

IOMP Travel Awards

GOALS OF THE PROGRAM

1. To assist medical physicists from IOMP member organizations in developing countries to participate in World Congress 2012 and help them to become more effective in promoting the advancement of medical physics in their own countries.
2. To foster international co-operation in the field of medical physics between all member countries of the IOMP.
3. A fixed award of \$1,200 shall be made to each successful applicant to partially cover the registration fee and travel expenses to attend the World Congress 2012 in Beijing.

GUIDELINES FOR FUNDING

Candidates who comply with all the mandatory requirements shall be assessed and scored according to the evaluation criteria shown below.

A. Mandatory Requirements

1. The applicant must be a medical physicist from an IOMP member organization.
2. Application must be submitted through the IOMP national organization by email.
3. National organization must have paid the IOMP membership dues or exempted from payment.
4. The applicant must personally give a presentation for which he/she is a first author.
5. Maximum number of awards is determined based on the medical physicist population of the country on record. For example, if a country has two IOMP delegates, the maximum number of awards is two.
6. The applicant must have not received any previous World Congress Travel Assistance.
7. After the Congress all awardees shall within two months each submit a short report to the IOMP Secretary-General on what was accomplished personally and on behalf of the national organization, with copies to the same email addresses as the application was sent, including the national organization official.

B. Evaluation Criteria

1. Number of abstracts accepted for presentation at WC2012.
2. Physicists from the least developed countries (where the applicant works) will be given higher priority.
3. Physicists in the first five years of their career may be given higher priority.
4. Value of attending WC2012 for applicant and national organization as judged by case put forward by the applicant under the Motivation section. Applicant is an official of an IOMP national organization or is designated the proxy of the official, participating in WC2012.

C. Number of Awards

Eight awards were given in 2009. Number for 2012 is to be determined.

For information about the International Organization for Medical Physics, please go to www.IOMP.org. For information about the World Congress 2012 to be held in Beijing, China, please go to www.WC2012.org. This form may be downloaded from either website. To submit an abstract, please use the online submission link at www.WC2012.org.

APPLICATION FORM FOR IOMP TRAVEL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 2012

*Application form and abstract(s) must reach Professors Raymond Wu and Yiaoxiong Huang on or before January 31, 2012 by email: **RayKWu@gmail.com** and **yxhuang@163.com***

1. APPLICANT:

Country of Residence: _____ Country where the applicant works: _____
Name: _____ Surname: _____ Male / Female : *pick one*
Address where the applicant works: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Country: _____
Telephone: _____ e-mail: _____
Title(s) of Presentation(s) : _____

Motivation for attending the World Congress 2012 (use a separate sheet if necessary):

Have you ever received previous World Congress Travel Assistance? Yes / No : *pick one*

Number of years working in Medical Physics (excluding training years):

When did you first start working in Medical Physics:

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

2. NATIONAL MEDICAL PHYSICS ASSOCIATION SECTION: to be completed by an official

Name of IOMP Member Organization:

Name of Officer:

Officer's Title and Address:

Telephone: _____ e-mail: _____

IOMP Membership Dues paid or exempted for 2011?

Is the Applicant a Medical Physicist?

Will delegate(s) plan to attend WC2012 or will official proxy be emailed to Secretary-General of IOMP, Dr. Madan Rehani, at sg.iomp@gmail.com?

YES	NO	Name(s) of IOMP Delegate

Signature of Officer: _____ Date: _____

3. ACCEPTED **ABSTRACT(S) OF PRESENTATION(S) and NAME(S) OF FIRST AUTHOR(S):**

(Abstract should be in the format as specified by WC2012 and submitted online)

4. **Please email the full paper accompanying the application before January 31**

Have you included the full paper(s) with the application? Yes / No : *pick one*