Scholarships for the 16th World Congress on Pain

The Pain, Mind and Movement (PMM) SIG is offering one more scholarships of US$ 1000 to one SIG member to enable attendance at the 16th World Congress on Pain.

Application Deadline: Friday 29 July 2016, 17h00 Central European Time.

Awards available:
One scholarship to the value of US$ 1000.
The awards must be used towards congress travel, registration, and accommodation expenses.

Eligibility Requirements:
1. Applicants must have submitted a poster abstract to the World Congress before applying for a PMM scholarship.
2. Applicants may not have received a scholarship from the PMM SIG in the last 3 years (2014-2016).
3. Applicants may apply for only one scholarship category (see below).

Successful applicants will be required to:
1. Present a poster at the World Congress;
2. Apply to present at the SIG business meeting at the World Congress;
3. Contribute to the SIG newsletter after the conference.

Scholarship category #1 – for clinicians
- The applicant should be a member of the PMM SIG.
- The candidate must be a clinician and be clinically active within the area of pain, the mind, and movement.

Scholarship category #2 – for academic trainees (PhD students, postdoctoral researchers)
- The applicant should be a member of the PMM SIG, and less than 35 years old.
- The candidate should be a PhD student or postdoctoral researcher (must provide evidence), and the research topic should relate to pain, the mind, and movement. A postdoctoral researcher is someone who is within 5 full-time equivalent years since completion of PhD.

Applications should include the following: (All applications must be submitted in English)
1. A completed application form (see below).
2. A motivation (max 600 words) stating why the applicant should receive the scholarship. The applicant must state clearly how he/she plans to contribute to spreading the knowledge on pain, mind and movement gained through attending the congress in his/her community in the 6 months following the 16th World Congress on Pain. The motivation should be compatible with the PMM SIG mission statement.
3. The candidate’s curriculum vitae (a maximum of 2 pages).
4. Evidence of poster abstract submission, and a copy of the full abstract submitted.
5. For category 1: A list of activities in which the applicant has been involved to spread knowledge of pain, the mind, and movement within his/her community.
6. For category 2: A list of published research papers in the field of pain, mind and movement.
Application for a scholarship from the Pain, Mind and Movement SIG of the IASP to attend the 16th World Congress on Pain

All fields must be completed. Please use the checklist at the bottom of this page to ensure that you submit all necessary documentation. Successful applicants will be notified by 19 August 2016.

Name: ____________________________________________________________

Email address: ___________________________________________________________________

Scholarship category selected (please tick only one):
☐ Category 1: clinician
☐ Category 2: academic trainee. Age on 26 September 2016: _____________

Member of PMM SIG: ☐ Yes. IASP membership number: ______
☐ No

Have you submitted a poster to the World Congress? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Have you previously received a scholarship from the PMM SIG?
☐ Yes. Date and meeting:____________________________________________
☐ No

I confirm that I comply with all the eligibility criteria and that I have read and understood the scholarship requirements, and that, if awarded the scholarship, I will meet the listed obligations.

Signature: ___________________________ Date: ____________

Please attach (see call document for details):
☐ Your complete poster abstract
☐ Evidence of submission of your poster abstract
☐ A motivation (max 600 words) stating why you think you are a good candidate for the scholarship
☐ Your curriculum vitae (max 2 pages)
☐ For category 1: list of activities
☐ For category 2: list of publications

Please send your completed application form and all attachments in a single email to Tory Madden at torymadden@gmail.com before the closing time, which is 17h00 Central European Time on July 29th, 2016.