"I have derived so much satisfaction from research work. Like my colleagues in Genome Institute of Singapore, science is our common bond and we aspire to make the world a better place through innovation and scientific discovery."

Dr Jonathan Loh
A*STAR Graduate Scholarship, NUS
AGS Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Harvard University

A*STAR International Fellowship (AIF)

The A*STAR International Fellowship provides PhD graduates with 2 years of fully funded post-doctoral training at top overseas laboratories to expand their research experience and learn new skills to advance their scientific careers. The international exposure will enable post docs to connect with the global research community and build international networks. Upon completion of their post-doctorate training, scholars can look forward to embarking on an exciting career at one of A*STAR’s Research Institutes.

Eligibility

- Final year or recent PhD graduates from Biomedical, Physical Sciences or Engineering at NUS, NTU or overseas institutions
- Excellent publication records
- Strong letter of endorsement from their PhD/relevant supervisors
- Candidates should have gained or be in the process of gaining admission into a relevant post-doctoral position at a top overseas university/laboratory
- Candidates should not have existing bonds to any institutions
- Open to Singaporeans, Singapore Permanent Residents or ASEAN Nationals.

Award Details*

Successful candidates will be given support for up to 2 years of overseas post-doctoral research training, comprising:

- Monthly sustenance allowance
- Monthly overseas living allowance
- Settling-in allowance
- Conference allowance
- Return airfares
- Health insurance coverage

*All rates/allowances vary according to country and university/lab, and are subject to A*STAR adjustments from time to time

Service Commitment

1 year

Application Procedure

To apply for AIF, or to find out more information about scholarship eligibility and award details, go to http://www.a-star.edu.sg/aif

Please submit application form with supporting documents by post to:

A*STAR Graduate Academy
Agency for Science, Technology and Research
20 Biopolis Way, #07-01 Centros
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AGS Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Imperial College London

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