

**EBR**European Board
of Radiology**EDiR**European Diploma
in Radiology

Guidelines Prof. Laura Oleaga Educational Grant

This document provides general guidelines to assist radiology residents applying for the Prof. Laura Oleaga Educational Grant.

1. Eligibility

Before submitting your application, please **ensure that you meet all the following criteria:**

- **Training:** Applicants must be radiology residents with a successful academic record and a minimum of four years of training and supervised practical experience completed at the time of application.
- **Country of residence:** Candidates must reside in one of the following:
 - Countries where the European Diploma in Radiology (EDiR) is fully or partially recognised: **Belgium (Flanders), Croatia, Finland, India, Pakistan, Poland, Romania, Slovenia and The Netherlands.**
 - Countries included in the *ESR Meets* programme for the corresponding congress year. For **ECR 2027**, these include **The Netherlands, Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan and Uzbekistan, Republic of Korea and Chile.**
- **Membership:** Candidates must be active ESR members (with a valid ESR Personal ID).
- Applicants of all ages are welcome to apply.

Selection priorities

- **Special emphasis is placed on teaching activities.** Applicants are strongly encouraged to highlight any roles, courses, or certifications that demonstrate a commitment to education and training.
- Applicants should describe **specific achievements**, such as:
 - Contributions to EDiR preparation workshops or study groups.
 - Participation as a mentor, organiser, or active participant in educational programmes.
 - Development of teaching materials, workshops, or instructional activities.
- Applicants should also explain **how these activities and roles enriched their knowledge, enhanced their skills, and reinforced their ability to succeed in EDiR-related challenges.**
- The selection committee will additionally take into account the **Residency end date** and any **relevant remarks** provided by reviewers, particularly in the case of a tie between candidates.

2. Documents required

Applicants must submit the following documents in **PDF format** to the EBR office (edirgrant@myebr.org):

A. Curriculum Vitae (max. 500 words, official template to be used)

Applicants **must use the official CV template** for the Prof. Laura Oleaga Educational Grant (available on the EBR website). Submissions in other formats will not be accepted.

The CV should be concise, structured, and tailored to highlight achievements relevant to radiology education and EDiR. The template includes the following sections:

- a. Full name, contact information (phone number and email address), location, and nationality.
- b. Academic qualifications in reverse chronological order (degree, institution, dates, honours/awards).
- c. Clinical training and relevant work experiences (including residencies, fellowships, internships, or research positions).
- d. Teaching and instructional roles (e.g. teacher, tutor, mentor).
- e. Research projects, publications, and presentations.
- f. Involvement in educational initiatives (e.g. workshops, training modules, development of teaching materials).
- g. Memberships in professional organisations (including ESR ID).
- h. Participation in EDiR-related activities (e.g. self-assessments, preparatory workshops).

B. Personal Statement (max. 250 words, to be completed in the questionnaire)

The personal statement should clearly outline:

- Your motivation and dedication to education and radiology.
 - The effort you have invested in your personal and professional growth.
 - The significance of this grant for your career development, knowledge acquisition, and teaching skills.
 - How you intend to apply what you learn to benefit your institution and the wider radiology community.
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C. Letter of Recommendation (max. 250 words)

The letter must be written by an **active ESR member** and should include:

- a. **Introduction:** Nature and duration of relationship with the candidate (e.g. supervisor, mentor).
 - b. **Academic background:** Candidate's field of study, degree programme, and performance.
 - c. **Professional abilities:** Skills, knowledge, and competencies, particularly related to education and teaching.
 - d. **Teaching & educational initiatives:** Roles as teacher, mentor, or organiser of workshops/educational projects. Emphasise creativity, initiative, and leadership.
 - e. **Character and professionalism:** Integrity, diligence, teamwork, and professional conduct.
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3. Submission and Deadline

- Applications must be submitted by **October 31**, or until the first **100 complete applications** have been received (whichever comes first).
- Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.