



Singapore Society of Rheumatology

FPH-SSR-APLAR FELLOWSHIP GRANT APPLICATION FORM

Instructions

1. The Feng Pao Hsui – Singapore Society of Rheumatology- Asia Pacific League of Associations for Rheumatology Fellowship enables rheumatologists from the Asia Pacific region to observe or participate in the practice of our discipline in Singapore. Doctors practising in Singapore are not eligible.
2. Package:
 - a. Fellowship award: SSR will provide up to SGD 20,000 per fellow for a six-month fellowship per year. Half the sum will be disbursed at the start of the fellowship and the rest upon successful completion, including the submission of the final report.
 - b. Optional regional conference support: The successful FPH-SSR-APLAR fellow may apply for an additional award to attend a rheumatology conference, especially the APLAR Congress, for presentation of research findings, to a maximum of SGD 3,000 per fellow. This can be applied for later in writing with proof of acceptance of abstract. This conference attendance must take place not later than two years after the end of the fellowship.
 - c. Optional publication support: The successful FPH-SSR-APLAR fellow may also apply for a grant for publishing an original article in a Medline-listed journal arising from the training, up to SGD 750 per fellow. This paper must be accepted for publication not later than three years after the end of the fellowship. This can be applied for later in writing with proof of acceptance.
3. Please read through the application carefully and include all the required information. There are four parts to this application:
 - a. Applicant's Information;
 - b. Information about the centre in Singapore that has accepted the attachment request, if any;
 - c. Biographical sketch; and
 - d. Declaration
4. Submit the completed application and the related appendices, as well as an emailed PDF of the application. Email applications to: rheumatology.ssr@gmail.com. Incomplete forms will be returned to the applicant without processing.
5. All decisions are final.



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Part 1 – Applicant's Information

1. Details of Applicant	
Name (underline family name)	
Degree(s)	
Title	
Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	
Gender	
Current department	
Mailing Address	
Start date of rheumatology training in home country (dd/mm/yyyy)	
Start date of proposed period of support (dd/mm/yyyy)	
Telephone number	
E-mail address	

Attach current photograph

Please tick one box only:

- ☐ I have found a centre in Singapore that has accepted me for my attachment. Go to part 2. This is not a guarantee that the applicant will be successful in the FPH-SSR-APLAR Fellowship.
- ☐ I have **not** found a centre in Singapore for my fellowship. Omit part 2 and go to part 3. The SSR will match a centre to the applicant. This is not a disadvantage in the application process



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Part 2 - Rheumatology Centre in Singapore

2. Name of Rheumatology Centre in Singapore		
3. Supervisor		
Name	:	
Degree(s)	:	
Title	:	
Department	:	
Mailing Address	:	
Phone	:	
E-mail address	:	

Please attach documentary proof of acceptance from Rheumatology Centre in Singapore.



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Part 3 - Biography

Please answer these questions. You may add pages if you need to.

1. What do you expect to see or learn in your attachment?

2. How do you think you can contribute to Rheumatology in your country and in the Asia Pacific region in the next ten years?

3. Do you see yourself as a clinical rheumatologist, an administrator, an educator, a researcher or a mix of some of these roles? Please elaborate in the light of your work now.

4. Please attach an updated curriculum vitae that includes a recent photograph.



Part 4 - Declaration

I attest that what I have submitted in this application to the FPH-SSR-APLAR Fellowship is true and current to the best of my knowledge.

Signature:

Date: