



CONSORTIUM OF SLEEP TRAINING LABORATORIES

The World Federation of Sleep Research Societies is extremely proud to announce the creation of a Consortium of Sleep Training Laboratories. The Consortium was formed to provide an opportunity for students to visit a member laboratory where they can learn new techniques and improve their skills in and knowledge of sleep research. The opportunities offered by the Consortium will also broaden international scientific collaborations, which are becoming increasingly important in these times of global interdependence.

This brochure includes a listing of the participating laboratories, a description of the areas in which they can provide training and education, and Application Forms. The WFSRS will provide air travel for students as well as act as liaison between the laboratories and students. The laboratory which hosts the student will provide housing and a food allowance. Each student visit will last approximately two weeks, depending on the scientific purpose of the visit. Research periods of longer duration will be decided on an individual basis. The deadlines for applications are February 1st and September 1st.

Dr. Pier Luigi Parmeggiani has kindly agreed to head the Consortium and to receive and evaluate student applications. He will be assisted by Dr. Teruo Okuma and Dr. Mary Carskadon.

The WFSRS is excited about the opportunities that this Consortium will provide for future sleep researchers. We hope that the Consortium will benefit a corps of outstanding young scientists by giving them the opportunity to increase their knowledge in the field of sleep research.

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