| Guidelines: | VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE  
(new opportunity for 2022!) |
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<td>Who is eligible to apply?</td>
<td><strong>ICOM-US Members in good standing (including new members who joined in 2022).</strong> For Institutional ICOM-US Members, each Institution is eligible to receive up to two ICOM awards per General Conference for employees of their institution, who are not individual members in their own right.</td>
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<td>What may you apply for?</td>
<td>Those eligible to apply may seek support to attend- VIRTUAL; ICOM Prague 2022 General Conference (award to help cover conference fees).</td>
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<td>How much can you apply for?</td>
<td>Grants may be awarded for conference fees, awards will range from a minimum of $150 and a maximum of $250.</td>
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In an effort to encourage conference participation from across the larger ICOM US member base, the ICOM US Fellowship/Travel Support committee will consider geographic diversity as well as emerging and seasoned museum professionals. In addition, consideration will be given to members who have not previously attended ICOM meetings and regard will be paid to the wider benefit that will be gained by the ICOM US members and their institutions, as a result of their attendance at this meeting. Applicants should note that priority will be given to those active in ICOM US and participation in International Committees.

What happens after your application is submitted?  
- In the first instance your application will be assessed by the ICOM US Fellowship/Travel Support committee using the criteria below.  
  You will receive written confirmation of the outcome of your application by August 8, 2022.

What is the assessment criteria?  
In addition to the qualifying conditions set out above, the ICOM US Fellowship/Travel Support Committee will use the following criteria in assessing the applications it receives:  
- Is the application form completed and does it provide sufficient information upon which to judge the merit of what is proposed?  
  - Is the information effectively planned and budgeted?  
- Are the wider benefits and the means by which any associated information will be disseminated deemed to be appropriate and worthy of support?

Post Conference Guidelines:  
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If you are granted a travel award you will receive an email indicating the amount awarded and any conditions associated with the offer of support (as reimbursements unless special consideration). Reimbursements will only be issued with a valid receipt of expenditure and upon receipt of the report mentioned below.

Conditions related to bursaries (if receiving award):  
You will be required to submit a 200 word (min) written report which should cover relevant information regarding your virtual conference participation, including highlighting the benefits you gained from participating in the event. This report should be sent within one month of the conference attendance. Please bear in mind that we may subsequently edit and publish your report in the ICOM US newsletter and/or website and reserve the right to do so as a condition of this grant offer. You will also be required to participate in the ICOM-US virtual activities scheduled for the conference (more information to be provided with your award notification).

Please email any questions or concerns to icomus@icom.museum.

Additional Helpful Information:  
ICOM Prague 2022 Conference Website: https://prague2022.icom.museum/