



Paediatric Cardiac Society of South Africa

## PCSSA

### Travel award

This fellowship will afford two recipients the opportunity to attend a training course, undertake a visit to another unit, or have a brief sabbatical.

- One fellowship is offered to qualified paediatric cardiologists or surgeons.
- One fellowship is offered to paediatric cardiologists or surgeons in training in order to visit a local unit for further training or exposure.

<b>Requirements:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Applicants need to be fully paid-up members of the PCSSA for at least one year.</b></li><li>• <b>Applications open to those in public service only.</b></li></ul>
<b>Qualified cardiologists and surgeons</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Courses such as Cardiology in the young, MRI course</li><li>• Visit to colleagues or other units</li><li>• Contribution during sabbatical leave</li><li>• Training in a particular skill</li></ul>
<b>Fellows in training</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Visit to a local unit to gain further exposure (e.g. an EP unit)</li><li>• Attending a local course (e.g. New Horizons Course)</li><li>• Leave in order to complete MPhil/postgraduate degree.</li></ul>
<b>Applications:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Applications must include:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ An abbreviated Curriculum Vitae</li><li>○ A personal letter of motivation</li><li>○ A letter of recommendation from your Head of Department (for trainees only)</li><li>○ A letter of invitation or course outline (for qualified applicants)</li><li>○ A budget to demonstrate costs</li></ul></li></ul>
<b>Value of award:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The award will include:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Up to R20 000 towards costs for qualified cardiologists / surgeons</li><li>○ Up to R10 000 towards costs for fellows in training</li></ul></li></ul>
<b>Strict terms apply:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The recipients will be expected to:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Write a report to be published in SA Heart PCSSA newsletter</li><li>○ Prepare a short presentation highlighting key lessons learnt or outcomes for presentation at local institution/unit.</li></ul></li></ul>
<b>Quantity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• This award will be offered twice a year with application closing dates of 31 Jan 2016 and 30 June 2016</li></ul>