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Dear Doctor:

The Radiological Society of North America (RSNA) is accepting applications for the 2010 Derek Harwood-Nash International Fellowship Program. This Fellowship enables successful applicants to study at a North American radiology teaching institution for up to 12 weeks. We ask that you provide this information to whomever you think might be interested in this opportunity and who additionally meets the eligibility criteria. Application forms are available online at: <http://www.rsna.org/DHN>.

Eligibility:

Applicants must

- have completed their formal radiology training and have held a faculty position for 3 to 10 years in an academic institution;
- be embarking on a career in academic radiology;
- demonstrate that their specific educational goals can be met most appropriately by a course of study in a North American institution;
- specify in their application how the knowledge and experience gained from this fellowship will benefit and improve the practice of radiology in both the home institution and their radiological community.

The RSNA Committee on International Relations and Education (CIRE) has developed a roster of appropriate host academic centers in North America where Fellows can observe procedures and participate in conferences relating to their areas of special interest. The RSNA will support travel expenses and modest living expenses of the Fellow for the 6-12 week fellowship period, up to \$10,000. Also, each Fellow will receive a 1-year electronic complimentary subscription to the RSNA journals *Radiology* and *RadioGraphics*. **A copy of a promotional flyer is attached for your convenience. Please feel free to make copies to post in multiple locations.**

THE APPLICATION DEADLINE DATE IS JULY 1, 2009.

Application forms, wherever possible, should be submitted as e-mail attachments. However, the application will not be considered complete unless the supporting documents, with signatures, are received by fax or mail by the deadline. Questions concerning this program should be addressed to Fiona Miller at the RSNA office. She can be contacted by phone at (630) 590-7741 or e-mail at fmiller@rsna.org.

Sincerely,

George A. Taylor, MD
Chairman, Committee on International Relations and Education

Attachment: Promotional flyer

RSNA Derek Harwood-Nash International Fellowship

This program recognizes that there are instances when the educational needs of an international institution are best served by having an individual faculty member study at a North American institution. The fellowship period is six to twelve weeks in duration.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

Candidates must:

- be promising international radiology scholars who have completed their radiology training no more than 10 years prior to application;
- be embarking on a career in academic radiology (i.e. have held a faculty position for 3 to 10 years);
- demonstrate that their specific educational goals can be met most appropriately by a course of study in a North American institution.
- specify how the knowledge and experience gained from this fellowship will benefit and improve the practice of radiology in both the home institution and the radiological community; and
- be proficient in English

The application form includes a roster of appropriate North American host academic centers where fellows may observe procedures and participate in conferences relating to their areas of special interest. The RSNA will provide a stipend of up to \$10,000 toward travel, modest living expenses, and educational materials for the 6- to 12-week fellowship period.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: July 1, 2009

**Nomination/Application forms can be found at:
<http://www.rsna.org/DHN>**

Contact Fiona Miller at 630.590.7741 or fmiller@rsna.org for further details



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