



2026 EDUCATION GRANT SENIOR RESIDENT/FELLOW

Education Grants are available for senior residents or fellows to attend the 2026 MAOA Annual Meeting

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CRITERIA

Applicant must:

- Be a fellow (post-residency) or in last two years of residency at time of 2026 Annual Meeting | April 15 - 19, 2026
- Be the presenter of a podium or poster presentation at the 2026 Annual Meeting
- Be involved in an American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery or American Osteopathic Board of Orthopedic Surgery approved residency program in the [MAOA 20-state region](#)
- Be a United States citizen or have applied for US Citizenship
- Recipient must attend the MAOA Annual Meeting | April 15 - 19, 2026
- Possess strong ethical and moral standards and have the potential to be a contributing member of the Mid-America Orthopaedic Association.

SUBMISSION

Complete online application | www.maoa.org

Include the following:

- 500 – 1000 word essay covering the following:
 - Your role in the research project
 - What you hope to get out of the 2026 MAOA Annual Meeting
 - Future career plans
- Curriculum vitae
- Signed letter (by program director) indicating you are in good standing and able to attend the 2026 MAOA Annual Meeting | April 15 - 19, 2026
- The MAOA Board of Directors requires that a staff consultant who co-authors your paper be present at the annual meeting to respond to any questions that arise during discussion. Please notify your staff consultant of this prior to grant application submission.

**APPLICATION
DEADLINE**
DECEMBER 1, 2025

Apply online at www.maoa.org

Former recipients of any MAOA Education Grant are not eligible to apply

Please be advised that these funds may be considered taxable income. It is recommended that a tax accountant be consulted on this matter