TELECO RENTA STUDENT TRAVEL GRANTS

The Workshop on ns-3 (WNS3) is pleased to announce the availability of 4 travel grants sponsored by TELECO RENTA, the Spanish plan for the promotion of telecommunications studies in Spain (PPET), funded by the Spanish Ministry of Economic Affairs and Digital Transformation through PRTR and the European Union- NextGenerationEU.

Applications are invited from qualified full-time graduate and undergraduate students. To qualify, a student must:

- be a full-time student registered towards a Master or Ph.D. degree in engineering or related field in a college or university when submitting the application;
- having never been enrolled in a Spanish university, and
- having not received a similar grant in the past 12 months.

Women, undergraduates, and underrepresented minority students are particularly encouraged to apply.

The travel grant will cover the conference registration, travel expenses and accommodation up to a maximum of:

- 2.500€ for overseas students (outside Europe)
- 1.500€ for students within Europe.

Two grants are offered in each category.

Application Procedure

The applications for the student travel grant shall consist of:
1. A brief cover letter (maximum one page) from the student indicating: (a) the college/university programs the student has been enrolled in, and confirming that the student has never been enrolled in any Spanish university; (b) her/his research interests and its alignment with ns-3 5G-LENA simulator (https://5g-lena.cttc.es/) and/or other ns-3 modules, and highlight his/her previous experience with ns-3 development; (c) a statement on how attending the conference would benefit the student's career and research; (d) (if applicable) whether the student is a first-time attendee and whether the student has authored a paper accepted at the workshop, providing the paper title; (e) whether the student is from any under-represented groups; (f) whether the student has received travel grants before, and when.
2. A recommendation letter from the student's advisor including the following: (a) confirmation that the student is a graduate/undergraduate student in good academic standing; (b) the availability of extra funding to cover travel expenses for the student in excess of the travel grant.
3. The student's CV.

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Applicants should send their applications through e-mail to telecorenta@cttc.cat as follows:
Use the following subject: WNS3 2024 Teleco Renta Student Travel Grant Application (please note, emails may be missed without this subject)

Attach all materials as outlined above as a single PDF file attachment.

Important Dates:
Application deadline: 29th April 2024 at 23:59 EST
Rolling application processing with final notification deadline: 8th May 2024
Awardee acceptance deadline: 13th May 2024 at 23:59 EST

Contact:
For any questions regarding the application or grant content please contact
telecorenta@cttc.cat; indicating in the email subject: WNS3 2024 Teleco Renta Student
Travel Grant

Award Selection Committee:
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Student Travel Grant Patrons: