

EUROPEAN SOCIETY OF NEURORADIOLOGY DIAGNOSTIC AND INTERVENTIONAL

Joint ESNR-Institutional Member Society Clinical Diagnostic Neuroradiology Fellowship

The ESNR is delighted to announce a new Fellowship in Clinical Diagnostic Neuroradiology. It is a joint Fellowship funded between ESNR and the Institutional Members (IM) in good standing of the ESNR.

With this letter, we would like to explain the Fellowship and ask you whether you would like to join this fellowship.

- a. <u>Aim</u>: To raise the profile of the ESNR within the institutional member countries, enhance its appeal to the ESNR members and achieve a widespread buy-in, ESNR will partner with the individual ESNR Institutional Member Societies (IM) to establish a new scholarship scheme of 6-12 months, funded by ESNR and IM (50% each). The aim of this fellowship is for a candidate to visit a Clinical Neuroradiological department/group in another member (IM) country, in order to improve their clinical neuroradiological skills.
- b. Duration: 6-12 months
- c. *<u>Eligibility</u>*: To be nominated by an IM, the candidate must fulfil the following:
 - i. Full or Junior individual ESNR member (active or pending)
 - ii. Member of an ESNR IM
 - iii. Residing for the last 24 months in the ESNR IM country
 - iv. no age restriction
- d. <u>Number of candidates:</u> A maximum of 2 candidates, 6 months each in one year
- e. *Funding*: Of a maximum of €24,000/year
 - i. ESNR will provide 50%, up to a maximum of €12,000/year or a fraction of it (minimum 6 months, €6,000)
 - ii. An Institutional Member will provide 50%, up to a maximum of €12,000/year or a fraction of it (minimum 6 months, €6,000)
 - iii. If multiple candidates are nominated by an IM, the total overall funding cannot exceed €24,000/year (€2,000/month).

f. Process:

- i. The Institutional Member will establish and advertise a transparent process to select its candidate(s).
- ii. Every IM can propose 1-2 candidates, provided the maximum of €12,000 is not exceeded.
- iii. The IM will provide a letter of support indicating why the candidate is being nominated (based on individual characteristics of the candidate, the chosen institute to visit, skills to acquire as well as the importance of the fellowship to the IM at large).
- iv. If multiple societies nominate candidates to the effect that the maximum amount requested exceeds the €12,000 ESNR committed to this scheme, ESNR will select the candidates.

Process:

- Each Institutional Member (IM), shall inform the ESNR Central Office (info@esnr.org) by March 10, 2020 whether your Society / Section would like to join this initiative.
- If you chose to participate, we will send you a call text that you can forward to your members with instructions on how to apply at your Society/Section.



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- Those IM, who would like to join, shall put candidate(s) forward to ESNR Central Office by June 1, 2020. You at your national Society/Section will select your own candidates (max 1-2 per Institutional Member).
- We will advertise the new fellowship publicly on the ESNR website, indicating which Institutional Members have decided to participate in this round and all relevant instructions for those interested to apply.