

## Announcement

### **Prolongation of the ESOT-STALYC Travel Grant**

Thanks to the mutual interests and efforts of the Sociedad Latino Americana y del Caribe de Trasplante (STALYC) and the European Society for Organ Transplantation (ESOT), we are proud to announce the prolongation of the 'ESOT-STALYC Travel Grant'. This grant is a joint effort supported by ESOT and STALYC and awarded two times per year with an amount of €4.000.

Young researchers or clinicians residing in Southern or Middle America or in the Carribean who want to acquire a particular skill or technique in a European centre during a stay of max. 3 months are invited to apply for the ESOT-STALYC Travel Grant. This grant has an open deadline.

To apply for this Travel Grant, please, visit the ESOT website (<http://www.esot.org>) for the application tool. Applicants have to follow the ESOT membership procedure first and choose a type of ESOT (temporary) membership. Temporary membership offers the opportunity to look around ESOT for a period of 6 months without having to pay any membership fee. Temporary members can apply for courses and grants. However, if a temporary

member is selected for a course or a grant, he or she has to become a full ESOT member. Temporary Membership can only be applied for once.

During the application procedure for the ESOT-STALYC Travel Grant applicants have to upload the following documents:

- Letter of support including confirmation of the visit of host and home institution,
- Project outline,
- CV.

The application will be assessed on the quality of the scientific proposal or practical impact of skills to be learned and the potential of the applicant.

The ESOT Grant Committee scores and decides an additional recommendation by the ESOT-STALYC liaison, Professor Josep Grinyó of the Department of Nephrology, Bellvitge University in Barcelona, Spain, is required.

If you know young colleagues from Southern or Middle America or the Carribean who are interested to visit your centre, please, inform them about the possibility to apply for the ESOT-STALYC Travel Grant or forward this mail to them.