

Student Grant

The Printing and Graphics Science (PGS) group of the Institute of Physics is set to award its student grant again this year. Bringing together scientists working in industry, academia and elsewhere, the PGS group supports the application of physics in the fields of graphics arts technology, printing, packaging and papermaking. It is also committed to promoting innovation in new markets such as displays, lighting and printed electronics.

The aim of the grant is to assist in supporting a UK-based student engaged in postgraduate research in the area of printing and graphics science, in particular where the application of physics can be demonstrated. The value of this award is a one-off payment of £500.

In order to apply, students are asked to state where they are currently studying and why they should be considered for the grant. They should also enclose an abstract describing the scope of their proposed or current work (no more than 500 words long) and the name of an academic referee, preferably their project supervisor, by e-mail to Ruth Montgomery at ruth.montgomery@npl.co.uk. The closing date for applications is 9th September 2009.

The PGS group home page may be found at <http://pgs.iop.org>.