

Second Announcement

International Congress of Metallurgy and Materials

16th SAM-CONAMET

November 22 - 25, 2016

Córdoba – Argentina

**Symposium - Materials and Technologies for Metalworking
and Aerospace Industries**

<http://sam-conamet2016.congresos.unc.edu.ar/>

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ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

New deadline

May 17, 2016

GRANTS

The SAM Committee will give grants to graduate students (GS), undergraduate students (US), and students next to graduate or just graduated (FG) for all those that present a contribution to the Congress. These grants will cover travel expenses made by car train or bus within the country.

IMPORTANT DATES

Applications opening: June 22, 2016.

Applications closure: July 22, 2016.

Acceptance notification: September 21, 2016.

Grants payments: November 25, 2016 (last day of the congress)

CONDITIONS TO APPLY

Graduate students (GS)

- Being author or co-author of an accepted abstract.
- Up to 35 years old on 7/31/2016.
- Send by e-mail to becas.samconamet2016@gmail.com the full application form and the files asked.
- The applicant must be a member of SAM/AFA/SOCHIM, or partnership, or from an equal Materials Association of a foreign country.

Undergraduate students (US), and students close to graduation or just graduated (FG)

- Being author or co-author of an accepted abstract.
- Up to 28 years old on 7/31/2016.
- Send by e-mail to becas.samconamet2016@gmail.com the full application form and the files asked.
- Send a guarantee letter from your tutor or director, confirming that the work is of your authorship.
- The tutor or director of the work must be a member of SAM/AFA/SOCHIM, or partnership, or from an equal Materials Association of a foreign country.

EVALUATION

Priority will be given (even though non-exclusive) in the following cases:

Graduate students (GS)

- Applicants with full work presented.
- The applicant is the expositor of the work.
- The applicant is in his/her first two years of his/her PhD studies.
- The applicant is in his/her first year of his/her Master Degree studies.

Undergraduate students (US), and students close to graduation or just graduated (FG)

- Applicants with full work presented.
- Any academic or research precedent detailed in the CV will be taken into consideration by the Evaluation Committee.

CANCELLATION CAUSES (until payday)

- Absence in SAM-CONAMET 2016.
- Unpaid registration.
- No presenting on time the travelling tickets.
- No presenting work in the congress.

FORM AND DOCUMENTATION

Graduate Students (GS)

- Certificate that proves GS is studying a postgraduate career.
- Copy of the ID.
- Endorsement letter, according to the attached model, from the director of thesis or the research group,
- CV in a pdf file, the file name will have the "SurnameName-CV" format.
- If it is foreign student, and member of any society of Materials, a document or record that accredits it. For SAM members this document or record it's not necessary.

Undergraduate students (US) and students close to graduation or just graduated (FG)

- Certificate of regular student for undergraduate or evidence of completion of study for recent graduates.
- Academic record that states your GPA.
- Copy of the ID.
- CV in a pdf file, the file name will have the "SurnameName-CV" format.
- Endorsement letter from the director, according to the attached model.
- If the director is a foreigner, and member of any society of Materials, must present a document or record that accredits it. For SAM members this document or record it's not necessary.

SENDING THE DOCUMENTATION

The form and all the documents must be scanned, compressed and compiled into a single file named "SurnameName.rar" and send by mail to becas.samconamet2016@gmail.com putting as subject "Type of Grant (PG)(EG)(FG)-Surname-Name". Please, do not send the files separately. The form and the endorsement letter can be downloaded from the congress website <http://sam-conamet2016.congresos.unc.edu.ar/becas/>

AWARDS

SAM will grant during 16^o Metallurgy and Materials International Congress diverse Awards to papers done in the field of research and the development of materials, these are:

- **JORGE SABATO AWARD** "Best paper in technological development of materials"
 - The award consists on a Diploma and the publication of the paper in the SAM JOURNAL.
- **JORGE KITTL AWARD** "Best paper in materials science"
 - The award consists on a Diploma and the publication of the paper in the SAM JOURNAL.
- **JOSÉ GALVELE AWARD** "Best paper in degradation of materials"
 - The award consists on a Diploma and the publication of the paper in the SAM JOURNAL.
- **INCENTIVE AWARD TO YOUNG GRADUATE STUDENTS** "Best paper submitted by graduate students"
 - The award consists on a Diploma and the publication of the paper in the SAM JOURNAL.
- **INCENTIVE AWARD TO YOUNG UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS** "Best paper submitted by undergraduate students"
 - The award consists on a Diploma and the publication of the paper in the SAM JOURNAL.
- **BEST MICROGRAPH AWARD**
 - The award consists on a Diploma and the publication of the micrograph sample in the SAM JOURNAL.

APPLICATION CONDITIONS

General condition for all candidates:

When sending the full paper, authors should express their interest in taking part of the contest for any of the prizes by writing a nomination note.

The application of the same work will not be accepted in different categories of Awards. Category nomination must be indicated in the nomination note.

Particular Conditions:

INCENTIVE AWARD TO YOUNG GRADUATE STUDENTS: The lead author must be a graduate student. The Thesis must have been made totally or partially in Argentina or in Latin America and have been presented in any University of Argentina, in a period not longer than two years before to the SAM-CONAMET 2016 Congress. The thesis defense day must be clearly indicated in the nomination note. Candidates must not be older than 30 years when submitting the thesis to the University.

INCENTIVE AWARD TO YOUNG UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS: The lead author must be an undergraduate student. The paper must be made totally or partially in Argentina. Candidates must not be older than 24 years when submitting the full paper.

BEST MICROGRAPH AWARD: Micrographs obtained by any of the techniques (TEM, SEM, SPM, APT, APFIM, confocal, optical, etc.) can be presented. The micrograph submitted to the contest must belong to one of the contributions to the Congress.

Authors must attach, in the nomination note, a text highlighting of the micrograph(s) values. The micrograph(s) must belong to a paper submitted to the congress, and, if considered appropriate, high-resolution digital versions.

ELEGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

The papers to be considered are those postulated within the submission date and must be accepted for the congress presentation.

They'll have to be orally presented by any of the authors during the congress.

Authors do not need to be necessarily SAM members.

Research must be made in Latin America.

IMPORTANT DATES

Sending the nomination note and the full paper: From June 15 to July 31, 2016.

Publication of the evaluators names by category: August 1, 2016.

Communication of acceptance: September 15, 2016

Winner/s of each award: During the congress.

Awards: During the closing ceremony of the congress.

DOCUMENTATION TO BE SENT

The nomination note and full paper must be compressed and compiled into a single file named "SurnameName.rar" and sent by mail to premios.samconamet2016@gmail.com putting as subject "Award code-Surname" i.e. JS - PerezJuan. Please, do not send the files separately. The paper's code, the nomination note and the regulation of the awards can be downloaded from the congress webpage <http://sam-conamet2016.congresos.unc.edu.ar/premios/>