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## £1,500 Top Prize

Passionate about communicating your research? Have something worthwhile to share? Top Prize at this year's ECR conference is a Travel Bursary worth up to £1,500 to attend a relevant academic conference.

EBNet are happy to support the best UK-based researchers to share their research. So what are you waiting for - this could be your chance to excel!

## EB Network Early Career Researcher Conference

Sheffield, 1-2 July 2019

Call now open

This entirely free 2-day conference in Environmental Biotechnology is open to all Early Career Researcher (ECR) or Young Professional (YP) members\*

This is an opportunity to showcase your exciting research among peers at this friendly and relaxed event - or encourage your colleagues to do so. All disciplines and departments with relevance to the topic of Environmental Biotechnology are welcome. Try us!

We strongly encourage participation from across the UK and we are offering generous pre-approved travel and accommodation bursaries for all accepted attendees.

Step 1. Send us a simple 300 word abstract by Friday, 24th May (extended)  
Step 2. Early June onwards... if offered a place - accept the poster/presentation position. You must register for your free bursary!  
Step 3. 1-2 July: Conference, including conference dinner and great prizes for platform presentation and poster winners.

If you are not yet a member of the free-to-join EBNet, join using the form on our website or Facebook page before submitting your abstract.

For further details, see the website [EBNet.ac.uk](http://EBNet.ac.uk) for further details or email Louise and Angie at [EBNet@EBNet.ac.uk](mailto:EBNet@EBNet.ac.uk).

## Other News

### UKRI: Circular Economy workshop

Deadline to register: 21 May 2019

5th June, Manchester & 21st June, London

UKRI are looking to support multiple topics.

See: <https://epsrc.ukri.org/funding/calls/ukricirculareconomyworkshopeoi/>

### NBIC 2nd Proof of concept Call

Deadline: 24th May 2019

A call for collaborative projects between Industrial and Research. The scope is Prevention, Detection, Management, and Engineering of Biofilms.

See: <https://biofilms.ac.uk/nbic-second-poc-to-launch/>

### HVBNet: From genomes to High Value Biorenewables

17-18th June 2019, Peterborough

This free, residential workshop will explore the current status of genomic technologies and the use of gene tools in relation to High Value Biorenewable Products.

See: [www.highvaluebiorenewables.net/events/scientific-workshop/](http://www.highvaluebiorenewables.net/events/scientific-workshop/)

### 2019 IIASA-NERC Collaborative Research Fellowships

Deadline: 26th June 2019

Funding of £1 million is available for early career researchers.

See: <https://merc.ukri.org/funding/available/fellowships/iiasa/>

### The IChemE Global Awards 2019

Deadline: 28th June 2019.

Entry is free, easy and open to members and non-members.

Now in their 25th year, the IChemE Global Awards celebrate chemical engineering excellence in 17 categories including Pharma, Biotechnology and Industry Project.

See: [www.icheme.org/career/events/awards/global-awards/](http://www.icheme.org/career/events/awards/global-awards/)

As always, the latest opportunities for PhD studentships can be found at: [www.findaphd.com](http://www.findaphd.com)

*"Every once in a while, a new technology, an old problem, and a big idea turn into an innovation"*

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