# Montana NASA EPSCoR Travel Program

The Montana NASA EPSCoR Travel Program will provide funding for:

- MSGC-member campus faculty to travel to NASA Centers or Headquarters.
- Visits to MSGC-member campuses by NASA personnel or other established, prominent scientists and engineers from universities and industry working in NASA-related fields.
- Other appropriate national meeting, student travel associated with a NASA-related research project, etc.

Through the travel program, NASA EPSCoR seeks to encourage the development of new collaborations, projects and proposals, with the ultimate goal of fostering the growth of NASA related funded research at Montana institutions. Foreign travel is not allowed under this program. A hard copy post-travel report should be submitted to the Montana Space Grant Consortium Office within two (2) weeks of the completion of travel. Call (406) 994-4223 with questions.

## Application Form

Traveler's name:_____

Social security number:_____

Mailing Address:_____

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Destination:_____

Dates of Travel:_____

Protected Class Status: (Please note - The Consortium is required by NASA to report the information below for assessing the effectiveness of this program in recruiting students in technical disciplines, especially women and underrepresented minorities. The information may also play a part in the selection process by permitting affirmative action selections among otherwise equally qualified applicants. Thus, you are asked to complete applicable parts of this section.)

__Male __Female __Individual with disability(ies) __African American __Asian
__Caucasian __Hispanic __Native American __Pacific Islander __Other, please specify _____

Are you a U.S. citizen? _____ If no, please complete and attach the Non U.S. Citizen Form which can be found at: http://www.montana.edu/wwwpn/Taxes/Non%20US%20citizen%20form.pdf

Please attach a **one page proposal and budget**. Within the proposal, provide details of the travel, a description of how the travel will benefit NASA funded research in Montana and brief biographic information. Budget requests should be for $1,000 or less and may include airfare, other transportation costs, lodging, meals, and/or registration. Travel expenses are governed by state rules and regulations, and reimbursement will be made only **after** travel. Upon approval of application, reimbursement information will be sent to the applicant.

_____ _____
Signature of Applicant Date MSGC Affiliate Campus

Applicant's E-mail Address:_____

Approved by: _____ $_____
Angela C. Des Jardins Date Maximum Approved
Director, MSGC

Send this form and supporting documents to:
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