YOUNG MEMBER AWARDS
International Society of Gynecological Pathologists

Description of Awards

Each year the International Society of Gynecological Pathologists (ISGyP) provides awards on a competitive basis to young members of ISGyP. The awards are supported by income from the Societies endowment and revenues from our journal, the International Journal of Gynecological Pathology.

These awards are for up to $8,000 (USD) total and are not renewable. There are two different categories of awards available:

Category A award is to support research.

1. Applicant eligibility: All members of ISGyP who are 40 years or younger as of December 31st of the year of the award.
2. Eligible expenses: purchase of reagents, services (immunostaining, molecular tests, statistical consulting, data analysis services, retrieval of slides or blocks needed for the study), publication charges, travel to meetings/conferences.
3. Permissible expenses to be evaluated on a case-by-case basis: computer hardware/devices/equipment, laboratory hardware/devices/equipment, or salary support of any kind for any person.
4. Responsibilities of the award recipient: The recipient must provide a written update of the project to the ISGyP Board of Directors at two points: 6 months after receipt of the funds and at the completion of the project. Acknowledgment of funding support from ISGyP should be documented in any communication (poster, platform at a meeting) or publication related to the project. Any funds left unspent after completion of the work proposed or after 2 years from the start of the grant (whichever comes first) are to be returned to ISGyP.
5. Selection process: The ISGyP Education Committee will review all applications received by the deadline and rank them based on
a.) scientific rationale; b.) clinical relevance; c) feasibility; and d.) proposed expenses.
All decisions of the committee are final, but unsuccessful applicants may re- apply at a future date.
Applicants will be notified of the results by email from ISGyP.

Category B award is to support young members from developing countries with under-resourced gynecological pathology services.

The award is to improve their local gynecological pathology services either by funding technology (for example digital imaging technology for tele-mentoring), by funding a research project, or by funding travel to study with a recognized mentor or to attend an educational course or scientific conference.

1. Applicant eligibility: All members of ISGyP who are 40 years or younger as of December 31st of the year award who practice or train in a developing country (based on the

International Monetary Fund's World Economic Outlook Database). Click here for a list of eligible countries.
2. Eligible expenses: All expenses described for Category A, in addition to: educational resources (e.g. textbooks, on-line educational materials); digital imaging equipment; travel expenses to study with a mentor or attend a course/conference.
3. Ineligible expenses: salary support of any kind for any person.
4. Responsibilities of the award recipient: The recipient must provide a written update of the project to the ISGyP Board of Directors at two points: at 6 months after receipt of the funds and at the completion of the project. Acknowledgment of funding support from ISGyP should be documented in any communication (poster, platform at a meeting) or publication related to the project. Any funds left unspent after completion of the work proposed or after 2 years from the start of the grant (whichever comes first) are to be returned to ISGyP.
5. Selection process: The ISGyP Education Committee will review all applications received by the deadline and rank them based on
a.) assessment of local clinical need and clinical relevance; b.) feasibility; c.) potential for effective outcome. All decisions of the committee are final, but unsuccessful applicants may re-apply at a future date.

Applicants will be notified of the results by email from ISGyP.

Application Instructions

Application for Category A award:
1. Research proposal (4 pages maximum). The following content is required:
-Title of project
-Principal applicant (title, affiliations, email, phone)
-Co-applicants (e.g. mentor and/or co-investigators (title, affiliations, email, phone)
-Background, hypothesis, objectives/specific aims, any preliminary data, methods, anticipated results and outcomes, and significance of the research; short list of relevant literature references.
-Detailed budget.
2. Current C.V.

Application for Category B award:
1. Proposal (4 pages maximum). The following content is required:
-Title of proposal
-Principal applicant (title, affiliations, email, phone)
-Co-applicants (e.g. mentor) (title, affiliations, email, phone)
-Describe the proposal and the local need or gap that this proposal will address.
-Describe how the effectiveness of the proposal will be measured after it is implemented.
-Detailed budget.
2. Current C.V.

Submission Deadline: November 1 of the award year at 8 am US Pacific Standard Time.
Submit to: ISGyP Secretary at igynpsecretary@gmail.com