## **IROS SDC Travel Award**

The purpose of this IROS Student and Developing Countries (SDC) Travel Award is to assist student authors and authors from developing countries to defray some of their travel costs in order to attend and present their papers at the IROS conference and to interact with conference attendees. This IROS-SDC Travel Award aims to promote the growth of IROS conferences by reaching out to graduate students and members from the developing countries.

Support is from co-sponsoring societies of the IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems. Applications for partial travel support will be accepted for attendees from the following categories:

- Student authors (of accepted papers) or authors from developing countries (developing countries as defined by IEEE in IAWP Developing Country Listing).
- Must be student members or members of IEEE RAS/IES, or RSJ, or SICE.
  (Note: Members of other IEEE Societies are not eligible.)

Travel awards will provide partial funding for attendance at IROS 2018. The award may be paid toward partial travel support up to US\$600 or 80% of the applicant's air travel, whichever is smaller. Up to US\$50K annually is available sponsored by the cosponsoring societies of IROS.

Application details will be made available along with paper acceptance decisions. If an applicant receives travel support, he/she must report at the conference site with a flight receipt and passport (international applicants). Instructions regarding the reimbursement process will be posted at a later date.