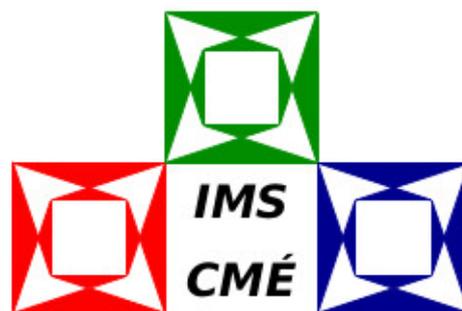


**Kovalevskaya Grants / IMS Travel Grants  
to support participation at the  
International Congress of Mathematicians,  
Saint Petersburg, 6 – 14 July 2022.**



**The International Congress of Mathematicians** (the ICM) is the flagship mathematics conference held every four years under the auspices of the International Mathematical Union of which Ireland is a member. Participants at the ICM number in the thousands. The next congress will be held in Saint Petersburg from 6–14 July 2022. At the ICM, the IMU awards some of the most prestigious prizes in mathematics including the IMU Abacus Medal, the Carl Friedrich Gauss Prize, the Chern Medal Award, the Leelavati Prize, the ICM Emmy Noether Lecture and, of course, the Fields Medals.

**Kovalevskaya Grants and IMS Travel Grants.** In order to encourage participation from early-career researchers, the Local Organising Committee (LOC) of ICM22 has established grants for such researchers called the **Kovalevskaya Grants**. Through these generous grants, the LOC will waive the registration fee, pay for all local expenses including accommodation and meals, organize logistics in Saint-Petersburg and provide visa-free entry.

The LOC has asked the IMS, as well as other adhering organisations of the IMU and national mathematical societies, to solicit applications for these grants, choose top quality candidates, and secure travel funding to the ICM for successful applicants. The IMS, for its part, offers about four **IMS Travel Grants**, to a maximum of €400 each, to cover return travel to Saint Petersburg. The IMS may nominate further top quality candidates for a Kovalevskaya Grant who are in a position to fund travel to Saint Petersburg either through their own research funds or local departmental support.

**Eligibility and application procedure.** The IMS will assess applications from top quality early-career mathematicians based in Ireland or with a strong connection to Ireland. Taking its lead from the LOC, the IMS will interpret the term *early-career mathematician* with a certain flexibility. To give some context, we welcome applications from PhD students at the latter stages of their degree and from researchers who are no more than about five years from the award of the PhD.

Applicants are required to complete an application form and return same to [Kovalevskaya\\_Grant@irishmathsoc.org](mailto:Kovalevskaya_Grant@irishmathsoc.org).

Applicants should register for the ICM (without paying a registration fee) and include their registration reference number, their "ICM22 number", on this form.

All applications are reviewed by the IMS Committee.

Names of successful candidates are then forwarded to the LOC.

The closing date is 30 September 2021; early application is encouraged.