



EURO EVO DEVO

EED 2026 Carer and accessibility conference grants

Who is eligible?

The grant is only available for attending EED2026 in Glasgow, UK, and will only be awarded once applicants have completed conference registration (note that payment is not required at the time of registration). Presentation of a talk or poster at the conference is a condition of eligibility. If oversubscribed priority may be given to early-career researchers and first-time attendees.

We are not able to accept applications from countries where UK government sanctions would prevent payment of an award (see [here](#) for information on the countries affected).

What type of expenditure can be funded?

Financial assistance is available to 1) offset caring costs incurred by attendees due to conference attendance, or 2) contribute toward additional attendance costs created by individual needs such as disability or medical requirements.

What is the maximum value of each bursary?

The grant award will be a maximum of £500 and the scientific committee will rank and select proposals according to the availability of budget. We are able to finance in the order of ten awards.

What is the closing date for applications?

Thursday 5th March 2026

How to apply?

To apply please fill in the application form. Please email completed applications to Carmel McDougall cm107@st-andrews.ac.uk



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APPLICATION FOR A CARERS & ACCESSIBILITY GRANT

Details of Applicant	
Name:	
Email:	
Address:	
Current position(s), (include the name of institution, and town/city, country if not included in name of institution)	Date of appointment
I am an early career researcher (student or within 5 years of PhD submission)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
This is my first time attending a Euro Evo Devo conference	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

Justification for the Carers and Accessibility Grant (maximum 250 words) How will the grant help you attend the EED conference (note that medical or similar personal details are not required, however please provide sufficient information for us to assess the need for the grant)?

Contribution to the conference	
Note that submission of an abstract for a talk or poster presentation is a requirement	
Title of talk/poster:	
Has an abstract been submitted?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

Requested funds	
EED Carer and Accessibility grants are given to cover the additional costs of caring and accessibility needs. For example, you may need to use more expensive means of transport or more expensive accommodation or need to cover additional costs for childcare. The costs declared below should therefore be the difference between the cost for you to attend the conference, and that of someone without your individual needs . The scheme is intended to be flexible, so please include any justifiable individual needs costs. The maximum grant is £500.	
AMOUNT REQUESTED:	£

I certify that all information provided is correct and that I have completed the online registration form	
Name:	
Date:	