

Poultry Science Association Hatchery “Brooder” Development Award

The PSA Hatchery is a student organization of the Poultry Science Association whose objective is to provide for the educational, social, and academic/industrial advancement of its student members. The intended purpose of the award is to help students further develop their organizations and college by organizing events, activities and conferences that would not be financially viable without the use of the additional funding from the award.

Eligibility:

Applications may be submitted by current PSA student members as outlined in the Hatchery constitution. Awards must have an advisor’s signature, which may be a faculty or staff member in the submitting students department or institution. PSA reserves the right to disqualify applications if reimbursement is a violation of United States law.

Application:

The student organization shall submit a completed application addressing each of the criteria listed below and a detailed budget (see attached); **applications must be signed by both the student organization's leader and an advisor.**

- Applications must include a detailed description of the intended use
- Applications must include the budget sheet for the intended project/activity
- No more than (1) award per University per academic year will be given
- After a selected organization uses the money, a detailed summary is required along with all receipts for expenses

Selection criteria:

The organization applying for the award must answer the following in the “Description of project/activity” part of the application (attached):

1. What is the *potential value* of the proposed project/activity to students?
2. The proposed project must be likely to *achieve the goals* stated by the organization applying. What are the goals of the project/activity? ***If the project is not completed and documented within the semester of proposed project date(s), awarded funds shall not be given***

Procedures for Submitting Proposals

Each interested organization will apply with an electronic copy to the PSA Hatchery email at psahatchery@gmail.com. Organizations will need to submit the application (attached) outlining the project or activity the money will be used toward **and** the budget sheet (attached) showing the need of funding.

Applications for funding a project/activity or event that has taken place prior to the application review by the Council will not be considered.

Proposal Review

After submission, the Hatchery Advisory Committee will review each submitted application and confirm that each has met the requirements of the award and will ultimately help benefit the students as a whole. Those applications meeting the requirements will be contacted with the decision (accept/decline) and notified to move on in the award process.

Award Distribution

Depending on the number of applications and requested funds, the Hatchery Advisory Committee will take a vote to determine how much money is allocated and to what organization(s). Once the Selection Committee's decision has been made, each organization will be contacted within the week. The award money will be distributed by PSA in accordance with receipts that match the original award approval. It is imperative original receipts are kept and mailed to PSA at 701 Devonshire Drive, C-51 Champaign, IL 61820

Follow-Up:

After the selected organization(s) have finished the project/activity the award money was given toward, a summary of the event shall be submitted. The summary should give an overview of what the project/activity was and how the award money was beneficial. It should also include pictures of the event/activity.

(PLEASE TYPE)

**Poultry Science Association Hatchery
Development Award Application**

College/University: ___University of Findlay_____

Name of Intended Project/Activity to use the Money: _____Poultry Palooza_____

Date of project/activity: _____April 4, 2018_____

Organization Leader(s): _____Bei Li Martin _____ Phone #: _____ (734)-646-6493_____
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E-mail: _____bova@findlay.edu_____

Description of project/activity (please relate to the specific criteria found under the selection criteria heading):

The proposed activity would be a poultry science based student workshop. At this workshop there will be research presentations on poultry science presented by students to educate other students on their research and results having to deal with poultry through different topics. The University of Findlay currently does not house poultry at the Dr. C. Richard Beckett Animal Science Building and so students in the animal science program do not learn as much about poultry science in comparison to other animal science topics. This workshop's potential value would be to raise more awareness about poultry science and would be catering to not only animal science majors, but to the university's general student population as well. The value of this activity would be significant for the university as there are no poultry clubs or interest groups present.

This workshop will mainly focus on poultry-related presentations and throughout the event will include different activities to get the students involved through hands-on learning. These activities will include egg candling, bouncy eggs, and poultry trivia for prizes. The candling activity will present chicken embryos at different stages being observed through the candling process and at the end of the candling activity, live chicks will be present as a poultry vet talks to students about preventative care and overall care of chickens, as well as common problems seen in backyard poultry. The other activity will explain the science behind the bouncy egg experiment and how an egg can become a rubbery texture through soaking a boiled egg in a vinegar bath. There will be pre-prepared bouncy eggs and directions for the students on how to do it themselves. Proper cooking will also be discussed during the event. The workshop will also bring in a key note speaker to discuss poultry career opportunities.

The goals of this project include educating students about poultry science and getting them involved in fun and educational activities related to poultry. As previously stated, the University of Findlay does not have poultry and does not emphasis poultry science, so to bring a poultry

science related event to Findlay will help broaden students' experiences and provide them with useful information regarding poultry and poultry related topics. Whether an animal science major or not, this activity will educate all who attend on topics pertaining to poultry and activities that will make learning more fun. Additionally, this would be a great opportunity for researchers to share their knowledge and experiences to fellow peers.

BUDGET FOR THE PROJECT/ACTIVITY

Income- Please list the income/money set aside for this specific project/activity (e.g., fundraisers, membership dues, attendance/entry fees, academic college/departmental support, corporate donations, other student organizations, etc.):

There is no income for this activity due to the activity not being a part of an organization. The University of Findlay does not have a Poultry club to sponsor the activity.

Expenses- Please include the items and expected expenses for each item that will be needed to make the project/activity functional (i.e., publicity, printing and mailing charges, AV equipment, room charge, transportation, lodging, registration fees, etc.):

Item	Cost	Quantity
Room (GFAP)	In-Kind	-----
Eggs	\$2.92	60 eggs
White Vinegar	\$4.96	2 gallons
Magicfly Bright Cool LED Light Egg Candler Tester	\$79.95	5 lights
Incubator	\$0.00 (borrowing)	1
Live Chicks	\$0.00 (borrowing)	6 chicks
Wristbands	\$110.00	260 bands
Eggs for Candling	\$48.80	10 fertile eggs
Poster Board	\$2.97	10 sheets

Total amount requested from PSA: \$ 250.00 _____

Bi di Martin 2/19/18
Signature of Student Date

Trees Williams 2/19/18
Signature of Advisor Date