



Canadian Embryo Transfer Association
Association Canadienne de Transfert d'Embryons

ANNOUNCEMENT FOR:
2026 CETA/ACTE ANNUAL CONVENTION STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP AWARD
2026 AETA & CETA/ACTE Joint Scientific Convention
Madison, Wisconsin, USA – September 24-26, 2026

The Canadian Embryo Transfer Association (CETA/ACTE) is offering a Student Scholarship Award for the 2026 AETA & CETA/ACTE Annual Joint Scientific Convention. The 2026 annual scientific convention will be held jointly with the American Embryo Transfer Association in Madison, Wisconsin, USA, from September 24-26, 2026. The scientific sessions will focus on embryo transfer and reproduction in large animals. *Issuance of award will be based on quality of applicants.*

The '2026 CETA/ACTE Annual Convention Student Scholarship Award' includes:

- Student registration for the 2026 AETA & CETA/ACTE Joint Convention, including: preconference seminar, scientific sessions, breakfast, breaks & lunch on the days of the scientific sessions.
- One ticket for the preconference social and one ticket for the banquet.
- Hotel accommodations for a maximum of three (3) nights (If accommodation is not at the convention hotel, reimbursement will not exceed convention hotel rate)
- Travel: round trip economy airfare for one (Airfare must be booked no less than 21 days before the start date of the convention; otherwise, you will not receive full reimbursement.)
- One complimentary CETA/ACTE Student Membership for one year
- Opportunity to travel with a local embryo transfer practitioner (CETA/ACTE member) for one day observing embryo transfer in the field, to take place either before or after the annual convention in September. (If the student chooses to travel with an ET practitioner from outside his/her local area, all costs (travel/accommodation) will be the responsibility of the student.)

APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a Canadian veterinary student who will be graduating in 2026 or 2027, (or is a graduate veterinary student), who is interested in large animal reproduction and is including embryo transfer in his/her career path.
2. Must agree to attend scientific sessions, business meeting, banquet, breakfast, luncheons, breaks and preconference social.
3. Must agree to submit a written report/post-meeting evaluation of the Annual Convention, stating objectives for convention attendance, what was gained from attendance, and how this knowledge can be put to use in the industry and your academic work. Additionally, this report will be published in the CETA/ACTE newsletter. The written report must be 650 to 1000 words and submitted to the CETA/ACTE office within 30 days following the convention (*deadline October 26, 2026*).
4. Must agree to present your post-convention report to the bovine/large animal club at your school.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

1. Please complete and submit the application (*on page 2*) and required information (*in English or French*) by **June 30, 2026** to:

Mail: Canadian Embryo Transfer Association
1800 S Oak Street
Champaign, IL, USA
61821

Email: ceta-acte@assoqh.org

2. All applicants will receive notification of award status by July 31, 2026. Reimbursement of hotel accommodations and travel costs will be provided following the convention and submission of post-meeting evaluation & report of Annual Convention.



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NAME: _____

ADDRESS (Street, Box, RR): _____

CITY: _____ PROVINCE: _____ POSTAL CODE: _____

TEL: _____ CELL: _____ EMAIL: _____

SCHOOL CURRENTLY ATTENDING: _____

DEGREES: _____ DEGREES CURRENTLY COMPLETING: _____ YEAR GRADUATING: _____

ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

- 1) Submit a 500-word written essay on the following topic: **Why should the Canadian Embryo Transfer Association send me to the 2026 AETA & CETA/ACTE Joint Convention?** Please note, essays listing what you will do at the convention, will not be considered, the essay must incorporate the convention curriculum and demonstrate the anticipated benefits.
- 2) Submit one (1) letter of recommendation from a faculty advisor.

If selected for the '2026 CETA/ACTE Annual Convention Student Scholarship Award' I will attend the scientific sessions, business meeting, banquet, breakfast, luncheons, breaks and preconference social. I will submit a written report/post-meeting evaluation of 650 to 1000 words of the Annual Convention by **October 26, 2026** and will also present my post-convention report to the bovine/large animal club at my school.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

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