Oxford Food Symposium Rising Scholar Award

The OFS Rising Scholar Award (formerly known as the Cherwell Studentship) is given to a presenting symposiast who will not have celebrated her or his 31st birthday on or before the opening Friday of the Symposium. The recipient will present her or his paper in a plenary session at the Symposium.

The Award consists of an immediate payment of a $1,000.00 research grant plus reimbursement of Symposium registration and travel expenses to and from the Symposium upon presentation of receipts after the Symposium. Airfares are reimbursed at ‘coach’ rates.

Although the Award is administered by the American Friends of the Oxford Symposium on Food & Cookery, any person who meets the age requirement is eligible for consideration, regardless of nationality or educational affiliation.

Applications are due no later than February 1 each year for that summer’s Symposium and consists of four parts:

- A paper proposal for presentation at the Symposium not to exceed 1,000 words;
- Proof of age eligibility (a scan of passport page or other official document);
- A CV; and
- A statement of how the Award will be used to further the recipient’s research goals.

These documents should be sent to katherinemciver610@gmail.com no later than February 1.