



WOMEN IN STEM AWARD

The Zonta Women in STEM Award uplifts innovation and celebrates the remarkable accomplishments of women between 18-35 years of age in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) fields and acknowledge their groundbreaking research, pioneering discoveries, and/or exemplary contributions to advancing knowledge and innovation in a STEM field. By recognizing and supporting these exceptional women, Zonta aims

to inspire future generations and foster inclusivity and diversity in the world of STEM.

Zonta International offers 16 international awards of US\$10,000 each and a complimentary one-year supporting membership in Zonta International for the next financial year.

ELIGIBILITY

Women, aged 18-35 years old at the time of application, who demonstrate groundbreaking research, pioneering discoveries and/or exemplary contributions to

advancing knowledge and innovation in a **science, technology, engineering or mathematic (STEM) field of study or industry**, are eligible to apply. The U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Designated Degree Program List can be used to determine if your field of study is eligible: [Full list of STEM fields recognized internationally.](#)

APPLICATION PROCESS

The application process must start with a local Zonta club. All application materials must be received at a local Zonta club by

the deadline given by the individual club. Zonta International does not have a list of the individual clubs deadlines. Applicants must locate a Zonta club near them in district 6 by using the Club Locator at zonta.org/locateaclub to receive the club deadline and a club address to submit the application, or for assistance, email your name and contact information to Zonta International Headquarters at programs@zonta.org or the district 6 award chair, Susie_trees@yahoo.com. Note

that applications must be submitted to a Zonta district 6 club in English language only and by the deadline printed on the application. Only typed applications will be accepted and considered.

All applicants must submit the ZI application to a local club, not to the district. Local club award chairs are responsible to select one application and submit to the district award chair, email only, at Susie_trees@yahoo.com by the required district deadline date.

DEADLINE DATE

The due date for club award chairs to submit the club recipient application to district is **December 1, 2025.**

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