



The Physiological Society of India

Fellow of the Physiological Society of India (FPSI)

GUIDELINES FOR APPLYING FOR FPSI

1. Purpose of the FPSI Award

The FPSI title is a prestigious academic distinction conferred by the Physiological Society of India to recognize sustained excellence, leadership, and distinguished contributions to the discipline of Physiology and allied sciences. The award acknowledges achievements in teaching, research, mentorship, academic leadership, professional service, and societal impact.

2. Application Timeline and Submission Mode

Application must be submitted via email to psifellow@physiologicalsocietyofindia.org on or before 31st March of the concern year. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered under any circumstances.

a) Soft copy of applications must be submitted via email as a single consolidated PDF file. A single consolidated PDF file must be prepared, including all sections and a single web link containing supporting documents.

b) Bound hard copy of the application must be sent to PSI's Head Office.

3. Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must be Life Members of the Physiological Society of India. Selection is strictly merit-based and determined through structured evaluation supported by documentary evidence. There is no automatic entitlement.

4. Application Fee

A nonrefundable application fee of ₹1000/- (Rupees one thousand) to be submitted at the time of application. Proof of payment must be attached to the application.

Account Name: The Physiological Society of India

Account Number: 11152797306 IFSC: SBIN0001715

Bank Name: State Bank of India, Manicktala Branch.

Account Type: Savings Account

5. Structure of the Application File

Applicants must submit a PDF copy of the FPSI Application Rubric, available on the PSI Website (physiologicalsocietyofindia.org > Fellows > Apply for Fellowship; or directly click on: <https://physiologicalsocietyofindia.org/apply-for-fellowship>).



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The application PDF should include the completed application form with self-assessment scores, two recommendation letters from Fellows of PSI (FPSI), proof of payment of the application fee, and a single web link to all supporting documents for soft copy / photocopies of supporting documents for the hard copy.

Applicants must ensure that submitted applications are properly sequenced (by page number), that links are working, and that both submitted documents are legible.

6. Self-Assessment Instructions

Applicants must enter marks only in the Self-Assessment column, strictly in accordance with the rubric definitions. Academy Assessment columns must be left blank. Overclaiming without evidence may lead to rejection.

7. Evaluation Framework

The Hony. General Secretary or a nominated EC member will conduct initial scrutiny of the application files. Eligible applications will be evaluated independently by at least five FPSI Members of the PSI Academy. Final scores will be calculated as the average.

The FPSI application is evaluated using a 100-point rubric covering 16 domains (A–P). The minimum qualifying score is 70 marks.

A maximum of six applicants per year may be awarded FPSI.

8. Fellowship fees

A panel of eligible applicants will be assembled, and the top six applicants will be contacted by email to pay a nonrefundable Fellowship fee of ₹10,000 (Rupees ten thousand) within a stipulated date.

Failure to receive payment by the PSI Office within the stipulated date will result in cancellation of the application for that year.

9. Ethical Declaration

Applicants must certify that all submitted information is accurate and verifiable. Any false claim or academic misconduct will result in cancellation of FPSI, even after the award.

10. Communication

All correspondence related to FPSI applications must be made to General Secretary: general_secretary@physiologicalsocietyofindia.org. Applicants are advised to retain copies of all submitted documents for future reference.