



THE AESTHETIC SURGERY EDUCATION
AND RESEARCH FOUNDATION

**ASERF RESIDENT TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIP
TO THE AESTHETIC MEETING 2018
CRITERIA**

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: NOVEMBER 1, 2017

1. **Purpose:** ASERF established the Resident Travel Scholarship to benefit residents and fellows by providing financial support for travel expenses associated with attending The Aesthetic Meeting. Currently, this scholarship program has been made possible by a grant from The Allergan Foundation. We will be awarding 25 grants, in the amount of \$2,000 each to the residents and fellows selected.
2. **Uses:** Scholarship funds must be used to offset the expenses for travel (airfare, hotel etc.) to The Aesthetic Meeting 2018:
3. **Qualifying Criteria:** ASERF Resident Travel Scholarship applicants must meet the following criteria:
 - A. Must be enrolled and in good standing in an approved plastic surgery training program
 - B. Submit a letter of recommendation from the resident or fellow's program director
 - C. Submit a Curriculum Vitae
 - D. Submit an essay explaining the importance of attending The Aesthetic Meeting 2018
 - E. Agree to attend the entire educational session during the meeting.
 - F. Agree to accept the scholarship funding after the annual meeting for which the scholarship was provided (to ensure attendance).
 - G. Agree to write a short article about their most important learning experience during the meeting, which may be used in an issue of *Aesthetic Society News*.

Completed applications must be submitted via email and include the required documents in PDF format. SEND TO: Pamela@surgery.org by 11:59pm Pacific on November 1, 2017. If you do not receive a confirmation email, please verify your application was received by contacting Pamela Diecidue. Any incomplete applications will automatically be disqualified. Applicants will be notified of the outcome by February 1, 2018.

Questions should be directed to Pamela Diecidue via email at Pamela@surgery.org.

**ASERF RESIDENT TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION FORM**

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First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	
Address			
City	State	Country	Zip/Postal Code
Cell Phone	Business Phone	E-mail	
Program Name	Residency: Integrated <input type="checkbox"/> /Independent <input type="checkbox"/> Fellowship: Aesthetic <input type="checkbox"/> /Breast <input type="checkbox"/> / Craniofacial <input type="checkbox"/> /Hand <input type="checkbox"/> /Microsurgery <input type="checkbox"/> /Other <input type="checkbox"/>		
Program Director's Name	Program Phone		
Program Start Date (MM/DD/YY)	Program Completion Date (MM/DD/YY)		

Please answer the following questions:

1. Have you attended an ASAPS annual meeting in the past? Yes No
If yes, how many?

2. Have you ever presented a paper at The Residents & Fellows Forum? Yes No
If yes, when?

3. To what extent does your program support your participation in The Aesthetic Meeting?

Check all that apply

- Pays all my expenses to attend the annual meeting
- Pays all my expenses to attend the annual meeting, only if I'm presenting a scientific paper
- Pays _____% of my expenses to attend the annual meeting
- No support – I pay all my annual meeting expenses out-of-pocket
- Other, please specify:

4. Will you be able to attend the 2018 Aesthetic Meeting if you are NOT awarded this scholarship?
 Yes No

5. Please attach the following accompanying documents:

- A. 200 words or less explaining why it is important to you to attend The Aesthetic Meeting 2018
- B. Curriculum Vitae
- C. Letter of support and confirmation of resident or fellow status from the program director of your plastic surgery program

I hereby agree to abide by the ASERF Resident Travel Scholarship Criteria including to attend the entire educational session, should I be awarded the scholarship.

Signature: _____ Date: _____