



# National Museum Institute

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

### INDIAN TRAVEL GRANT FOR 20<sup>th</sup> ICOM-CC TRIENNIAL CONFERENCE, VALENCIA, SPAIN 18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2023

The National Museum Institute is offering a limited number of travel grants for conservation professionals who are actively engaged in conservation practice and/or teaching and research, and bonafide students of art conservation from India to attend the 20<sup>th</sup> Triennial Conference of ICOM-CC Valencia, Spain in September 2023.

#### WHAT THE FELLOWSHIP WILL COVER

The grant will cover international airfare (in the most reasonable level of economy class), conference registration fee, accommodation and a modest amount for sustenance and local travel in Valencia, for the duration of the conference. The grant does not cover expenses such as in-home-country travel, travel insurance, visa expenses, personal necessities etc. and it is expected that travel grant recipients will arrange funding to meet such expenses.

#### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

The eligibility criteria for the travel grant for ICOM-CC Valencia, Spain 2023 for Indian conservation professionals are as follows:

- Qualified Conservation professionals in art conservation who are currently employed in a museum or related institutions. Conservators in private practice with a minimum of three years of experience may also apply.
- Bonafied MA and PhD students in the field of Art Conservation.

#### Note:

- *Merely meeting the eligibility criteria does not guarantee that the applicant will receive the travel grant. The grant selection committee will consider all applications on the basis of a grading system and select most deserving candidates based on the quality of their proposals and their potential to contribute to the field of conservation.*
- *Priority will be given to the candidates if their paper and/or poster is accepted in the 20<sup>th</sup> ICOM-CC Triennial Conference or if the applicant is actively involved with ICOM-CC working groups as coordinators/assistant coordinators.*
- *The applicant must provide all necessary documents required for the application, including a CV and a letter of support (NOC) from their employer or institution.*

- *Preference will be given to the first-time grant applicants and the candidates who have not received the grant in the preceding two triennial conferences. If a candidate has already been accepted for Getty Travel Grant and applied for ICOM-CC Indian Travel grant, will not be eligible for both.*
- *Grants are not limited to ICOM members; however, preference will be given to individual members of ICOM and ICOM-CC, or Friends of ICOM-CC, or those working for an institution that is an institutional member of ICOM.*

## **HOW TO APPLY**

Applicants must submit the typed and completed application form available at the National Museum Institute's website ([www.nmi.gov.in](http://www.nmi.gov.in)). The Deadline for submission of application is 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2023. The application should be submitted to the grant secretariat only by email at: [conservation.nmi@gov.in](mailto:conservation.nmi@gov.in). Any questions about the travel grant should be directed to the grant secretariat at [conservation.nmi@gov.in](mailto:conservation.nmi@gov.in).

## APPLICATION FORM

**INDIAN TRAVEL GRANT to the 20<sup>th</sup> ICOM-CC TRIENNIAL CONFERENCE, Valencia, Spain, 18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2023**

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Middle Name</b>	<b>Family Name (Last Name)</b>
<b>Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy)</b>	<b>Gender</b>	<b>Country/Place of Birth</b>
<b>Address:</b>		
<b>Office Phone (+area code):</b>		
<b>Mobile Phone:</b>		
<b>E-Mail:</b>		

**Educational qualifications** (*Higher education, including training in art conservation*):

S.No.	Name of the Institution	Duration (From - To)	Degree Obtained (Title & Subjects)

**CURRENT PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION** (*Relevant to art conservation*)

<b>Current Institution/Organization:</b>	
<b>Job Title:</b>	<b>Since (Date):</b>
<b>Describe your current responsibilities and professional activities:</b>	

**Previous experience** (*relevant to art conservation*)

S.No.	Relevant Previous experience	Duration (From - To)	Professional Responsibilities


**Professional membership**

*(ICOM, ICOM-CC Friend ICOM-CC Student Friend or Voluntary association with ICOM-CC)*

**ICOM Number (as it appears on the ICOM card)**

**OR**

**ICOM-CC Friend or Student Friend Number**

**Whether membership renewed for 2023: YES**

**NO**

**Voluntary association with ICOM-CC (WG Coordinator/Assistant Coordinator):**

**Peer reviewed publication, research and dissemination in the field of conservation and/or significant conservation projects completed**

*(List your significant publications (title, journal/publisher, date) and/or conservation/research projects)*

S.No.	Details of publications/projects

**Have you ever received a grant to attend an ICOM-CC Conference? If yes, give details?**

S.No.	Name of the awarding body/grant	Year awarded

**Have you submitted paper(s)/poster(s) to ICOM-CC 20<sup>th</sup> Triennial Conference? If yes, specify the title of the contribution(s), ICOM-CC WG and the status of acceptance.**

S.No.	Submitted Paper/poster title & ICOM-CC WG	Author/co-author	Accepted/Rejected

**Provide name, position and contact information (address, E-mail & phone number) for two individuals who will write and provide you with reference letters.**

*(Please send the two reference letters WITH this application (in a single PDF file). The letters should be on letterhead, in English, signed and in pdf format and should clearly comment upon the candidate's professional competence, ability to network and disseminate the knowledge gained.)*

*Do NOT have your references send the letters separately or directly to the grant secretariat.*

Referee 1	Referee 2

**Provide four reasons why you want to participate in the 20<sup>th</sup> triennial conference of ICOM-CC (Maximum 100 words).**

**Please indicate how your experience at the Triennial Conference will influence your professional career and your day-to-day activities at your workplace. (Maximum 100 words).**

**Applicant's statement:**

*I declare that the above information is true and correct.*

**APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE**

**DATE & PLACE**

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*Please send the complete application form and recommendation letters by e-mail to the grant secretariat by 11<sup>th</sup> April 2023. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.*