The SNMMI Wagner-Torizuka Fellowship sponsored by Nihon Medi-Physics Co. LTD, is a one- or two-year fellowship in the United States and Canada for Japanese physicians in the early stages of their careers.

The purpose of the program is to provide experience and training in nuclear medicine/molecular imaging modalities in the areas of cardiology, neurology and oncology.

This program is expected to advance Fellows’ research and clinical expertise, facilitate professional development, and to equip them to make significant contributions to the field of nuclear medicine in Japan. An annual stipend of $24,000 U.S. dollars will be paid in three installments to the fellow(s).

“This program will greatly contribute to the further progress of nuclear medicine in Japan. I strongly hope that young Japanese physicians will have invaluable experiences in the United States through this wonderful program, and then they would lead the exciting new era of nuclear medicine and molecular imaging in Japan keeping tight collaboration and friendship with our dear colleagues in the United States.”

Kanji Torizuka, MD, PhD
Co-founder of the Wagner-Torizuka Fellowship

“For almost half a century, Japanese physicians and scientists have studied nuclear medicine in the United States. Scores of them founded and now head Departments of Nuclear Medicine and Radiology in Japan. This fellowship is a step toward insuring that this outstanding relationship will continue far into the future of this exciting, new, revolutionary specialty of molecular imaging.”

Henry N. Wagner, Jr., MD
Co-founder of the Wagner-Torizuka Fellowship