

FELLOWSHIP FOR GERIATRIC RESEARCH

PURPOSE:

This Fellowship is intended to provide partial financial support to physical therapists pursuing research in geriatrics. The research may be conducted as part of either a formal post-entry level academic program or mentorship with an established investigator.

THE AWARD:

An award of an engraved plaque will be announced annually at the Section business meeting during Combined Sections Meeting.

SELECTION PROCESS:

1. The Fellowship applicant must be a physical therapist who is a current member of the Section on Geriatrics.
2. The applicant will provide electronically as one complete document (Word or pdf):
 - a) A brief biographical sketch (not to exceed two pages). Graduate students should include a summary of their plan of study.
 - b) A written summary of proposed research activity.
 - c) A research-related budget for the time period covered by the Fellowship. This budget may include travel, living expenses, tuition, etc. Expenses associated with attendance of conferences or continuing education programs will not be allowed.
3. A letter of support may be submitted by the applicant's academic advisor or research mentor/collaborator.
4. All materials from 1 & 2 above will be submitted as one document.
5. All materials must be received by November 1.
6. Any Section member will only be eligible for one Fellowship award during their career as a physical therapist.
7. Final selection will be made by the Research Committee

Submit Materials To:

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