



### Polish School of Medicine Memorial Fund

### Call for Scholarship Applications for the academic year 2021/22

#### 1. Short Course Applications.

Currently, there is one 6-day on-line CT Cardiac Course scheduled to take place from 6<sup>th</sup> -11<sup>th</sup> June 2021.

# Places are very limited but we do have funds available. I would strongly encourage anyone interested in taking part to contact me, Dr Maria, at PSMscourse@ed.ac.uk, as soon as possible.

#### 2. Postgraduate Degree programme applications

Given the ongoing pandemic, we appreciate that many universities, including Polish medical universities, are not and will not be encouraging foreign travel by their staff and students for the foreseeable future. Participation in distance learning programmes does however remain an option in these challenging times for those whose workloads and schedules permit taking on this extra commitment.

The Call for Edinburgh-based and distance learning programmes is 'live' and open for scholar applications (both for Edinburgh based and online/distance learning postgraduate programmes) on the University's web site. I have already received a couple of enquiries about scholarships for 2021/22 which is encouraging.

**Applications for the academic year 2021/22:** Applications will be considered from eligible candidates wishing to apply for a 1-year taught Masters programme/Masters by research offered at The University of Edinburgh College of Medicine **or** a Masters by distance learning provided that they have the full support of their Head of Department and Polish Medical University authorities. Applications **must** be submitted via the Degree Course Scholarship Application form link.

**Further information can be found at:** <u>Polish School of Medicine Memorial Fund Scholarships | The</u> <u>University of Edinburgh</u> for on-line courses and at <u>Polish School of Medicine Memorial Fund Scholarships |</u> <u>The University of Edinburgh</u> in the case of Edinburgh based courses

If they wish, potential applicants may contact either of the Scholarship Coordinators listed below:

| Dr Maria Długołęcka-Graham MBE<br>Polish School of Medicine<br>Coordinator for The<br>University of Edinburgh | Prof. Blazej Męczekalski<br>Poznan Polish School of Medicine<br>Coordinator |
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| e-mail: <u>PSMscourse@ed.ac.uk</u>  | email: blazejmeczekalski@yahoo.com  |

The scholarship application deadline is 23:59 GMT 03rd June 2021.

#### 3. Research or Study Visit Applications

Applicants who wish to be considered for short visits or research not relating to a degree programme should send their application together with an up-to date Curriculum Vitae and other specified documents (see Further Notes Section) electronically to Dr Maria Dlugolecka-Graham, the Polish School of Medicine Coordinator in Edinburgh by the scholarship deadline - 23:59 GMT on 03rd June 2021.

Applicants who wish to be considered for short visits or research not relating to a degree programme cannot apply for a scholarship via the University website. They must submit their applications electronically to the **Polish School of Medicine Coordinator in Edinburgh by the deadline for applications. The scholarship deadline is 23:59 GMT 03rd June 2021.** 

## Further Information for Applicants wishing to undertake short visits or research not related to a degree programme:

## In addition to submitting their proposed study programme/ research programme, applicants will be required to submit the following documents:

• an up-to-date Curriculum Vitae in English giving sufficient information about their achievements and experience to date so that an informed decision about their suitability can be made. A list merely giving dates, hospital names and job titles is not acceptable;

•verified\* copy of the diploma issued by the University or other body granting the applicant's medical qualification;

•verified\* copy of the IELTS certificate or other certificate being submitted as evidence of satisfactory mastery of the English language as required for the type of scholarship for which they wish to apply;

•verified\* copy of any other relevant documentation e.g. confirmation of their stage of specialty training, appropriate registration status and licensing with the GMC, etc;

• copy of one scientific publication in which the applicant was a main author;

• letters of support written in English from the Rector of the applicant's Medical University in Poland AND the applicant's Head of Department in Poland and

• a letter from the Head of Department in the host academic unit at the University of Edinburgh supporting the application;

\* Verified by a Notary Public or other responsible person or body as a true copy of the original. In this context 'responsible person' means e.g. Dean or Associate Dean of the Medical Academy, Administrative Head of the International Office or other senior officer empowered to do this.