



Australian Institute of Medical and Clinical Scientists

National Scientific Meeting

16 - 18 September 2026, Perth, Western Australia

First Time Presenter Scholarship Application Form

First Time Presenter Scholarships are to provide financial assistance to members in the early stage of their science careers to attend the AIMS National Scientific Meeting.

Application Criteria:

- Applicants must be Graduate or Full Members of AIMS who are presenting their first submitted paper for oral presentation, or their first authored poster.
- Applicants must provide a copy of the abstract and a draft of the presentation/poster with their application form. Only abstracts that are accepted for presentation are eligible for a Scholarship.
- Applicants are provide a statement in no more than 500 words how they will benefit from their attendance at the meeting and the relevance to their professional practice.
- Successful applicants must be available to take up the scholarship to attend the National Scientific Meeting in 2026.
- Scholarship value of \$2,000 and funds may be applied to travel, accommodation and registration costs.
- Recipients of AIMS scholarships are expected, within one (1) month, to write a short report (500 words) on their experience at the National Scientific Meeting for possible publication on the AIMS website or other media.

Eligibility for an AIMS Scholarship:

- Applicants must have been a member of AIMS for at least 6 months prior to the closing date for applications.
- Student, Affiliate, Corporate and Retained members are **not** eligible to apply.

Closing Date for Applications: 29 May 2026

Applicant Information

Preferred Title: Dr ☐ Mr ☐ Mrs ☐ Ms ☐ Miss ☐ Other ☐

Family Name:

First Name: Date of Birth:

Postal Address:

Email Address:

Mobile Phone:

AIMS Membership Start Date:

AIMS Membership Category: Life ☐ Member (MAIMS) ☐ Member (Research) ☐ Intermediate ☐ Graduate ☐

Qualification Details

Initial Tertiary Qualification:

University / Institution:

Graduation Date:

Postgraduate Qualification:

University / Institution:

Graduation Date:

Employment Information	
Current position title:	
Employer:	
Employer Address:	
State:	Postcode: Country:
Previous position title:	
Employer:	
Employers Address:	
State:	Postcode: Country:
Start date:	End Date:
Statement	
Attach a separate statement and describe in no more than five hundred (500) words the reasons for wishing to attend the NSM and the relevance of attending the NSM to your professional practice.	
Declaration	
• I declare that to the best of my knowledge the above information is correct and accurate. • Should I be awarded a scholarship I will be available to attend the AIMS National Scientific Meeting, to be held on 16 - 18 September 2026, Perth. • I have completed the statement on why I would like to apply for this scholarship. • I will submit a written report of no more than 500 words on my experience within one (1) month of attending the National Scientific Meeting, which may be published on the AIMS website or other media.	
Signature:	Date:
Submit Your Application	
Email your completed application form and statement to programs@aims.org.au . Please retain a copy of your application for your own records.	