



THE CENTER FOR HUMAN-CARNIVORE COEXISTENCE

CHCC Student Research and Outreach Grants

The Center for Human-Carnivore Coexistence is committed to supporting graduate students and postdoctoral scholars in their efforts to conduct transformative ecological and social research on human-carnivore coexistence. We are therefore launching a new student research and outreach grant program, which will be accepting applications starting in February 2022. Current CHCC students and postdoctoral scholars may submit applications for up to \$3000 to support their ongoing research and outreach related to human-carnivore coexistence.

Application opening: February 15th, 2022

Application deadline: March 11th, 2022

Funds may be used for:

- Equipment and supplies for research
- Travel costs to field sites
- Hiring of research assistants
- Travel costs to collaborate with others on research, professional meetings, or conferences

Please note, that while you can request up to \$3000 in support, funding availability will vary by year and number of qualified applicants. If you are selected for funding, we may not be able to fund your proposal for the full requested amount.

Eligibility:

- Applicants must already be officially accepted as a member of the CHCC. To apply, please visit: <https://sites.warnercnr.colostate.edu/centerforhumancarnivorecoexistence/about/>
- Students at all levels in all degree plans (MS, PhD, and in some cases, advanced undergraduates) are encouraged to apply, and students who have not received a CHCC grant in the past will be given priority.
- CHCC postdoctoral scholars may also apply
- Priority will be given to students and postdoctoral scholars with a demonstrated prior commitment to the CHCC (e.g., by attendance at CHCC events, collaboration with other faculty and students in the CHCC, etc).

Application Format:

- 1) In 3-4 paragraphs, describe the project for which you are requesting funding. Describe how your proposed work relates to the CHCC's mission of "applying social-ecological science to understand where and how humans and carnivores can coexist and to develop approaches to reduce conflict." Also, describe how your proposed work builds on and contributes to existing social and ecological research and practice.
- 2) Describe how the requested funding may help you better achieve your goals.
- 3) Describe how you have demonstrated your commitment to the CHCC in the past (e.g., by attendance at CHCC events, collaboration with other faculty and students in the CHCC, etc).
- 4) Provide a detailed itemized budget and timeline for your project. Please note, a one page report summarizing your research and/or outreach will be due by December 15 2022.
- 5) The maximum number of pages for the proposal (including budget) is 3 pages (single-spaced, Times New Roman at a font size of 11 or larger)
- 6) Along with the proposal, including a one page letter of support from your graduate advisor, indicating satisfactory progress and supporting the need for the funding request.