The Advisory Council on Underwater Archaeology is pleased to announce the 2018 ACUA George Fischer Student Travel Award. This award of $1,000.00 (USD) will be offered to help fund travel costs for the upcoming 2018 SHA Conference on Historical and Underwater Archaeology in New Orleans, Louisiana, USA, and will be granted to an international student presenting a paper on an underwater or maritime archaeology topic at this Conference. Conference abstracts must be submitted directly to the Conference Organizers as outlined in the Call for Papers. Please refer to http://sha.org/conferences/ for complete details on abstract submission and deadlines.

To be eligible for consideration, students interested in applying for this award must be in good academic standing, in a graduate degree program (includes full-time, part-time, or thesis/dissertation hours only), and will still be currently enrolled at the time of presentation (January 2018). Preference is given to international students. International students are considered to be those students residing or studying in a country other than the country where the conference is being held.

To apply for this award you must submit the following:
1. Curriculum vitae
2. Short covering letter
3. A copy of your conference abstract, along with confirmation of submission

Submissions will be judged on academic merit and relevance to the field of underwater and maritime archaeology.

All Award application materials must be sent to the ACUA at info@acuaonline.org by 15 September 2017.