



Pfizer Visiting Professorship Program **2018**

Areas of Interest, Application Requirements & Submission Deadlines

Pfizer’s support of Visiting Professorships is a reflection of our commitment to advancing research, innovation, clinical expertise and education for healthcare professionals. The intent of this Visiting Professorship Posting is to provide financial support for host organizations to coordinate educational exchanges so that healthcare practitioners, researchers and patients can benefit from the knowledge and on-site presence of distinguished medical experts who might otherwise be inaccessible.

Areas of Interest

It is our intent to support opportunities for an institution to host a Distinguished Medical Expert (“Expert”) to foster educational exchanges with local healthcare providers in a similar or allied area to those listed below (“Area”), who can benefit from the Expert’s knowledge and on-site presence.

Priority will be given to plans that include robust opportunities for the Visiting Professor to interact with healthcare providers at the host organization beyond the lecture format. The organization responding to this posting and requesting the grant funding should be the organization ready to identify, invite, and host the Expert.

Area	Geographic Scope	Eligibility Criteria	Target Audience	Program Budgets
Rare Disease				
Point of Care Ultrasound in Hemophilia	Global	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accredited Medical Schools Medical centers with dedicated Hematology departments treating patients with hemophilia Hemophilia Professional Organizations that plan to host a visiting professor directly 	Hemophilia specialist healthcare providers and members of the Hemophilia Treatment Center including hematologists, nurses, physiotherapists and allied professionals in a similar or allied area	Individual requests up to \$15,000
Gene Therapy in Hemophilia	Global	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accredited Medical Schools Medical centers with dedicated Hematology departments treating patients with hemophilia Hemophilia Professional Organizations that plan to host a visiting professor directly 	Hemophilia specialist healthcare providers and members of the Hemophilia Treatment Center including hematologists, nurses, physiotherapists and allied professionals in a similar or allied area	Individual requests up to \$10,000

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Pediatric growth disorders/ Acromegaly	U.S.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accredited Medical Schools Medical centers with dedicated treatment centers for Acromegaly patients Endocrine Professional Organizations that plan to host a visiting professor directly 	Endocrinologists, Pediatricians, Nurse Practitioners, Nurses, Neurosurgeons	Individual requests up to \$10,000
Inflammation & Immunology				
Rheumatology	U.S.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accredited Medical Schools Medical centers with dedicated rheumatology or dermatology departments Rheumatology/Dermatology Professional Organizations that plan to host a visiting professor directly 	Local rheumatology and dermatology healthcare providers and the broad rheumatology and dermatology healthcare teams including allied professionals	Individual requests up to \$10,000
Rheumatoid Arthritis	Europe (including Israel, Turkey, and Russia), Australia, New Zealand, South Korea, and Japan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic and non-academic hospitals responsible for the care of rheumatoid arthritis patients 	Rheumatologists, internists, rheumatology specialist nurses, radiologists, psychologists, and allied professionals	Individual requests up to \$12,500

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Inflammatory Bowel Disease	U.S.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accredited Medical Schools Medical centers with dedicated Gastroenterology departments dedicated to Inflammatory Bowel Disease management and/or research Gastroenterology professional organizations that plan to host a visiting professor directly 	Local gastroenterology healthcare providers and the broad gastroenterology healthcare teams including allied professionals	Individual requests up to \$10,000
Atopic Dermatitis (Eczema)	U.S.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accredited Medical Schools Medical centers with dedicated dermatology or pediatric departments Dermatology, Pediatric or Primary Care Professional Organizations that plan to host a visiting professor directly 	Local dermatology, pediatric, or primary care healthcare providers and the broad dermatology, pediatric dermatology and pediatric healthcare teams including allied professionals	Individual requests up to \$10,000
Atopic Dermatitis	Israel, Switzerland and Australia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic and non-academic hospitals responsible for the care of dermatology patients 	Dermatologists (including those managing paediatric patients), nurses, psychologists, and allied professionals	Individual requests up to \$12,500
Biosimilars				
Biosimilars	U.S.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accredited Medical Schools Medical centers with dedicated rheumatology, gastroenterology, oncology departments Rheumatology/Gastroenterology, Oncology Professional Organizations that plan to host a visiting professor directly 	Local rheumatologists, gastroenterologists, oncologists, internists, nurses, surgeons, infusion specialists, allied professionals, and pharmacists	Individual requests up to \$10,000

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Oncology-Hematology				
ALL, AML, CML Advanced or Metastatic Breast Cancer Renal Cell Carcinoma	U.S.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accredited Medical Schools Academic Cancer Centers Community Cancer Centers 	Medical Oncologists, Hematology-Oncologists, Urologists, Physician Assistants, Nurse Practitioners, Pharmacists	Individual requests up to \$10,000

Applications Requirements

Please go to the specific [application log-in page](#) and sign in. First-time users should click “REGISTER NOW”. Complete all sections of the online application and upload the completed required templates/documents (see below). If you encounter any technical difficulties with the grant management system, please click the “Need Support?” link at the bottom of the page.

Required Templates/Documents

1. Visiting Professorship Application which can be downloaded [here](#).
2. Budget Template which can be downloaded [here](#).
3. Letter of support from Hosting institution

IMPORTANT: Do not include the name of the potential Visiting Professor in application materials.

Funding Guidelines

Funding is to be used to cover the Expert’s honorarium, travel expenses, and other direct expenses incurred by host organization in conducting program activities, if applicable. U.S. Physician Payments Sunshine Act (“Sunshine Act”) and other transparency law reporting requirements must be satisfied with respect to meals, payments and other transfers of value.

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Submission Deadlines

Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis but reviewed based on the timelines below:

Application Submitted by	Decision Notification Date	Program Start Date must be after
January 15, 2018	On or before February 28, 2018	March 15, 2018
April 15 2018	On or before May 31, 2018	June 15, 2018
July 15, 2018	On or before August 31, 2018	September 15, 2018
October 1, 2018	On or before November 30, 2018	December 15, 2018

Visiting Professorship programs funded in 2018 must be completed before December 31, 2019. Requests received after October 1, 2018 will be reviewed in the first window of 2019.

PLEASE NOTE THAT DUE TO A SCHEDULED SYSTEM UPDATE, NO NEW APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED BETWEEN OCTOBER 1 AND DECEMBER 31