

## OSTEOLOGY RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP

### APPLICATION GUIDELINES

#### Application requirements:

- Academic affiliation to an institution outside of the country of the research scholarship centre
- 35 years old or younger within the year of application
- Full time commitment to the scholarship (12 months)
- Proficiency in English (spoken and written) – written application and phone interview are decisive

#### Documents required:

- Motivation letter
- Curriculum vitae
- Publication list
- Recommendation letter
- (Optional) Certificate of an internationally recognised language test e.g. TOEFL with a minimum test score of 75 (B2 level). This document may also be asked at a later stage, on a case-by-case basis.
- (Optional) Declaration of interest to return to home academic institution and develop own research lab after the Scholarship

#### Application and granting process:

- Application must be submitted online through [proposalcentral.com](http://proposalcentral.com)
- Applicant must select only **one** scholarship centre (no multiple selection)
- All documents must be in English and in PDF format
- Selection of candidates is based on complete application and mandatory phone interview
- Application and notification dates: see website for all details

#### Start and duration:

- By default, the scholarship starts on 1 September, ends on 31 August of the following year, and has a duration of 12 months. A different start date may be possible, if an agreement between the scholarship centre leader, the scholar and the Osteology Foundation Office is reached.

#### Financial support:

The Osteology Research Scholarship of 35'000 Swiss Francs is paid in two instalments:

- 17'500 Swiss Francs after confirmation of the scholarship start
- 17'500 Swiss Francs after 6 months and upon acceptance of a mid-term report
- All taxes, health insurance and travel costs fall within the responsibility of the scholar

For further information, please contact: [grants@osteology.org](mailto:grants@osteology.org)