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IPPS Western Region North America

**Early Career North American Exchange Program Application Form**

* Open to IPPS Western Region Members, 35 years old and younger, or new to the industry.
* The Exchange Delegate must provide proof of primary health insurance and medical travel insurance.
* All travel arrangements are booked by the Exchange Delegate (not IPPS Western Region).
* A current US passport is required for international travel (does not apply for 2025).
* The selected Exchange Delegate will be awarded $1,000 to cover travel and hotel expenses.
* Conference registration costs will be covered by the hosting region.
* The Exchange Delegate will attend the Southern Region Annual Meeting.
* The following year, the Exchange Delegate will present a 20-minute talk and submit a paper at the Western Region Annual Meeting, sharing their experience.

**SOUTHERN REGION ANNUAL MEETING:**

* October 19-23, 2025
* Orlando, FL

**Application Deadline: September 26, 2025**

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**Education** List school or classes attended. Note: If you did not graduate, last grade completed.

Name/Address of Institution Degree Received Date

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**References:** Give at least two professional references. Do not include family members as references.

Name and contract information:

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**Employment Experience:** List your most recent positions

Company Name Dates Description of position

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**Other information:** List any other information that may qualify you for the exchange program

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Have you ever made a presentation at the Western Region Annual Meeting? \_\_\_\_\_yes \_\_\_\_\_no

If so, in what year did you make the presentation? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Exchange Delegates will give a 20-minute presentation and submit a corresponding paper at the Western

Region Annual Meeting the following year to showcase your experience.

**Essay**

Please attach a 200-word essay explaining why you are a good candidate for this exchange program.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please email the completed application to **boston.swan@uvu.edu.**

Any questions, feel free to call: (435) 757-3373