

2026 NAGARA Travel Scholarship

Preview of Application Questions

(For reference only – to help you prepare your submission before completing the application form)

Section 1: Applicant Information

Applicant's Name and Basic Contact Information *(Required)*

- Full Name
- Job Title
- Organization / Agency
- Email Address

Applicant Demographic Information *(Optional)*

- Level of Government
- Region
- Birth Year
- Race
- Gender
- Pronouns

Membership Tenure *(Required)*

How long have you been a member of NAGARA? *(Applicants must be in at least their second year of NAGARA membership, consecutive or non-consecutive, at the time of application.)*

- 2 years (consecutive or non-consecutive)
- More than 2 years but less than 5 years
- More than 5 years
- I'm not sure (NAGARA will verify)

Section 2: Eligibility Affirmations

Applicants must agree to each of the following statements:

- I affirm that I have never attended a previous NAGARA Annual Conference.
- I affirm that I am not serving as a session presenter or panelist for the 2026 NAGARA Annual Conference.
- I affirm that I have received support and approval from my direct supervisor to attend the 2026 NAGARA Annual Conference, if selected to receive a Travel Scholarship.

- I agree to attend and be recognized as a Travel Scholarship recipient during a designated General Session at the NAGARA Annual Conference.
- I agree to write an article or conference write-up documenting my reflections on being a first-time conference attendee.
- I agree to allow NAGARA to use my name, image, and article/conference write-up across various communication mediums as appropriate.

Section 3: Organization and Funding Information

About Your Organization / Agency *(Required)*

Please tell us more about your employing organization/agency, including its mission, its relationship to government archives/records management, and what funding is (or is not) available for professional development.

Organizational Funding Support *(Required)*

What level of financial support (if any) is available from your organization for conference attendance?

Scholarship Support Preference *(Required)*

If selected, what type of scholarship support would be most helpful to you? *(Select all that apply.)*

- Conference Registration
- Travel (airfare or mileage)
- Hotel / Lodging
- Any Combination of the Above

Section 4: Personal Statement and Supporting Materials

Personal Statement *(Required)*

Please share how attending the 2026 NAGARA Annual Conference will benefit your professional development, support your work, and help you in your job.

Resume Upload *(Required)*

Please attach your resume.

Accepted file formats: PDF, DOC, DOCX, PNG, JPG, JPEG, GIF

Maximum file size: 16MB

Supervisor Letter *(Required)*

Please attach a letter or statement from your current supervisor that includes:

1. Expressions of support and approval for you to attend the 2026 NAGARA Annual Conference if selected to receive a Travel Scholarship, and
2. Information about why funding is not available from your organization/agency.

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Additional Supporting Documentation *(Optional)*

While not required, applicants may include any additional supporting documentation for NAGARA to consider.

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Notes

- **This preview is intended to help applicants prepare responses prior to completing the official online application form.**
- **The official submission form must be completed electronically to be considered.**
- **All eligibility requirements must be met at the time of application.**