# **USDA Grant Application Form**

# **Please note: Only US citizens and US student/work visa holders are eligible to apply**

To be completed by a Student/ECR\_Young Investigator\* attending MedVetPathogens 2025, a USDA-sponsored meeting.

*\*The applicant must be an active microbiologist and have obtained their highest academic degree (Bachelor, Master or PhD) less than five years prior to the application deadline date and is currently enrolled as a PhD student or is a ECR postdoctoral fellow/new investigator. Periods of maternity/paternity and long-term sick leave do not count towards this 5-year limit. Applicants must be the presenting author of an abstract accepted by the conference for an oral or poster presentation.*

Please submit the completed application form to [marina@medvetpathogens2025.org](mailto:marina@medvetpathogens2025.org) by 3rd March, 2025. Do not send to USDA.

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