SICU2
An International Workshop on
Historic Scientific Instrument Collections
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TRAVEL GRANT APPLICATION – PRINTABLE FORM

The SICU2 workshop seeks to solidify the foundation for finding, describing, organizing, preserving, and utilizing the vast resource of historic scientific instruments that reside in academic institutions. To succeed, the workshop will draw participants from a diverse, international community of scientists, historians, curators, archivists, educators, and collectors. Scientists, junior scholars, advanced graduate and undergraduate students, and people from outside academia are particularly encouraged to participate.

We are offering a limited number of workshop travel subsidies in a special effort to encourage the participation of younger scholars, people from underrepresented groups, and international experts. Highest priority for this assistance will be participating graduate students and early career professionals (within 6 years of a Ph.D or other terminal degree) from the U.S. A limited number of travel subsidies will be available for international participants, since international perspectives and experience are also vital to the success of this workshop.

Applicants should print this page and complete the following, then fax or mail this page as directed below:

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Your SICU2 Abstract title: ___________________________________________________________________

To receive travel support, applicants must submit an abstract and plan to participate in the workshop. The amount of funds per travel award will not exceed the awardee’s transportation costs (roundtrip economy airfare or similar). With a few exceptions for international participants, maximum funding per award is expected to be $500.

Send your completed application via email to sicu2@olemiss.edu [or via regular post to Dr. Maribeth Stolzenburg, Dept of Physics & Astronomy, University, MS 38677-1848 USA] by 15 January 2007.

The preliminary SICU2 program plus information about registration, housing, and workshop highlights are available at http://www.olemiss.edu/~sicu2web/.