

Dear Colleague,

This is a polite reminder that the ESHG is offering “**National Fellowships**” for Young Investigators (**not more than 4 years post-doctoral**) to attend the **European Human Genetics 2021 – Virtual Conference** from **June 12-15, 2021**.

Each country will be able to **select one fellow**. So if there is more than one society in your country, you would have to liaise with your colleagues in order to make the decision.

Your “National Fellowships” nominee must satisfy the following selection criteria:

- Nominees should be a current **member** of **your** national society.
- The person selected should have shown excellence in the field of human genetics in the past year, and/or have given a good presentation/poster at your latest national meeting.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Candidates should **not be more than 4 years post-doctoral**.
- Candidates cannot receive more than one fellowship **in two consecutive years**.

Application Formalities:

- Your society must provide a **short statement** outlining the reasons for selecting the fellow
- Your decision will have to reach the Executive Officer of the ESHG, Mr. Jerome del Picchia, by **March 17, 2021 the latest** (by email to conference@eshg.org).
- Please note that **only one person per country** is eligible.

Your candidates selected for the “National Fellowships” will receive the following benefits:

- **Free registration** for the ESHG 2021 Virtual Conference

Important information which you may forward to your selected fellow:

- Once your Society has officially informed the ESHG of their choice, your **fellowship candidate will receive a special registration link** from the ESHG office. Should this person already have registered for the conference via the conference website, this would obviously be refunded.

We look forward to receiving your selection of your young investigator for this year “National Fellowships” at your earliest convenience.

In case you are not a representative of your society anymore, please be so kind to forward this email to the correct person. Thank you in advance.

With best regards,

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