

SCTS Education

SCTS Education Ionescu Non-NTN Surgical Fellowships 2019

The Society for Cardiothoracic Surgery in Great Britain & Ireland (SCTS) is pleased to invite applications for the SCTS Education Ionescu Non-NTN Surgical Fellowships.

Eligible applicants are non-NTN surgical doctors, including clinical fellows, specialty doctors, associate specialists and staff grade doctors, currently working within cardiothoracic surgery in Great Britain & Ireland.

The fellowship is awarded to support a visit to a cardiothoracic surgery centre (in GB & Ireland or abroad) or another educational opportunity. It is designed to enhance the experience of the applicant to further their career in cardiothoracic surgery.

The fellowship can be utilised for further development of clinical skills, management, leadership skills or service improvement. The applicant should be able to describe how their fellowship will enhance the specialty of cardiothoracic surgery and the wider NHS.

Applicants *must* be a member of the SCTS to be eligible for these fellowships.

Please send an application with the following details:

- Completed application form.
- Curriculum vitae (maximum 2 pages).
- Letter from the visiting centre & consultant cardiothoracic surgeon confirming acceptance and details of the experience to be gained.
- Letter of support from their Training Programme Director or Educational Supervisor
- Confirmation of SCTS membership.

Successful applicants will be announced at the SCTS Annual Meeting Dinner in London (11th March 2019). They will also be expected to submit a report to be published in the SCTS Bulletin and a short video describing their fellowship to be shown at the 2020 SCTS Annual Meeting.

The fellowships must be started within 12 months of the award.

Please send the completed application, along with accompanying documents, to education@scts.org, with the subject line: "Non-NTN Surgical Fellowship 2019 Application plus name".

Please ensure all files attached are formatted in PDF and preferably all documents merged into one PDF file.

Closing date for applications is **18th January 2019 at 16:00**