John L. Pitts Aquatic Veterinary Scholarship
Application Form

Background

- Each year, based on available funds, the Program offers financial support to a limited number of veterinary students or recent graduates who have graduated in the past 24 months, to explore aquatic veterinary medicine.
- Funding can be used to attend aquatic veterinary conferences, workshops and other continuing education programs, veterinary student externships, or for aquatic veterinary research projects that are not funded by other sources.
- All activities must be completed between January 1 and December 31 of the current year.
- Previous awardees are ineligible.
- Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.
- All applications receiving an award **will be required to submit a written report** of their activity or project 30 days after completion, for publication in ***The Aquatic Veterinarian***.

To be considered, the following must be sent to PittsEduAwards-Admin@wavma.org by March 31

1. This Application Form (3 pages).
2. Your current CV or resume.
3. A letter of recommendation from a faculty member or a practicing veterinarian who is familiar with the applicant's interest and experience in aquatic veterinary medicine should be sent directly to PittsEduAwards-Admin@wavma.org.

Applicant's Information provided will be evaluated based on the proposed project's value, their past efforts, and their potential to advance, or pursue a career in aquatic veterinary medicine. Applicants will be notified in April.

Applicant Name: _____

Primary e-Mail: _____ **Secondary e-Mail**: _____

Mobile Phone (include Country code): _____

Mailing Address: _____ **City**: _____

State/Province: _____ **Postal Code**: _____ **Country**: _____

Veterinary School University (do not abbreviate): _____

Graduation Year: _____ **Veterinary Degree (BVSc, VMD, DVM, etc.)**: _____

Are you currently a WAVMA Member: ○ Yes; ○ No

Title of Activity/Project: _____

Have you been approved to participate in this activity/project? ○ Yes; ○ No

If No what date do you anticipate being approved? _____

Activity/Project Completion Date: _____

Please describe how *this activity or project* will increase your awareness of, and involvement in, aquatic veterinary medicine (1500 characters or less).

Please describe anything *you previously have done* to increase your awareness of, and involvement in, aquatic veterinary medicine (1500 characters or less).

Please describe your *future aspirations or goals* for a career in aquatic veterinary medicine and what you hope do in the future to achieve these (1500 characters or less).

Estimated Total Cost for your Activity or Project (click to convert to US$): _____

Recognizing that a Pitts Scholarship will not cover all the cost for your proposed activity or project, please describe other sources and amounts of funds you have available for this project or activity.