Application to travel grants

for researchers from southern countries

1- What are your motivations to participate to sfécologie 2016?

My name is **Fkiri Sondes** and I'm 29 years old PhD student of Carthage University, The Institute of Agronomy. My field of study is Rural Engineering, Water and Forestry. I hereby would like to state my motivation to attend Sfécologie 2016 Meeting. I am totally reliant on your generosity to support me.

The seminar theme is of a special relevance to my professional goals and career objectives, and therefore I would high appreciate to be given an opportunity to attend this seminar. I already have some knowledge on the main theme of the conference as I had an experience in Agroforestry especially in climatic change, ecophysiology and ecology research. Then, my participation is original so, I worked on a very interesting pine species in the Mediterranean region (*Pinus nigra*). In addition it is the first study in my country.

2- Explain why you should beneficiate of a grant to participate to sfécologie 2016

As a special added value of this event I find the opportunity to network with other students and professional from the World, which is an exceptional opportunity for horizontal exchange of experience. This conference is very interesting for me as a PhD student for my career.

This scholarship represents to me an opportunity to my travel and participation in this event. Thank you very much for your attention for your consideration of my application and I believe that your kindness will make my wish come true.