The ESICM Research awards programme 2023

Important elements

Before filling in the application form, you should first have carefully read the instructions about the call for proposals and related information as available from the ESICM Research Awards webpage https://www.esicm.org/research/awards-2/ . Please, read the ESICM 2023 Awards Programme Overview before applying.

Should you have any question, please email Guy FRANCOIS at research@esicm.org Thank you.

General conditions applicable to ESICM Research and Industry Awards

1. Only online application forms will be accepted. All documents must be submitted in English.
2. The selection process is organised in three steps:
    a. Pre-selection step: the Jury (Research Committee and potentially external experts) will select projects based on feasibility (budget, timeline), methodology, research design and statistical plan presented on a short outline proposal.
    b. Review step: the pre-selected projects will be reviewed by external experts, each proposal is reviewed by 2 to 4 reviewers.
    c. Jury selection step: the Jury will select awardees according to the reviewers' marking, comments and discussion among the Jury members.
3. The application deadline for the first step will be on **March 16ᵗʰ at 23:59 (CET) (check on the webpage should there be an extension).** After the pre-selection reviewing process, selected candidates will be invited to fill in the full application and will have around 3 weeks to complete it. You will be notified individually by email.
4. Applications that have undergone a review in 2020, 2021 and 22 can be resubmitted provided that they have been substantially modified.
5. Applications should normally specify only one institution (in Europe, except for the Global ICU Award) as hosting unit.
6. The aim of ESICM, as a European society, is to encourage research in Europe. With the exception of applications that will be considered for the Global ICU Award and the FRESENIUS KABI Clinical Nutrition Award, the society only accepts applications for projects to be conducted in Europe.
7. Applicants must have paid their 2023 ESICM membership fee. If you are applying to become an ESICM member, please note that membership processing can take up to 1 week. If you are applying for membership and have not received your membership ID, please contact members@esicm.org or research@esicm.org to find out how you can continue your application while your membership application is being processed.
8. Applications can come from anyone who is a member of the society.
9. No names or institutions should be named in all fields describing the study, except it is not otherwise possible to describe it.
10. Applicants who have already received an ESICM Award in the past may apply for a further ESICM Award if he/she has successfully published on the previously-awarded project.
11. The Awardee is banned from any further ESICM funding (awards, fellowships) if any of the following occurs:
    i. If the work is not conducted within 3 years (Next Start-Up grant within 6 years) and the Awardee did not provide annual report and explanation for the delay when asked.
    ii. If there is no mention of the ESICM Award funding the application on the publication.
12. **Please note that successful applicants will be required to submit their primary paper to ICM in a first instance.**

When you pass the first step on the online application form, the platform sends you an automatic email with the link to your application. Please check in your spam box in case it goes there.

You can save what you are inserting at any time by clicking on the save button that you find on the top right of every page.

To submit, please click on the "Validate" button at the end of the last step. Please note that you will not be able to return to the application once you have submitted it.