

## Travel Stipends to Present at the 2019 North American Cannabis Summit



**Are you conducting cannabis research at the UW** in areas of public health, health disparities, and health equity in policy and practice, the science of cannabis, and best practices in governance?

The UW Alcohol & Drug Abuse Institute (ADA I) announces the availability of stipends to support UW researchers to present at the [2019 North American Cannabis Summit](#), in Los Angeles, California, January 28-30, 2019.

This is a unique opportunity to hear from and network with other researchers on this important topic, and also showcase the cannabis research being done at the University of Washington.

ADA I will award up to **5 stipends of up to \$2000** to presenting authors of oral or poster presentations accepted for the Summit. Funds may be used for registration, airfare/ground transportation, lodging, and per diem, in compliance with [UW travel policies](#). Stipends will be paid in the form of a reimbursement upon submission of receipts after the summit.

**Eligibility:** Current UW faculty, research scientists, graduate students, and postdocs, who will still be actively affiliated with the UW at the time of the Summit in January 2019. You must have an accepted abstract for a presentation at the Summit to apply.

**Abstracts:** Submission is **open now until September 14**; acceptance notifications will be made by November 5, 2018, if not sooner. <http://northamericancannabissummit.org/call-for-proposals/>

As soon as your abstract is accepted, send an email to [ADAI@uw.edu](mailto:ADAI@uw.edu) with a copy of your full abstract submission including authors/affiliations, source of funding of the research, and letter/email of acceptance.

**Stipends awards** will be determined in a peer-reviewed process and announced by November 14, 2018 so that recipients can register and make travel plans well before the conference. Priority will be given to presentations on research funded by the Washington State Dedicated Marijuana Fund, but all eligible applicants will be considered.

**Who will attend?** At least 1000 attendees are expected, including public policymakers, elected officials, legislators, healthcare providers, addiction treatment and recovery specialists, prevention professionals, state and municipal licensing and regulatory entities, and youth-serving organizations worldwide.

We encourage you to submit an abstract as soon as possible, so that you can apply for a stipend if accepted. If you have questions about the stipend, please contact [adai@uw.edu](mailto:adai@uw.edu).



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The Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction is proud to announce the 2019 North American Cannabis Summit, hosted in partnership with Advocates for Human Potential (AHP), and UCLA Integrated Substance Abuse Programs.

The aim of the event is to maintain the momentum of the U.S. 2017 National Cannabis Summit, convened by AHP, the Addiction Technology Transfer Center Network and the National Council for Behavioral Health. That summit was the first national forum on cannabis legalization and decriminalization, bringing together representatives from public health, research, regulatory agencies, law enforcement and community-based organizations to discuss surrounding issues relevant to the oversight and regulation of legal cannabis markets. Topics included the health effects of chronic consumption, cannabis-impaired driving and the treatment of cannabis use disorder. The proceedings are [now available](#).

The 2019 North American Cannabis Summit expands the scope to encompass the U.S., Canada and Mexico. The summit is a unique opportunity to explore a wide array of objective, science-based perspectives on the decriminalization and legalization of cannabis across the continent.