

Mike McErlain Travelling Fellowship

CSOS is pleased to offer the Mike McErlain Travelling Fellowship in memory of Lt Col Mike McErlain who tragically passed away in 2013. This fellowship is up to a value of £2000 to contribute towards travel and subsistence to an international centre. This fellowship is open to all serving members of the Society. The fellowship must include an element of military relevance and visits to partner nation orthopaedic centres will be favourably viewed. The fellowship can also be linked to attending an international meeting (e.g., OTA, SOMOS, AAOS etc).

To apply, prospective candidates should submit a max 1 page application (Size 11 Font Arial, single spaced). This must include detailed plans for the fellowship which must highlight the military relevance in conjunction with the learning objectives that a successful candidate expects to achieve. Full costings should be included in the submission with details of any other funding obtained. The successful fellow must be a full member of the society.

On receipt of the travelling fellowship, successful candidates will be expected to produce a short report detailing their experience that will be published on the CSOS website.

Fellowship applications will normally be considered at the CSOS annual meeting, but will also be considered out of committee in extenuating circumstances.

Candidates considering applying for the fellowship are encouraged to seek advice from either the DCA or respective CA prior to submitting their application. Applications should be submitted directly to the DCA.