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The Eye Cancer Foundation in association with Calle Ophthalmic & Orbit Oncology Center and National Ophthalmological Foundation in Bogotá (Colombia), is pleased to announce a new call for 6-month fellowship in Ocular and Orbit Oncology, for education and clinical training in retinoblastoma as well as a broad experience in other ocular and orbit oncology areas, for ophthalmologist from South America, Central America and Caribbean countries.

Candidates must send your complete documentation to centroftalmorbita@gmail.com. Once the documents are received, they will review, and the final decision will be made by the Foundation board.

Candidates Requirements:

- 1- Complete bio sketch (with photo)
- 2- Fluency in Spanish and English
- 3- Completed Ophthalmology Residency (certificate required)
- 4- Completed their national ophthalmological association appointment (certificate required)
- 5- Letter of recommendation from candidates Chair/Chief of Service including a commitment to take the fellow back to practice ophthalmic oncology in their country
- 6- Preferably be under 40 years old
- 7- Will co-author in at least 1 publication
- 8- Deadline to send documents is January 31st, 2024
- 9- The fellowship is scheduled to initiate on April 1st, 2024

- The Eye Cancer Foundation (ECF) will issue a stipend to the candidate for \$6.000USD given (monthly) upon complete each month for 6-month clinical experience resulting in an Ophthalmic Oncology Certification from the Eye Cancer Foundation and associates.
- COVID-19, influenza, hepatitis B, chickenpox, updated vaccination is required
- The candidate must attach a current national or international (preferred) health and accident policy for the training period.

Visa requirements: Passport valid for more than six months. We will provide proof of invitation.

- Countries that are members of the Andean community (Bolivia, Ecuador, Peru) or Mercosur (Brazil, Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay, Venezuela, Chile, Guyana, Suriname) can present a citizenship card or national identity document and fill out the Andean immigration card, Visa PID-E at the time of admission. Candidate can do this process online at: http://www.cancilleria.gov.co/tramites_servicios/visas/solicitud-visa-linea

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