



## Application - World Transplant Games Travelling Scholarship award

### Aim of the Award

In partnership with Transplant Sport, the **SST World Transplant Games Travelling Scholarship Award** supports **one Full Member and one Student Member** to explore transplant sport, gain hands-on experience at an international multi-sport event, and strengthen their professional development. Applicants must show how this opportunity will enhance their own practice or studies, contribute to the profession, and positively represent The Society and Transplant Sport.

The successful applicants will be required to attend:

- Team training meetings between **October 2026 and June 2027** - 3 meetings typically held in the Midlands - dates/times TBC).
- The British Transplant Games **29 July – 1 August 2027** in Birmingham. If you need overnight accommodation, please indicate this on your application form.
- The World Transplant Games in Leuven, Belgium between **1-8 August 2027**.

Recipients of successful Awards are required to duly acknowledge The SST support in any publications, presentations, interviews or reports arising from the Award.

### Application process

Each application will need to be supported with a **short video of 4 minutes max**, giving a brief overview of yourself, and why you wish to travel to Leuven and work with Transplant Athletes. You should also state why you think you are suitable for this opportunity and what benefits you think it will give to you, The SST and Transplant Sport. You can submit your video to **comms@thesst.org** and the closing deadline for receipt of this application form and your supporting video is no later than **1 September 2026**.

All applications will then be reviewed by a panel of judges from both representatives of the Transplant Sport Therapy Team and The SST.

**Shortlisted applicants will be invited to interview on 17 September 2026 and the successful applicants will be notified on 18 September 2026.**

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| First Name |  |
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| <b>Last name</b>             |  |
| <b>Phone number</b>          |  |
| <b>Email</b>                 |  |
| <b>SST Membership grade</b>  |  |
| <b>SST Membership number</b> |  |

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| <b>I will require overnight accommodation for the British Transplant Games in Birmingham.</b> |  |           |  |
| <b>Yes</b>                                                                                    |  | <b>No</b> |  |

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| <b>Please tick to indicate that you have read and understand the criteria for The SST Travelling Scholarship Award - Transplant Sport.</b> |
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|  | The applicant is required to have Full or Student membership with The Society of Sports Therapists and be in membership at both the time of application and at the point of travel to the Games in Leuven. |
|  | It is mandatory for the applicant to thoroughly read and adhere to the terms and conditions outlined in the SST Travelling Scholarship Award.                                                              |
|  | Previous winners of the Award, Officers and Directors of The SST are not eligible to apply for this award.                                                                                                 |

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|  | In the event of a successful application, you will be expected to complete a short report for The SST website and social media.             |
|  | Attendance at the WTG in Leuven, Team training meetings (subject to confirmation of dates) and BTG in Birmingham, as outlined in Section 1. |
|  | Commitment to support fund raising efforts of those Therapists who are self-funding.                                                        |
|  | Have a valid passport to travel to Europe.                                                                                                  |
|  | I have read and understood the additional guidance provided.                                                                                |

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| <b>Signature</b> |  |
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| <b>Date</b> |  |
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| <b>Please fill in any comments or message about your application</b> |
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### Thank you

We appreciate your effort and interest in this opportunity. We will inform you of the outcome via the email address you have provided in due course. Should you have any further questions or need additional information, please contact us via [comms@thesst.org](mailto:comms@thesst.org).

Best wishes

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