



PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT SCHEME

The Public Engagement scheme aims to provide specific support for activities related to the promotion of public awareness and understanding of pathology, including public lectures and public awareness schemes. Applications for virtual events are also welcomed.

Support for salaries is excluded from this scheme.

The terms and conditions of the Public Engagement Scheme are as follows:

1. Applications are invited from **Members of the Society in good standing for 12 months.**
2. Applications from undergraduate members of the Society must be supported by a senior Supervisor who is a member of the Society
3. Members may also act as sponsors for applications from non-members
4. The sum requested should **not exceed £3,000** and preference will be given to applications that provide matching funds from other sources
5. An electronic version and hard copy of the application must be sent to the Deputy Administrator by **1 March, 1 June, 1 September and 1 December**
6. A report (maximum two pages of A4) must be sent to the Deputy Administrator within **three months** of completion of any project/event. The project/event should be evaluated and the results of the evaluation included in the report provided to the Society. **Failure to provide an appropriate report will preclude future support in this and other schemes run by the Society.**
7. The Society will normally withdraw funding if the grant is not acknowledged and accepted within 6 months of the offer

Applications should comprise of the following:

- (a) Covering letter
- (b) 2-page A4 application explaining the proposal and justifying the proposed expenditure
- (c) 1-page c.v. of the principal applicant

Applications are reviewed by the Society's Finance and General Purposes Committee. Applicants will be advised of a decision as soon as practicable after the deadline date.

Please note: The Pathological Society is a registered charity which is not in a position to provide full economic costs or overheads with regard to any funds awarded.