

Hagiographical Studies Travel Award to Support Scholars in Need

Recognizing the decreasing levels of funding available to scholars, the Hagiography Society is making a one-time award to support under-funded scholars attending the 2025 International Congress on Medieval Studies in Kalamazoo, MI. Our hope is to inspire the establishment of a permanent award in parallel with the Reames Award (for graduate students).

The award will provide up to \$1000 to be used toward registration, travel, lodging, and meals while attending the ICMS in person to present a paper. The winner will also be granted a free two-year membership in the Hagiography Society.

Eligibility

Scholars who are Hagiography Society members, have completed all requirements (including defense of a dissertation) for a PhD (or equivalent) prior to May 1st of the current academic year, and do not have adequate funding to attend the ICMS at Kalamazoo are eligible to apply if their paper, on a topic involving hagiography, has been accepted for inclusion on a regular panel (not a round table or other format) in the program of the International Congress on Medieval Studies in Kalamazoo, MI, at the time of application and if they will be attending the Congress in person. They are also expected to attend the annual Hagiography Society Business Meeting held at the International Congress on Medieval Studies.

Application

NOTE: If you submitted an application for the Reames Award in November 2024 and were told that you were ineligible, you do NOT need to resubmit an application, but you DO need to write to the Secretary / Treasurer of the Hagiography Society (secretary@hagiographysociety.org) by February 24 to alert them of your wish to be considered for this award.

Please submit this form with a current curriculum vitae (**combined in a single PDF with your last name in the document name**) by February 24 to the Secretary / Treasurer of the Hagiography Society (secretary@hagiographysociety.org).

Name:

Pronouns:

University or other affiliation:

Department/program (if applicable):

Date PhD awarded:

Are you a member of the Hagiography Society? (Y / N)

Have you received or applied for other funding to present this paper (registration, travel, lodging, and/or meals; specify amounts)?

Are you eligible for travel funding from your university to present this paper, and if so, how much?

Title of accepted paper:

Panel title:

Is this a Hagiography Society panel? (Y / N)

Abstract of accepted paper:

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How does this paper fit into your scholarly trajectory?

Budget

From where (city, state/province, country) will you be traveling?

After researching actual (and economical!) travel options, please indicate your projected expenses (in US dollars) in the table below. Add rows as necessary.

Please note: the Hagiography Society operates on a very small budget. We are committed to supporting unfunded and underfunded scholars. In order to be able to continue to provide this support, we ask for your cooperation in minimizing expenses. Awardees should plan to stay in the least expensive on-campus housing provided by the ICMS or in similarly inexpensive lodging, use ICMS shuttles instead of taxis, etc. The HS will award *up to* \$1,000 if costs are reasonable; please only request the amount you need.

	Details (flight/ train info, bus, taxi; dorms, hostel, etc.)	Cost in US dollars
Transportation		
Food		
Lodging		
Registration		
TOTAL		