



2027 PSAD Axel Hirsch Travel Fellowship/Award for People with Lived Experience

PSAD values the perspectives and involvement of people with diabetes in research and clinical practice. Their lived experience offers essential expertise that enables organisations, researchers, and clinicians to develop more effective and equitable health and social interventions. We are committed to making a meaningful impact and actively encourage people living with diabetes to participate in PSAD annual meetings. We believe that networking and sharing insights on diabetes and its challenges will advance research, clinical practice, and the care of people with diabetes.

The PSAD Axel Hirsch Travel Fellowship/Award for People with Lived Experience provides individuals living with diabetes the opportunity to attend the PSAD Annual Meeting, connect with peers, and engage in diabetes research and clinical practice. We are eager to hear your thoughts on how you can contribute to the PSAD meeting and what valuable insights you hope to share with your community afterwards. Our goal is to make your time at the PSAD meeting rewarding for you and beneficial for everyone involved.

Purpose: Fund participation of people with lived diabetes experience at the annual PSAD scientific meeting, so lived experience directly informs diabetes psychosocial research and care.

3 PSAD Axel Hirsch Travel Fellowships:

- three awards for people with lived experience
- each travel fellowship will be €500

All awardees will also receive complimentary registration to the 31st PSAD annual scientific meeting and a one-year PSAD membership.

The PSAD Organising Committee and PSAD Executive Committee