## The 4<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Asian Dinosaurs in Mongolia 2019 Application for ADA Funding for Young Researchers

## 1. Summary and Purpose

Asia Dinosaur Association (ADA) is offering a financial support for traveling and lodging for the 4<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Asian Dinosaurs in Mongolia 2019 (ISAD2019) to be held from June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019 in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia. The funding is established for young researchers who intend to present their studies about dinosaurs, and other related animals and environments at ISAD2019. The purpose of this support is to encourage young researchers to lead future studies of Asian dinosaurs.

- 2. Qualification
  - I. Students and researchers who belong to universities, graduate schools or other equivalent educational or research institutes, and do not receive salaries
  - II. Those who are registered for oral/poster presentations for ISAD2019
  - III. Those who do not have financial supports to participate ISAD2019 from other societies, organizations, institutes or universities
- 3. Application
  - I. Please fill an application form, sign on it, and submit it to ADA Secretary Office.
  - II. One recommendation letter may be attached.
  - III. Deadline is May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019.
  - IV. Documents must be mailed physically. Signed documents may also be submitted electronically in PDF format or faxed. In this case, original documents still need to be mailed to ADA Secretary Office by May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019. Failure to do so may result in cancellation of the application.
- 4. Recipient Screening
  - I. A committee assigned by ADA Secretary Office will screen recipients based on submitted applications.
  - II. Applicants will be contacted for results of the screening (funded or not funded) by June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

## 5. Funding

- I. Number of recipients: about 10
- II. Details
  - i. Maximum amount of the funding is 100,000 Japanese yens.
  - ii. Amount of the funding will be calculated based on applications
  - iii. The funding will be provided at the reception of ISAD2019.
  - iv. The funding will be made in US\$ calculated on the basis of an exchange rate immediately before opening of ISAD2019.
  - v. The funding will not be provided if its recipient is absent during ISAD2019.
  - vi. The funding cannot be provided preceding or following ISAD2019.

## 6. Notes

- I. You will be asked to provide your signature when receiving the funding.
- II. Application forms will not be returned regardless of the result of the screening.
- III. Your personal information will only be used to implement this support. The information may be provided to universities, research institutions, diplomatic missions, government offices, or non-profit organizations as necessary, and will not be used for any other purposes.
- 7. Please submit required documents and direct any questions to:

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