

International Travel Grant Application

AAO-HNSF Annual Meeting & OTO Experience

Application Deadline: June 10

Please read carefully the Program Overview and Eligibility criteria (page 2) before completing application

Personal Information

First Name Middle Name/Initial Last Name/Family Name Degree (MD, FRCS, PhD, MBBS, etc.)

AAO-HNS Member ID #: Country of Citizenship:
(If available)

Date of Birth: Gender:

Passport #: Passport Issue Date: Passport Expiration Date:

Are you an international otolaryngologist currently working in a World Bank designated lower income country? Yes No

Are you an international otolaryngologist from a World Bank designated lower income country who is studying or completing research in an otolaryngology department in the U.S. or Canada? Yes No

If yes, complete questions A, B, & C below:

A. Name of U.S. or Canadian Otolaryngology Training Program

Department Chair Name: Email Address:

B. When will you complete your U.S.-based studies/research?

C. Where will you work and/or study after your U.S.-based study/research is complete?

Institution Name:

City: Country:

Current Contact Information

Title and Position (e.g. Assistant Professor):

Institution/Medical School:

Work Address Office/Suite #

City State/Province Country Postal Code

Office Phone (include country code) Cell Phone Email Address

Home Address Apartment/Suite #

City State/Province Country Postal Code

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Additional Information

Have you attended an AAO-HNSF Annual Meeting & OTO Experience before? Yes No

If so, which year(s)?

Have you already registered for the 2023 AAO-HNSF Annual Meeting & OTO Experience? Yes No

Do you receive any salary support from the U.S. department where you are studying, if applicable? Yes No N/A

Program Overview & Eligibility

The 2023 Annual Meeting International Travel Grant Program is designed to help offset travel expenses for physicians from lower income countries, as designated by the World Bank (listed below), who are attending the Annual Meeting. The AAO-HNSF will award up to 5 grants of \$1,000 each. Each grant of USD \$1,000 is not expected to fully cover the expenses of attending the AAO-HNSF Annual Meeting & OTO Experience; the grantee will bear all other costs.

Eligibility Requirements:

Applicant must be one of the following:

- An international otolaryngologist working in a World Bank designated lower income country, or
- An international otolaryngologist from a World Bank designated lower income country who is studying or completing research in an otolaryngology department in the U.S. or Canada.

The International Travel Grant Program is open to all applicants, however, preference may be given to current AAO-HNS members and applicants who have not previously attended an AAO-HNSF Annual Meeting.

Application Process

Deadline for applications (email only): **June 10, 11:59 ET.**

Notifications will be sent in early July.

Submit your application and the following documents by email to international@entnet.org by June 10.

ALL DOCUMENTS MUST BE IN ENGLISH AND SUBMITTED TOGETHER AS A SINGLE PDF FILE.

1. Your curriculum vitae (short version only – three pages or less).
2. If you are currently studying in the US, you will need to submit a letter of support from your U.S. department/division chair certifying that you are in good standing in the department and that time will be made available to permit attendance to the AAO-HNSF Annual Meeting & OTO Experience.
3. If you are currently working/studying in a lower income country, you will need to submit a letter of recommendation from your institution's department/division chair or from a physician colleague within the department/division.
4. A statement of 300 words or fewer describing your career interests and goals and the events that you are most interested in attending at the Annual Meeting. Present your most compelling argument on why attending the meeting is essential to your otolaryngology-head and neck surgery training and experience and why you should receive a travel grant to this conference.

Questions? Contact AAO-HNSF International Affairs, international@entnet.org

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AAO-HNS Recognized Low Income Countries (*Based on World Bank Designations*)

- Afghanistan
- Algeria
- Angola
- Bangladesh
- Belize
- Benin
- Bhutan
- Bolivia
- Burkina Faso
- Burundi
- Cabo Verde
- Cambodia
- Cameroon
- Central African Republic
- Chad
- Comoros
- Congo, Dem. Rep
- Congo, Rep.
- Côte d'Ivoire
- Djibouti
- Egypt, Arab Rep.
- El Salvador
- Eritrea
- Eswatini
- Ethiopia
- Gambia, The
- Ghana
- Guinea
- Guinea-Bissau
- Honduras
- India
- Indonesia
- Iran, Islamic Rep
- Kenya
- Kiribati
- Korea, Dem. People's Rep
- Kyrgyz Republic
- Lao PDR
- Lesotho
- Liberia
- Madagascar
- Malawi
- Mali
- Mauritania
- Micronesia, Fed. Sts.
- Mongolia
- Morocco
- Mozambique
- Myanmar
- Nepal
- Nicaragua
- Niger
- Nigeria
- Pakistan
- Papua New Guinea
- Philippines
- Rwanda
- Samoa
- São Tomé and Príncipe
- Senegal
- Sierra Leone
- Solomon Islands
- Somalia
- South Sudan
- Sri Lanka
- Sudan
- Syrian Arab Republic
- Tajikistan
- Tanzania
- Timor-Leste
- Togo
- Tunisia
- Uganda
- Ukraine
- Uzbekistan
- Vanuatu
- Vietnam
- West Bank and Gaza
- Yemen, Rep.
- Zambia
- Zimbabwe