

**Guidelines for applying for the**  
**IAGES sponsored 'Travelling Fellowship in MAS'**

**About the Travelling Fellowship**

IAGES is an internationally renowned academic body with the vision of promoting and spreading the art and science of minimal access surgery throughout India and abroad. We strive to train our younger generation and encourage them to do research and publish.

Under the new initiatives announced by Our Past President, Dr.Ramen Goel on 9.02.2020, we would provide our members and young postgraduates with various training and research opportunities and encouraging them with various cash rich rewards.

From now onwards, each year, we will be selecting maximum of Ten IAGES members (10) for awarding 'Travelling Fellowship Grant 'of Rs: 100,000/- each for 6 weeks of training period.

**Who are all eligible to apply?**

- Should be IAGES member (age no bar)

**How to apply?**

- **Fill in the application form** available from [www.iages.in](http://www.iages.in)
  - Give all your personal details and contact details
  - Mention the Training centre and Name of the Trainer
  - Place of Training
  - Training period (**should be minimum of 6 weeks**)
    - Starting date
    - Finishing date
  - Name of the Trainer and his/her position & qualification
  - If training is in more than 1 centre, mention the additional places of visit and duration here
    - Centre 1: Place : Duration
    - Centre2: Place : Duration
    - Centre 3: Place : Duration
- **Attach the following supporting documents**
  - Letter from the trainer for accepting your request for training during the above mentioned period
  - Letter of authorization from Zonal Vice President

- Travel, accommodation at the training centre and food expenses are sole responsibility of the applicant
- **Send all the details to Hon.Secretary IAGES by e mail**
  - [riages.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:riages.secretary@gmail.com)
- After the authorization by our Academic council , we will inform the successful applicants regarding the travelling fellowship grant within 6 weeks of application and arrange for release of the fund through IAGES Treasurer (Rs: 100,000 for each travelling fellow).
- She/he would be asked to submit a detailed report (200 words) describing the training aspect and how she/he has benefited from this 6 weeks training. She/he should also clearly mention the type and number of operative procedures witnessed and assisted (log book) and countersigned by the trainer. Brief comment on the training opportunities in the visiting centres from trainee's perspective is also welcome.
- All travelling Fellowship Awardees would be recognized at the following annual national conference with appreciation certificate from our IAGES President

**Date of announcement of successful applicant**

- Within 6 weeks after the application to Hon Secretary

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