



Irish Society of
Chartered
Physiotherapists
The Voice of Physiotherapy in Ireland

ISCP Fellowship Awards

Information Booklet



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The Fellowship award is an accolade intended as a prestigious award to celebrate the achievement of individual members' service to the profession and wider physiotherapy community.

The Fellowships will be awarded annually at an annual awards event. They are awarded by the Board on the recommendations of the Fellowship Awards Review Panel. Nominees for the award must be a member for a minimum of ten years who has advanced the profession, by forwarding the boundaries of professional knowledge and/or furthering the aims of the profession. A Fellow will be permitted to use the title "Fellow" of the Irish Society of Chartered Physiotherapists. A Fellow will be granted one years complimentary membership and lifetime complimentary access to the annual conference.





ISCP Fellowship Award Criteria

Essential Criteria

- The nominee must be a member for a minimum of 10 years
- The nominee must uphold ethical standards of professional conduct and the core values that distinguish physiotherapy as a caring and skilled profession
- The individual has demonstrated significant commitment to physiotherapy and has advocated on behalf of the profession
- The nominee must demonstrate outstanding professional or academic leadership through activities such as a strong publication record and/or involvement in external organisation/committees within Ireland and or internationally

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Desirable Criteria

- The individual has produced a body of work that has been widely disseminated, for example in a body of publications, or in teaching materials, in educational documents, in political, policy or professional documents
- The individual has demonstrated original discovery or application of knowledge, or development of the physiotherapy profession in an innovative way
- The individual has had an impact directly on patient outcomes
- The individual has demonstrated dedicated service to the community through activities that enhance quality of life, function, and societal well-being

How to nominate



- Individuals can be nominated by non ISCP members. Each nomination will require separate statements of support from two different people one of whom must be an ISCP member.
- Nominees for ISCP Fellowship if practising must be registered with CORU and have been an ISCP member for at least ten years
- Current Board members are eligible to be nominated but must recuse themselves when the Board is considering the decision of the review panel
- Current Board members are eligible to nominate others but must recuse themselves when the Board is considering the decision of the review panel
- ISCP Staff members cannot be the principle nominator
- For more information on how to nominate please see the Nominator Guidance Information at:
www.iscp.ie/fellowship.php



Fellowship Awards Review Panel

A panel of up to 10 reviewers will be appointed by the President to review the applications and make recommendations for Fellowship Awards. The reviewers will be selected from this panel to ensure that nominees and nominators are not part of the review committee. The review committee will consist of one person from each of the groups identified below, along with the Director of Professional Development.

- Previous Presidents of the ISCP
- Current Fellows of the ISCP
- External Candidates such as previous lay members of the Board/Professional Procedures and Ethics Standing Committee

If you have any questions about the Fellowship Awards contact the Professional Development Unit at: **professionaldevelopment@iscp.ie**



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