

About the Scholarships:

The International Society of Radiology (ISR), supported by the the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA), will award a limited number of scholarships to encourage and facilitate attendance to the ICR 2026, that will be held from May 14th to 16th 2026 in Cartagena de Indias – Colombia. The ISR-IAEA Scholarships include the following benefits for recipients:

- Registration fee.
- Lodging (up to 4 nights) at the host city, at a 4-stars hotel, breakfast included.
- Daily lunch during the days of the Congress.
- Reimbursement of USD\$500 to help cover airfare expenses.

Scholarship Applicant Qualifications and Requirements

Target Applicants

Scholarships will support professionals who deliver imaging services in underserved areas of Latin America and the Caribbean, including:

- Radiologists
- Radiology residents
- Radiographers, technologists
- Imaging informatics specialists and AI/IT professionals supporting imaging services

Definition Of Underserved Areas in Latin America and the Caribbean

- All applicants should currently work in underserved and economically challenged areas
- Applicants must be from Latin America and/or the Caribbean
- The following countries, designated as low- and middle-income by the World Bank, will serve as the primary eligibility baseline:
 - Caribbean: Cuba, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Haiti, Jamaica, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
 - Central America: Belize, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua
 - South America: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Ecuador, Paraguay, Peru, Suriname, Venezuela
- Applications from underserved regions outside these countries may be considered on a case-by-case basis when compelling need is demonstrated.

Applicant Requirements

- Abstract / Impact Statement

Applicants must submit an abstract describing:

- How attending ICR 2026 will improve the imaging care they provide

- Specific challenges in their home institutions or regions
- How knowledge in medical imaging, quality and safety, informatics, or AI could directly benefit their patients
- Recorded Interview (not required for the application):
Selected individuals will be invited to participate in a brief recorded interview at the beginning of the ICR, highlighting:
 - Imaging access challenges in their region
 - Barriers to quality, safety, equipment, education, and workforce
 - The potential impact of Congress participation and long-term collaborations with ISR and IAEA for increasing access to medical imaging including workforce education, radiation safety for patients and workforce and the integration of artificial intelligence
- Electronic Poster Submission
Selected awardees are encouraged to present an electronic poster showcasing:
 - Their local imaging environment
 - Resource gaps and workforce limitations
 - Practical strategies or success stories in expanding imaging access, quality, safety, or informatics capability
- Participation in Congress Activities
Some scholarship recipients may be invited to join a Panel Discussion with ISR leadership during the Congress to share regional perspectives and amplify the voices of underserved communities
- Follow-up Report
Recipients may be asked to provide a brief follow-up report 12 months after the Congress describing how participation influenced their practice, training, or local imaging capacity

Submit your application by February 20th 2026 by clicking [HERE](#).