRMS Member

As a current SRMS member, I endorse this student's request.

_____ _____ _____
Signature Printed Name Date

APPLICATION CHECKLIST – ATTACH THE FOLLOWING:

- Copy of most recent transcript or advising report from your university.
- Double-spaced essay, no more than two pages, describing your interest in survey research methods and your interest in attending the Joint Statistical Meetings
- Letter of support from faculty advisor or supporting SRMS member

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Application materials may be sent to Dawn E. Haines by fax or email as follows: dawn.e.haines@census.gov; Fax: (301) 763-4310; Phone: (301)763-4881.

Application for 2009 Student Travel Award must be received by: May 15, 2009