

INTEGRATED HEALTH SECTION FELLOWS DESIGNATION

DEFINITIONS

FASMBS-IH



APPLICATION FEE: For the purposes of the FASMBS-IH, a \$100 application fee will be required for the initial application and for each subsequent 3-year cycle renewal application.

ASMBS CME/CEU HOURS: For the purposes of the FASMBS-IH, ASMBS CME/CEU hours will include ASMBS conferences, ASMBS online CBN review course, SOARD CME, ASMBS webinars, ASMBS/IFSO webinars, and state chapter educational activities, if CME and/or CEU credit is available and approved under ASMBS specifications.

ASMBS COMMITTEE CONTRIBUTIONS: For the purposes of the FASMBS-IH, ASMBS committee contributions will include the ASMBS Foundation, ASMBS appointments, committees, subcommittees, task force and work group participation.

CURRICULUM VITAE OR RESUME: Applicants should update their CV or resume to include all ASMBS service and leadership contributions. Some ASMBS examples to include: ASMBS awards and recognitions, other ASMBS-affiliated Foundation, ASMBS certificate and/or certifications, SOARD publications (i.e., case reports, review articles, updates, editorials, letters to the editor, controversies in bariatric surgery and other non-research articles), ASMBS webinar presentations, other ASMBS education contributions, advocacy, and more.

LEADERSHIP: For the purposes of the FASMBS-IH, leadership will be defined as those completed activities/terms that provide guidance, influence or direction to a committee, group or individual within ASMBS. Leadership will include such activities as:

- Chair or co-chair of a committee or task force,
- State chapter elected or appointed leadership roles,
- Director or co-director of a course requiring 3.5 hours or more of course content,
- Lead author of guidelines/consensus statements/position papers, standard research manuscripts in SOARD, and
- Leadership and member-at-large positions within the Integrated Health Section Executive Council.
- Editorial Board for SOARD
- Editor of an ASMBS Textbook

SERVICE: Service: For the purposes of the FASMBS-IH, service will be defined as those completed activities/terms that help or support the mission of the ASMBS. These activities will include:

- Committee participation as a member beyond a single 2-year term,
- Work group and task force participation,
- Contributions to education and research,
 - Director or co-director of a course requiring less than 3.5 hours of course content,
 - Invited speaker - original podium presentation,
 - Abstract oral presenter,
 - Poster abstract lead author,
 - Co-author of guidelines/consensus statements/position papers, and standard research manuscripts in SOARD.
 - ASMBS Textbook chapter author
 - Peer Review at least six SOARD publications per year, for at least two years (years do not need to be nonconsecutive)

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