

European Society for Medical Oncology

The ESMO Fellowship Programme

ESMO 2014

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Who are ESMO Young Oncologists (YOs)?

- < 40 years of age
- 36% of ESMO members are YOs
- Comprised of both oncologists in training and specialised oncologists
- Young oncologists who are currently in training i.e. not yet specialised medical, surgical or radiation oncologists can apply for ESMO Junior Membership:

€25 per year only giving access to the full range of ESMO benefits including specific benefits aimed at YOs e.g. Fellowship Programme

Oncologists who have qualified are eligible for Full Membership



What can ESMO offer Young Oncologists?

- Preceptorship meetings and other courses (Travel Grants)
- ESMO Fellowships programmes
- Junior membership 25 € for those in training
- Image of the month and Journal Club
- National YO groups listing, information and networking opportunities
- Participation in surveys addressing YO issues
- YO E-news (monthly news specifically for YOs)
- Facebook group (join!) now +1300 members

YOUNG ONCOLOGISTS CORNER

CONNECT WITH YOUNG ONCOLOGISTS!





Journal Club



Appraisals of important clinical and/or translational article published in a major journal.

- The appraisers add their comments analysing the clinical relevance of the article and possible considerations.
- Online submission and commenting

Image of the Month



A monthly challenge of your capability of diagnosis based on a striking and clinically important image.

- Image accompanied by three options of diagnosis once you have tested your skills, the case and medical history of the case is explained.
- ESMO members can rate the article, leave comments to raise questions or share their own experience of a similar case
- Submission form available from YO Corner



Preceptorship Meetings & Travel Grants for YOs

2013

5 Preceptorships in 2013 – 3 in Europe, 2 in Asia

<u>2014</u>

10 Preceptorships in 2014 – 8 in Europe, 2 in Asia

and also:

1st Clinical Trials Workshop for Central Eastern Europe Budapest 11-12 March 2014, Budapest, Hungary (< 45 yrs)

ESO-ESMO Eastern Europe and Balkan Region Masterclass in Medical Oncology

27 June - 2 July 2014, Brdo, Slovenia – residential course, to improve skills or as preparation for national or ESMO board exam. Including full spectrum of issues in clinical and medical oncology.



oncologyPRO: A Single Resource

- Oncology News
- Science and Education
- Guidelines and Practice
- Publications
- Meeting resources
- Slide resources
- Tumour portal
- Sponsor material





ESMO Fellowships

Research and Educational opportunities to Medical Oncologists around the world

Improve Patient Care - Advance science - Enhance careers



For over 20 years, ESMO has supported young oncologists through a range of fellowships that have provided valuable educational opportunities, shaped professional lives and enhanced careers



ESMO Fellowship Programme

- 6 different types of fellowships
- Over 5.6 million€ invested 1989-2013; >190 fellows
- unique and challenging training programmes-few days to one year and more

- To improve treatment
- To advance science
- To enhance careers

Research

Education



Career Development



Training tomorrow's oncology leaders



ESMO Fellowship Programme

Objectives for YOs:

- Strengthen expertise and knowledge in:
 - -Clinical trials
 - -Translational research
 - -Basic Science
- Create network (international/national)
- Improve/enhance your institution
- Help define your career ambition/goals
- Job opportunities



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ESMO Palliative Care Fellowship (not limited <40)

Observation or research at an ESMO Designated Centers of Integrated Oncology and Palliative Care to obtain additional experience in palliative care training

Observation: min 1 months – 2,500€

Research: 1–3 months – 5,000€ (2 or more / year)



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Georges Mathé Translational Research

Lab-based project at an European centre of excellence in order to acquire in-depth translational research skills – for promising scientific researchers in oncology and cancer immunology

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The ESMO Oncology Fellowship Programme promotes:

- Professional development
- Research, education and the science of medical oncology
- Networking of oncology institutes and oncology fellows
- Importance of mentors to supervise and guide young oncologists



22 Host Institutions

Austria Innsbruck Med. Univ., Med. Univ. of Vienna, St. Josef

Belgium Cliniques Univ. Saint-Luc, Leuven, Jules Bordet Institute

Denmark Copenhagen University Hospital

France Gustave Roussy

Germany Charité Comprehensive Cancer Center, Univ. Hospital Essen

Italy Fondazione IRCCS Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori, Milan,

Second University of Naples

Netherlands University Medical Center Groningen

Spain Univ. of Granada-Junta de Andalucía Centre, Vall d'Hebron

Hospital, Germans Trias i Pujol, IDIBELL

Sweden Skåne University Hospital

Switzerland IOSI

UK The Royal Marsden, The Christie



Value of ESMO Fellowship

- Young Oncologists are highly recommended to apply for ESMO Fellowship
- Talk to previous ESMO fellows, YOC, host institutions, go to http://www.esmo.org/Career-Development/Oncology-Fellowships

