

# **Aerospace Medical Association (AsMA)**

## **Jeffrey R. Davis, M.D., International Aerospace Medicine Scholarship**

**Sponsored by the AsMA Foundation  
Amount \$500 U.S.**

### ***JUSTIFICATION FOR THE JEFFREY R. DAVIS, M.D., INTERNATIONAL AEROSPACE MEDICINE SCHOLARSHIP***

One of the stated purposes of the AsMA Foundation (established in May 5, 2006) is *"To provide scholarships for the purpose of underwriting, in whole or in part, the cost of registration fees, transportation, a meal per diem, or any other valid fees or expenses incurred by eligible students or residents in relation to their attendance at one or more scholarly meetings on topics related to aerospace medicine"*.

The AsMA Foundation delegated to the AsMA Fellows Group the task to develop and administer a scholarship program to accomplish the previously stated purpose. Therefore, the AsMA Fellows Scholarship Committee established the "Jeffrey R. Davis, M.D., International Aerospace Medicine Scholarship". The amount of this scholarship is currently set at \$500 U.S.

### ***ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA***

- 1)** An International (non US) student who is currently enrolled in an accredited undergraduate, graduate or post-graduate education/training program in any of the following:
  - 1.1 An aviation/aerospace medicine residency program approved by the appropriate medical education accreditation organization in the country where the applicant is enrolled.
  - 1.2 A graduate level (Master's or Ph.D.) program in aviation/aerospace medicine.
  - 1.3 An aviation/aerospace medicine certificate and/or diplomate program with a duration of  $\geq 4$  weeks.

1.4 A full-time education/training program in an allied scientific discipline (e.g. nursing, physiology, human factors, psychology, ergonomics, engineering, etc.) that is acceptable to the AsMA Fellows Scholarship Committee (AsMA-FSC).

**OR**

2) An individual who has successfully completed any of the above-mentioned education/training programs within the past 12 months of the deadline to apply for this scholarship.

**AND**

3) The applicant must be at least a student/resident AsMA member at the time of the application for this scholarship.

4) The applicant must not have been a previous recipient of this scholarship.

### ***SELECTION CRITERIA***

1) Eligible applicants must complete the application form that is available online at [www.asma.org/about-asma/careers/scholarships](http://www.asma.org/about-asma/careers/scholarships).

2) Eligible applicants will be evaluated on their educational pursuit and demonstrated mastery of Aerospace Medical or related Life Sciences Academic record.

3) Eligible applicants will be evaluated using the Honor, award or recognitions their have received in their pursuit of training and education in Aerospace Medicine topics in the previous 5 years prior to applying for this scholarship.

4) Eligible applicants will be evaluated on the breadth and depth of the Aerospace Medicine Activities they have attended or completed. Activities to be considered may include, but are not limited to, Aerospace Medicine, Human Factors, Physiology, Nursing presentation, courses and/or electives.

5) Eligible applicants will be evaluated on their relevant military or public health service duty history and experience.

6) Eligible applicants will be evaluated on their demonstrated leadership and research activities and their publication history in the 5 years prior to application.

7) Eligible applicants will be evaluated on service activities to AsMA and to the greater Aerospace Medicine community.

8) The AsMA Fellowship Scholarship Committee Chair must receive fully completed scholarship application forms not later than February 28, 2013.

The scholarship will be awarded competitively as determined by the AsMA Fellows Scholarship Committee. Special consideration will be given to those applicants who are at an early stage in their Aerospace Medicine career development.

### ***IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER***

- Deadline to submit the scholarship application is February 28, 2013.
- Winner of the "Jeffrey R. Davis, M.D., International Aerospace Medicine Scholarship" will be notified by March 30, 2013.

### ***AGREEMENT ON HOW THE SPEND THE \$500 SCHOLARSHIP***

The winner of the 2013 Jeffrey R. Davis International Aerospace Medicine Scholarship agrees to use it for the purpose of underwriting, in whole or in part, the cost of registration fees, transportation, hotel accommodations, or any other valid fees or expenses incurred in relation to attendance at one or more scholarly meetings on topics related to aerospace medicine?

The scholarship application must be submitted to the Chair of the AsMA Fellows Scholarship Committee (FSC) by:

**MAIL:**

Melchor Antuñano, M.D.  
3309 Crosstimber Drive,  
Edmond OK, 73034.  
U.S.A.

**Or**

**E-MAIL:**

Melchor Antuñano, M.D.  
Antunano@sbcglobal.net

The completed scholarship application must be postmarked or e-mailed to the Chair of the AsMA Fellows Scholarship Committee (FSC) not later than February 28, 2013.

Incomplete applications will not be accepted!!!