



# ASMIRT

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Australian Society of Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy

## International Travel Scholarship

### *Assessment Matrix*





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The aim of the scholarship is to allow for personal and professional development of the practitioner and to encourage the practitioner upon their return to Australia to contribute to the professional body of knowledge. The rubric has been designed to assess content and quality of the applications.

Applications which do not include mandatory information will not be considered.

All applications should include:

- a current resume
- three written professional references

Applicants intending to present or attend an international conference **must** include:

- a letter of support from your employer,
- details of the conference to be attended and/or the intent to offer a paper for presentation,
- an outline of the conference program (where available),
- the rationale and benefits of the proposed use of the scholarship,

Applicants intending to attend an international training program **must** include:

- a certified copy of acceptance in a course/ training program(s)
- a certified copy of the outline(s) of the course/ training or study program(s)
- a proposed travel timetable including anticipated dates of departure and an anticipated date of return to Australia

Applicants intending to undertake a study tour or site visit(s) in conjunction with the proposed activity should include copies of letters of invitation for the hospital, department or University visits.

The scoring system serves as a framework in the determination of which applications demonstrate commitment to the profession, willingness to share knowledge widely, self-motivation and direction and the constant pursuit of excellence.

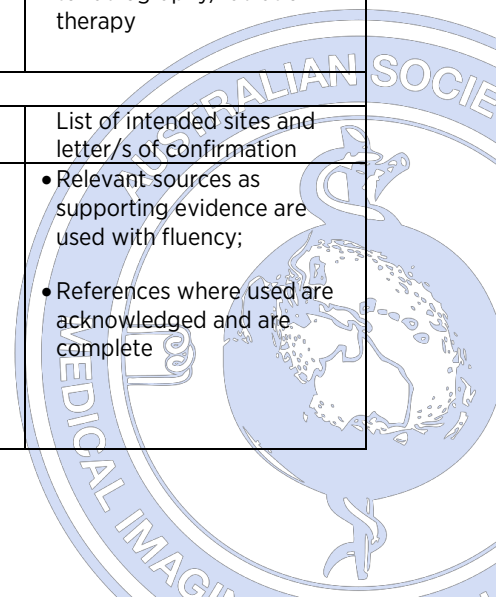




## Matrix and Criteria

Mandatory components			
Resume	Present	Not present	Notes
3 Written Professional Referees			
Letter of Support			
Proposed to share experiences in Spectrum article			
Conference Details or paper presentation details			
OR			
Conference Outline			
OR			
Overseas Training or study program			
AND/OR			
Visit to overseas practice / department / university details			

Assessment Criteria				
	0	1	2	3
<b>Rationale for proposed use of scholarship</b>				
Description of benefit to self: e.g. personal growth, career opportunity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brief description only</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A considered description of benefits to self</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A detailed description of benefits to self presently and for the future</li> </ul>
<b>Conference attendance</b>				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Program included</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Program and brief description of proposed session attendance included</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Program and description of proposed session attendance and relevance included</li> </ul>
<b>Conference presentation – if relevant to application</b>				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not presenting</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presenting and copy of acceptance provided</li> </ul>	
<b>Training program: equipment/training/practice not available in Australia – if relevant to application</b>				
Experience of equipment / training / unique practice not available in Australia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lists equipment/training/unique practice only</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outlines equipment/training/unique practice and brief description of relevance</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A detailed description of the equipment/training/unique practice and the relevance to radiography/radiation therapy</li> </ul>
<b>Visit to overseas practice/department/university – if relevant to application</b>				
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>List of intended site/s</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>List of intended sites and letter/s of confirmation</li> </ul>
<b>Sources as supporting evidence</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of and/or incomplete use of sources as supporting evidence and/or not relevant to the topic;</li> <li>References if used are not acknowledged and/or are incorrect</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Limited and/or incomplete use of sources as supporting evidence;</li> <li>References where used are acknowledged and/or are complete</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Relevant sources as supporting evidence are used with fluency;</li> <li>References where used are acknowledged and are complete</li> </ul>



<b>Opportunities to promote Australian medical radiation sciences</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Not present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brief outline of potential opportunities to promote</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identification of specific opportunities to promote</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identification of specific opportunities and details of planned activity</li> </ul>
<b>Intention to share knowledge at a local level</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Not present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brief outline only of intended method of sharing at local level</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brief outline of intended method of sharing at local level and description of benefits for the local profession</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Detailed outline of intended method of sharing at local level and detailed description of benefits to be gained by the local profession</li> </ul>
<b>Sharing of knowledge at state or national level</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Not present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brief outline only of intended method of sharing at state and/or national level</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brief outline of intended method of sharing at state and/or national level and description of benefits for medical radiation colleagues</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Detailed outline of intended method of sharing at state/national level and detailed description of benefits to be gained by medical radiation colleagues</li> </ul>
<b>Communication, organisation and presentation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Disjointed and/or lacking expression;</li> <li>• Information is not provided and/or is irrelevant</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstrates a somewhat uneven expression with clarity in some parts;</li> <li>• Some information is incomplete and/or lacks organisation;</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstrates generally clear expression</li> <li>• Information is reasonably well organised and laid out;</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstrates concise, clear expression</li> <li>• Information is highly organised with clear and logical structure</li> </ul>
<b>Organisation+ composition (coherence and logic)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information is not relevant to the context;</li> <li>• Discussion is not provided and/or is disjointed and fragmented;</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Some information provided is relevant to the context but is incomplete and/or lacks organisation;</li> <li>• Discussion lacks flow and is somewhat disjointed or fragmented;</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information provided is reasonably well organised and relevant to the context;</li> <li>• Discussion flows reasonably well;</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information provided is well-organised and has breadth and depth relevant to the context;</li> <li>• Discussion is articulate and flows logically;</li> </ul>