Rules EMS Scholarships

EMS scholarships are primarily thought for congress participation at a European Microscopy Congress (EMC), EMS extension or other selected meetings. Meetings not a priori selected by the EMS Executive Board are under normal circumstances not considered, but exceptions can be made upon special request of an individual student or researcher.

Eligibility criteria

- EMS member
- Early stage career researchers (Master students, PhD students, young PostDocs until 5 years after finishing the PhD thesis)
- Under the age of 35 (depending on the number of applicants)
- Each applicant must be registered at the meeting and present at least one abstract (poster or oral)
- Application deadline is the same deadline as the ORIGINAL abstract submission deadline (i.e. without a possible deadline extension), unless otherwise specified
- Copy of abstract(s), registration details and proof of student or early stage researcher when applicable, including a short CV (max. 1 A4) have to be added to the application

Selection

- In case of large numbers of eligible applications, EMS will work out a scheme to prioritize the applications for a most effective use of the funding.

Prize

- the prize consists of a fixed amount depending on the general cost level at the congress location. For European locations, 300 € (three hundred Euros) are envisaged.

- the prize will be announced in the first quarter of each year

Reporting

- prize winners will be listed on the EMS website

- prize winners are required to write a one-page summary (including a picture in HD) for the next edition of the EMS Yearbook (aimed at a general microscopy audience)