Guidelines for FEBS Summer Fellowships

These Fellowships are intended to help support short-term research projects by promising young students in laboratories within the FEBS area in a country different from that where the applicant works. The total amount of money allotted to each Fellowship will be 2000 DM.

The applications should have been working or studying during the preceding year in a laboratory on a topic related to that proposed in the application and should be no older than 26 years at the time of application.

Applications will be assessed once every year. They should be received by the Chairman of the FEBS Fellowships Committee before April 1st. The applications shoulds contain:

- A short description of the work to be carried out (five copies).
- A letter from the laboratory where the applicant has worked or studied in the preceding year with an opinion on his/her performance. To be sent directly and separately to the Chairman.
- A short curriculum vitae of the applicant (five copies).
- A letter of acceptance of the receiving laboratory. (The successful applicants will later have to fill in an official acceptance form supplied by FEBS.)

The Fellowship should be used before October of the current year.

No grant will be given to the institute receiving the applicant.

A statement should be made by the applicant as to whether he/she has applied for another fellowship for the same project. FEBS Fellowships may not be used to complement other fellowships obtained for the same subject.

Fellows ARE NOT insured by FEBS against medical expenses for themselves or their families; neither are they insured against accidents during their travel to and from the host institute. FEBS does not recognize recipients of its Fellowships as agents or employees of FEBS and accepts no liability in respect of any of their actions or activities or in respect of the health or safety of their persons. In their own interest recipients of Fellowships are, therefore, urged to make sure that they, their families and the institutions that receive them are fully covered by the necessary insurances.

FEBS is a non-governmental organization whose awards are not automatically endowed with any particular tax privilege. It is the sole responsibility of the recipient of an award to pay any tax which may be levied upon it by the appropriate national authority.

The application must be accompanied by a short report about the work performed.

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