

## Call for applications for the position of Member of the Young Talent Group

## UEG calls for 4 motivated and proactive volunteers to become YTG members

- See the <u>role description</u> for the position of member of the Young Talent Group for more detailed information about the group's tasks and structure.
- Term of office: January 1, 2026 December 31, 2027.
- Age limit: max. 35 years when starting the term (born January 1, 1990 and later.<sup>1</sup>)
- Candidates must reside in Europe, in a country bordering the Mediterranean Sea, or in a country represented by a <u>UEG National Member Society</u>
- Considering the regional representation of group members in 2025, applicants from Ireland, the Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, and the UK cannot be considered.
- Candidates do not necessarily have to be active members of UEG Specialist or National Member Societies.
- Previous experience in comparable volunteer work is an asset.<sup>2</sup>

Diversity is at the core of our organisation and community. UEG unites individuals of all genders, ages, backgrounds, ethnicities, abilities, and experiences. We continue to strive for equality of opportunity and inclusion and invite a diverse field of applicants for this position.

This application is available for all myUEG Young GI Associates.

## Process to become a member

Interested candidates are asked to

- Read the role description to gain a deeper understanding of the scope of the position
- Browse the UEG website to familiarise themselves with what UEG is already doing for young specialists
- Seek support from their head of department in the form of a letter of recommendation
- Complete the online application form

**Important**: Applications that do not fulfil the following formal requirements cannot be considered:

- o CV must fit on one page
- Confirmation from the head of department must include the sentence: "In case of their selection, the candidate will be allowed to take the position according to the duties outlined in the role description, including attendance to UEG Week and relevant business meetings."

Deadline for applications: March 14, 2025

All applications will be reviewed by the current YTG members in terms of fulfilment of formal criteria, the applicants' motivation, ideas, previous experience in comparable volunteer work (e.g. in medical or scientific organisations), and previous active contribution to UEG. In addition, applications will also be discussed individually to achieve regional and gender balance, as well as a broad representation of all specialisations in digestive health (incl. basic science, surgery etc.) of the group. The final selection must be approved by the National Societies Committee.

All applicants will be notified of their application results by end of June 2025. Successful candidates should be prepared to attend meetings (especially at UEG Week) already before their term officially starts, to get to know the group and their activities.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact Kelly Brazdzionis (<u>k.brazdzionis@ueg.eu</u>) at UEG Headquarters Management.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Main carers of children can apply for an extension of the age limit (2 years for one child and max. 4 years for two or more children). To do so, submit a signed <u>confirmation of childcare responsibilities</u> to Kelly Brazdzionis(k.brazdzionis@ueg.eu).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> If you are not eligible but still want to contribute to UEG, consider applying to the <u>Talent Pool</u>.