

# APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

for

## Japanese Society of Nuclear Medicine – Asian and Oceanian Young Investigator Award for 2024

1. Aim: This award aims to promote solidarity and cooperation between Japan and other Asian or Oceanian countries in the field of nuclear medicine. The winners will be invited to the Annual Meeting of the Japanese Society of Nuclear Medicine to present their works.
2. Eligibility: Applicants must be young scientists residing in Asia or Oceania who have published Original Article (in English) related to nuclear medicine as a first author in an international academic journal.
3. Number of awardees to be selected:
  - Gold prize: One (The most excellent paper award)
  - Encouragement award: Two or less (Excellent paper award for applicants of developing countries in the field of nuclear medicine)
4. Qualifications for applicant:
  - 4.1 Person engaged in nuclear medicine research in any Asian or Oceanian country other than Japan
  - 4.2 Person aged less than 40 years at the deadline (March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2024) for application
  - 4.3 Person who as first author has published Original Article in the nuclear medicine field in a peer-reviewed journal within the preceding 2 years (January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022 to December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023)
  - 4.4 Gold prize recipient must present the work contained in their paper at the Annual Meeting of the Japanese Society of Nuclear Medicine to be held in Yokohama, November 7-9, 2024.
  - 4.5 Person who has not previously received a Japanese Society of Nuclear Medicine-Asian and Oceanian Young Investigator Award
5. Documents needed for application:
  - 5.1 Reprint of original paper with the applicant as first author (1 paper only, PDF)
  - 5.2 Curriculum vitae (1 page, PDF)
  - 5.3 List of publications ( $\leq 3$  pages, PDF)
6. Submission: Please make an application via the online application form. Please fill in the necessary information and write the outline of applicant's contribution to nuclear medicine (self-appraised) within 200 words in the application form, and upload all application documents (5.1~5.3 above). We will NOT ACCEPT e-mail submission under any circumstances.
7. Application period: January 22<sup>nd</sup> – March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2024. The receipt of application is informed via e-mail.
8. Notification: The award winners will be announced before the end of May, 2024.
9. Other information:
  - 9.1 Gold prize recipient will receive 150,000 yen to help cover travelling and living expenses while attending the Annual Meeting of the Japanese Society of Nuclear Medicine.
  - 9.2 Encouragement award will receive 50,000 yen.
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