

HOW TO APPLY FOR THE DR. MARA LYNN KELLER GRADUATE STUDENT CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION SCHOLARSHIP

For the 2027 conference, ASWM has one scholarship available for a graduate student whose proposal is accepted and who is presenting in a field related to Women's Spirituality

The Dr. Mara Lynn Keller Graduate Student Conference Participation Scholarship is made possible by a generous bequest of Dr. Mara Lynn Keller, pioneering scholar, teacher, and visionary whose life's work helped shape the field of Women's Spirituality studies as we know it today.

Women's Spirituality is a transdisciplinary field that explores the intersection of feminism, religion, and spirituality, and encompasses three different areas of emphasis: Women and World Religions; Feminist and Ecofeminist Philosophies and Activism; and Women's Mysteries, Sacred Arts, and Healing.

To apply for the scholarship, which includes a fee waiver and \$500 to offset costs for attendance for the 2027 ASWM Biennial Conference, please do the following:

1. Submit your 250 word proposal abstract and short (70 word) biography per the information on the 2027 ASWM Call for Proposals announcement: "Wisdom in the Thin Places: Thinking and Talking about the Liminal." Your paper proposal must be in a field related to Women's Spirituality.
2. Complete the Graduate Student Presentation Scholarship Application Form to affirm that you are a graduate student at an accredited institution of higher education in one of the disciplines encompassed by Women's Spirituality.
3. Attach an expanded 750 word proposal to the form, further amplifying your proposal, and submit it to the committee here---

If your proposal is accepted by the ASWM Program Committee, the committee will consider your application for the scholarship. The scholarship awardee will be chosen by late February/early March of 2027.