



**Application Form
Emerging Leaders Programme 2016**



Part I: Introduction

Emerging Leaders Programme ISQua Programme for Developing Tomorrow's LMIC Leaders

The International Society for Quality in Health Care (ISQua), is offering applicants from developing countries or countries with economies in transition, an opportunity to apply for our Emerging Leaders Programme.

Aim: The aim of this Programme is to identify, develop and support emerging leaders from LMIC through the ISQua network.

Training and supporting emerging leaders from LMIC is a means of advancing quality and safety in healthcare in those countries through geometric progression. Strategically placed leaders have a capacity to transfer knowledge, ideas and skills to groups of those they are in a position to influence who in turn may transfer knowledge to extended groups.

Encouraging and practically supporting strategically placed emerging leaders will accelerate this process.

Part II: What is involved in this Programme?

ISQua encourages direct applications from interested individuals and also welcomes third party nominations of individuals who are considered to be future leaders in quality and safety in health care.

Each year, one applicant will be chosen by our Committee as the Emerging Leader of that year. A programme will be tailored to suit the needs and existing skills of that individual. A typical programme will involve travel abroad where the individual will work with, and learn from, skilled people in their field. The objective of the Emerging Leaders Programme is that the participant will then take this new learning use it to help implement projects or processes in their own country when they return.

Part III: Who is Eligible to Apply?

ISQua is searching for tomorrow's leaders. To be eligible to apply for the Emerging Leaders Programme you must have:

- High order of ethical integrity
- High level of knowledge and skills
- Potential to become leader
- Commitment to become a healthcare leader in your country of origin
- Support from the Government and/or institutional (eg hospital or university) and/or professional association in your country of origin
- Fluency in the English language



Part IV: How to Apply

Applicants may be self-nominated or be nominated for the Programme by a third party. In order to apply for this Programme you must complete this application form and submit all the required documentation listed below to Caroline Usher (cusher@isqua.org) by 30 June 2016.

Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Documentation: (Please tick boxes to indicate that you have included the required documentation with your application):

In the case of **both** applications and nominations:

Mandatory:

- Letters of support from the government, health ministry, health department and/ or recognised healthcare organisation in the country of origin is required. **Please note, it is important that the Emerging Leader is offered support upon their return from the Programme to develop and implement national health policy or at least to influence the direction of policy in their country.**
- A statement of commitment to return to country of origin is required.
- A statement outlining how completing the ISQua Emerging Leaders Programme will promote safety and quality in health care in country of origin is required.

Desired:

- Letters of support and references from Institutional and/ or Individual Members of ISQua are desirable but not mandatory.

Part V: Details of the application (please complete this form in block capitals)

Please indicate which type of application this is:

- Self-Nomination
- Nomination of a candidate other than yourself

Insert the details of the candidate to be considered for the Emerging Leaders Programme below:

Title:	First name:	Last name:
Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	/ /	Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Contact details (For telephone please provide country and city codes)		

