

**MALAYSIAN GLAUCOMA SOCIETY (MGS) TRAVELLING
GRANT FOR THE PRESENTATION OF SCIENTIFIC PAPERS
(March 2024)**

No	Items	Remarks
1	Source of funding	Malaysian Glaucoma Society
2	Purpose	<p>A)To encourage the presentation of original research by Malaysian ophthalmologists and trainees at an international level.</p> <p>B)The presentation will be in the form of an oral or poster exhibition or presentation of a scientific research paper or clinical videos. Invited didactic lectures are excluded.</p> <p>C)Meetings eligible:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) World Glaucoma Congress (ii) Asia Pacific Glaucoma Congress (iii) International Congress on Glaucoma Surgery (iv) AAO Annual Meeting (v) ARVO Annual Meeting (vi) Subspecialty meetings of an equivalent level* <p>*to be decided on a case-by-case basis</p>
3	Number of grants available	<p>A)At discretion of MGS committee.</p> <p>B) Limited to annual allocated budget allowance of RM5,000 (the amount will depend on financial status of the society)</p>
4	Eligibility conditions and	<p>A)The topic presented is pertaining to local population of Malaysia or research done in Malaysian setting related to glaucoma topics</p> <p>B)The recipient is not receiving any other sponsorship from any other sources (must sign a declaration form)</p> <p>C)The recipient must be a registered member of the MGS (without any outstanding in membership fee)</p> <p>D)The recipient must be the presenting author and principal investigator.</p> <p>E)A member may receive this grant no more than once every 2 years.</p>

5	Amount	<p>A) Venue meeting at Europe/America (RM2,000 per person)</p> <p>B) Venue meeting at regional/Asia-Pacific (RM1,000 per person)</p>
6	Procedure	<p>A) Qualified candidates may submit their applications to the MGS committee via the society's email at upon notification of acceptance of the submitted abstract.</p> <p>B) The application should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Include a summary of the scientific paper (ii) Indicate the meeting where the paper is intended for <p>C) Confirmed acceptance of the paper for presentation is a prerequisite at this stage.</p> <p>D) The MGS committee will determine the best entry from the applications received. No award will be made if there are deemed to be no suitable applications.</p> <p>E) The winning applicant will be offered the grant, conditional upon:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Acceptance of the paper for presentation at the Meeting (ii) Actual presentation of the paper by the member at the meeting ('no-show' and 'withdrawn' presentations will be disqualified) (iii) The member will be disbursed the grant money after meeting, provided that the above conditions have been met (reimbursement method)



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