



The Canadian Orthopaedic Association
L'Association Canadienne d'Orthopédie



2019 Application: North American Travelling Fellowship

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. The applicant must be completing his/her residency training in a Canadian training program between January 1 and June 30 of the year in which he/she applies, or may apply for up to three (3) years following completion of his/her residency training in Canada. In addition, orthopædist who completed their residency training on or after June 30, 2015 and who completed 18 months or more of consecutive fellowships are eligible.
2. The submission deadline is **December 30, 2018**. The applicant must prepare a detailed curriculum vitæ that will allow the selection committee to judge if the applicant adequately meets selection criteria on the following page.
3. One photograph must be sent to lexie@canorth.org.
4. The applicant must be a member of the Canadian Orthopaedic Association (COA) and in good standing.
5. Two (2) sponsors should be asked to send letters of recommendation to the address below before the deadline. Letters can be sent via email, but must also be accompanied by a hard copy sent in the mail. The sponsors should be familiar with the applicant's training performance and personal qualifications.

Exchange Fellowships
Canadian Orthopædic Association
#620-4060 St. Catherine Street
West Westmount, QC H3Z 2Z3

IN YOUR REQUEST FOR RECOMMENDATIONS, PLEASE STATE THAT SPONSORS CANNOT RECOMMEND MORE THAN ONE APPLICANT A YEAR. IF THEY HAVE ALREADY SENT IN RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ANOTHER APPLICANT, THEY SHOULD LET YOU KNOW IMMEDIATELY SO THAT YOU MAY ASK SOMEONE ELSE.

6. The successful applicant must obtain personal medical insurance coverage for this tour in the United States/Canada.
7. The applicant hereby acknowledges that the Canadian Orthopædic Association and its members will not in any way be held responsible by the applicant for any loss or damage sustained by the applicant, whether to person or property, during or in any way connected with the program referred to herein and waives any right of action with respect thereto.
8. **Application forms and resumes should be emailed to lexie@canorth.org, including the words 'NATF 2019' in the subject line by December 30, 2018.**

For any other information please inquire at lexie@canorth.org.



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Applicant's Name: _____

Address:

Tel: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____ Date of birth: _____

A) CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF THE NATF FELLOW:

The curriculum vitae and cover letter should highlight the candidate's academic achievements, education and training, university affiliation and appointments, involvement with the COA, and ability to be an ambassador.

Please follow the standard university academic CV format and number items in sections where appropriate (i.e. refereed publications). **For an example of a standard university CV format, please click [here](#).**

The curriculum vitae should demonstrate the extent to which the applicant fills the following criteria:

1. University - Academic Achievement
2. University – Extracurricular Activities (Hobbies, Athletics, Community Service)
3. Residency and Fellowship Training
4. Presentations at local, regional and national meetings
5. Papers published or in press (List Clinical and Research separately, indicate whether peer reviewed or non-peer reviewed)
6. Letters of reference from sponsors
7. Current academic activity - Clinical
8. Current academic activity – Research
9. Orthopaedic Training and Practice (Place, duration, dates)
10. Dates of qualifying examination(s) in orthopaedic surgery and degree(s) held

B) Names and addresses of 2 sponsors:

1. _____

2. _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Deadline: December 30, 2018

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN THE NORTH AMERICAN TRAVELLING FELLOWSHIP