



Agricultural Shows of Australia Inaugural Conference

17-19 JAN 2020 | GOLD COAST

"Stronger Together, Building Resilient Adaptable Shows"

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Agricultural Shows of Australia Inaugural Conference: Bursaries Available.

By now you will have heard about the Agricultural Shows of Australia Inaugural Conference hosted by Queensland Ag Shows Next Gen. A first for the industry, the conference will be held on the Gold Coast, Queensland on 17-19 January 2020 and will explore the theme 'Stronger together, building resilient, adaptable Shows'. It is a unique opportunity for those involved in organising Shows from across Australia and New Zealand to network and learn together.

ASA is offering 20 bursaries nationally, covering the full early-bird registration fee, to support youth attendance at the Conference. Applications for an ASA Conference bursary are now open.

The details:

Each bursary will be to the value of \$245, and will be in the form of one registration at early-bird rate for the Conference.

Applications for bursaries should be in the form of a letter (up to one page) addressing the below criteria, and should be accompanied by a completed application form:

- Demonstrate your involvement in Agricultural shows;
- Outline your purpose for attending the conference and outcomes which you hope to achieve through attendance; and
- Outline the benefit you hope to return to your Show and/or community as a result of attending the Conference.

Bursary recipients will:

- Be 40 years of age or younger;
- Be prepared to support the Conference by way of producing a post-event report, being active on social media in support of the Conference in the lead-up to and during the event, and in any other ways nominated by the ASA; and
- Have the capacity to fund their own travel and accommodation costs.

Several ASA Member organisations are also offering bursaries to attend the Conference, and it should be noted that individuals can only receive one bursary each. Bursary offers are not transferable and cannot be exchanged for cash or part-registrations.

ASA Bursary applications will close at 5pm on 17 September 2019. Applicants will be advised of the status of their application by 24 September 2019.

To submit your application for an ASA bursary, or for further information, contact:

ASA Executive Officer via execofficer@agshowsaustralia.org.au.

Conference information: www.queenslandshows.com.au/conference



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