

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PERIODONTOLOGY FOUNDATION AWARDS

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Category	Predocctoral Dental Students & Residents (Recognizing Research)	Residents (Recognizing Research)	Residents (Recognizing Research)	Residents (Excellence)	Residents (Excellence)
Award Name	The Patty & Paul Levi Research Award	Robert S. Schoor Research Award	Dr. James T. Mellonig Regeneration Research Award	Dr. & Mrs. Gerald M. Kramer Scholar Award for Excellence	Dr. Mark K. Setter Leadership in Periodontology and Dental Implantology Award
Award Amount	\$5,000	\$2,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$10,000
Number of Awards	2	1	1	1	1
Application Deadline	6/1	6/1	6/1	5/15	6/1
Review Deadline	7/15	7/15	7/15	7/1	7/15
Eligibility	<p>Predocctoral students and residents being mentored by a periodontal faculty member in a dental school where there is a postdoctoral periodontal program.</p> <p>Immediate family members of the AAP Foundation Board of Directors, officers, and selection committee members are not eligible to apply for the fellowship.</p>	<p>Full-time residents in an accredited US periodontal program in any year of residency are eligible to apply. The applicant is required to submit a manuscript written by the resident as sole or principal author based on his or her research. The manuscript must be appropriate for submission to the Journal of Periodontology, but receipt of a Schoor Award is not contingent upon publication. Previous recipients of the Schoor Award may not re-apply. Unsuccessful applicants may re-apply up to two more times.</p>	<p>Applicants must be second- or third- year periodontal residents in US accredited programs or recent graduates having received their certificate in periodontics within the past five years as of the application deadline. Applicants must have completed original research as a lead researcher/first author and produced a manuscript that potentially advances clinical therapies in periodontal regeneration. The research may deal with any aspect of hard or soft tissue regeneration that advances or supports clinical therapies in the natural dentition or with dental implant use. The manuscript must be accepted for publication if not yet published.</p>	<p>Candidates must be in their third year of an accredited periodontal program within the US and must be nominated by the department chair. Candidates should demonstrate a personal motivation for excellence in both character and academic achievement. Personal integrity, as exemplified by leadership, community involvement, and concern for the needs of others are considered.</p>	<p>Applicants must be full-time periodontal residents as of the application deadline at accredited U.S. periodontal programs and nominated by their periodontal program director. Applicants should be nominated for demonstrating their leadership in promoting periodontology, implantology, advanced treatment planning and case acceptance strategies through mentorship of other students and professionals, making a positive impact on how periodontology and dental implantology is viewed in their school, or by promoting the importance of periodontology and dental implantology in the comprehensive treatment of patients.</p>
Conditions	Payout in same academic year (following calendar year) as decision	Paid in same fiscal and academic year	Paid in same fiscal and academic year	Payout in same academic year (following calendar year) as decision	Payout in same academic year (following calendar year) as decision

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Award Name	International Resident Award	Educator Scholarship	D. Walter Cohen Teaching Award	The Richman Family Foundation Scholarship	Fellowship to the AAL Institute for Teaching & Learning in the Health Professions
Award Amount	\$2,000	\$12,000	\$10,000	\$20,000	\$3,500
Number of Awards	1	2	1	1-2	5
Application Deadline	6/1	6/1	6/1	6/1	4/30
Review Deadline	7/15	7/15	7/15	7/15	6/14
Eligibility	Intended to assist second-year periodontal residents with travel, immigration, legal, and other expenses during their residency period. Eligibility is restricted to internationally trained residents that completed their predoctoral studies and received their DMD or DDS outside United States. The dental school where the applicants completed their predoctoral studies may have but does not need to have been CODA accredited. The applicants must be nominated by their Program Director. Applicants that demonstrate leadership and/or community service are encouraged to apply.	Applicants must have been accepted into, or must be current students, in a US periodontal postdoctoral program. They may apply in any year of their periodontal program. Recipients must intend to teach full-time in a US periodontal program upon graduation. Applicants for other AAPF awards may apply for the Educator Scholarship. Previous recipients of the Educator Scholarship may not re-apply. Award will be paid out over three years beginning upon the successful completion of full-time teaching.	Fellowship candidates must be in the third year of a non-military accredited post-doctoral periodontal program in the US. They must intend to pursue a career in full-time periodontal teaching and research in the US. The award is not to be used to replace support that would have normally been provided by the recipient's institution. The award should be considered a supplement to any salary stipend or research support.	Fellowship applicants must be a periodontist resident, orthodontist resident, oral and maxillofacial resident, and/or young faculty member with five or fewer years in academia at an accredited institution. The award will be made to an individual performing clinical or basic science research related to the orthodontic/periodontal interphase. An individual may receive a maximum of two awards.	The program, developed by the Academy for Academic Leadership, will be helpful to periodontists in private practice who have an interest in teaching either full- or part-time.
Conditions	Payout in same academic year (following calendar year) as decision	First payout payable at the conclusion of the first academic year of full-time teaching. Second-Third payout in following academic years, provided recipient is still teaching.	Payout in same academic year (following calendar year) as decision	First payout payable in same academic year (following calendar year) as decision. Second payout in following academic year.	Paid in same fiscal and academic year

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Award Name	Annual Meeting Scholarship	Bud & Linda Tarrson Fellowship	Nevins Teaching & Clinical Research Fellowship and Nevins BioHorizons Fellowship	Teaching Fellowship	Charles W. Finley Visiting Scholar Education Grant
Award Amount	\$500	\$30,000	\$20,000	\$25,000	\$2,000 to an Institution
Number of Awards	Fluctuates	1	2	2	5
Application Deadline	6/1	5/1	6/1	6/1	4/1
Review Deadline	7/15	6/15	7/15	7/15	5/15
Eligibility	Applicants must currently be enrolled in an accredited U.S. or Canadian periodontal residency program or have already graduated from an accredited U.S. or Canadian periodontal residency program in either 2024 or 2025 and have maintained continuous membership in the AAP since graduation.	Candidates for the Fellowship must be either a full-time or part-time faculty member at the instructor, assistant, or associate professor level and affiliated with a US training institution for 10 years or less. The career goal for the candidate must be teaching and research in periodontology. The award is not to be used to replace support that would have normally been provided by the recipient's institution. The award should be considered a supplement to any salary, stipend or research support.	Full-time periodontal educators who have been teaching at least one, and not more than five, full-time academic years at US programs are eligible to apply. Applicants must be board-certified in periodontology. The award encourages retention of top periodontal educators and researchers.	Applicants must be in their first three years of full-time (as defined by the institution) teaching at a US periodontal program. Individuals who have not yet begun work as an educator but who present a letter stating they have been accepted for a full-time teaching position may also apply. Teaching obligations have to be fulfilled for the award payouts to continue.	The \$2,000 grants are available to accredited periodontal programs. The following criteria must be met: (1) Grants must be matched; (2) While the speaker can spend his/her time with the periodontal program's faculty and students, a presentation is required which is of interest to all members of the dental professional team.
Conditions	Paid at the Annual Meeting, during a photo op at the booth of the specific sponsor.	First payout payable in same academic year (following calendar year) as decision. Second and third payouts in the next two academic years, provided recipient is still teaching.	First payout payable in same academic year (following calendar year) as decision. Second payout in following academic year, provided recipient is still teaching.	First payout payable in same academic year (following calendar year) as decision. Second-Fifth payouts in following academic years, provided recipient is still teaching.	Paid in same fiscal and academic year