97th Annual Meeting
The American Association of Immunologists

May 7–11, 2010
Baltimore Convention Center
Baltimore, Maryland

Abstracts and Registrations Invited

AAI Abstract Submission Site Now Open!

Important Deadlines:
- January 19, 2010  Abstract Submissions Deadline
- January 22, 2010  Travel Award/Grant Applications Due
- March 15, 2010  Early Registration Ends

- Submit your Abstract for Presentation
- Register for the Meeting
- View the Preliminary Scientific Program
- See the Schedule of Fantastic Social Events!
- Apply for Awards
- Reserve your Hotel Room
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Call for 2010 Travel Award and Grant Applications
Application Deadline: January 22, 2010

Cynthia Chambers Memorial-eBioscience Junior Faculty Award — Established to honor the memory of AAI member Dr. Cynthia Chambers, this award is intended to advance the careers of junior scientists who attend the AAI Annual Meeting and present an outstanding abstract specifically in the area of cancer biology. The awardee will receive a $1,000 cash award and a certificate during an Awards Ceremony at the AAI Annual Meeting. This award is generously supported by eBioscience, Inc.

Pfizer-Showell Travel Award — This award recognizes the professional promise of an early career investigator (assistant professor or equivalent) by assisting the award recipient with travel to the AAI Annual Meeting to present his or her research. Selection is based on career progress and submission of an outstanding abstract, preferably one selected for oral presentation in a Block Symposium at the meeting. The award recipient must attend the annual AAI Business Meeting and Awards Presentation held during the Annual Meeting, where he/she will be recognized and presented with his/her award. Support of up to $1,500 will be provided for meeting registration and travel. This award is supported through an endowment from Henry J. Showell and Pfizer, Inc.

AAI-Invitrogen Trainee Achievement Award — This award recognizes up to 6 promising trainees in the field of immunology. Awardees will receive a $1,000 cash prize, travel support to attend the AAI Annual Meeting, and meeting registration. Selection is based on career promise and presentation of an outstanding first-author abstract selected for oral presentation in a Block Symposium. This award is supported through a generous grant from Invitrogen Corporation.

AAI Trainee Abstract Award — This award provides a cash prize of $500 to AAI Trainee Members (students and postdoctoral fellows) whose first-author abstract submitted to the AAI Annual Meeting is selected for oral presentation in a Block Symposium. Successful candidates must be the first author and an AAI Trainee Member in good standing as of January 22, 2010.

AAI Minority Scientist Travel Awards Program — This program provides eligible mentors, trainees and/or junior faculty members registration and travel support for attendance at the AAI Annual Meeting. Two types of awards are available, with separate eligibility requirements: Faculty Mentor and Minority Trainee, and Minority Trainee or Junior Faculty. These awards are funded by a grant from the National Institute of General Medical Sciences, National Institutes of Health [FASEB MARC Program: T36-GM08059-27].

AAI Junior Faculty Travel Grant — AAI is pleased to offer travel grants of $700 for young investigators to attend the AAI Annual Meeting. Applicants must submit a first-author abstract to IMMUNOLOGY 2010™.

For complete AAI Award eligibility requirements, application instructions, and Trainee Certification form, visit http://www.aai.org/Awards. The 2010 AAI Awards will be presented at:

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AAI Courses in Immunology

2010 Introductory Course in Immunology
June 26 – July 1, 2010
The University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

Director: Terri M. Laufer, M.D., University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine
Co-Director: Christopher A. Hunter, Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine

This intensive two-part course taught by world-renowned immunologists provides a comprehensive overview of the basics of immunology. This course is for students new to the discipline or those seeking more information to complement general biology or science training. Part I (June 26 – 28) is a detailed introduction to the basic principles of immunology and is suitable for students with a general biology background. Part II (June 29 – July 1) is a clinically oriented lecture series. Parts I and II may be taken independently at the discretion of the student.

2010 Advanced Course in Immunology
July 25 – July 30, 2010
The University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

Director: Yoji Shimizu, Ph.D., University of Minnesota Medical School
Co-Director: Stephen C. Jameson, Ph.D., University of Minnesota Medical School

This intensive annual course is designed for serious students of immunology. Leading experts will present recent advances in understanding the biology of the immune system and its role in health and disease. This course is intended for advanced trainees and scientists who wish to expand or update their understanding of the field. This is not an introductory course, and attendees will need to have a firm understanding of the principles of immunology.

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT: www.aai.org/Courses.htm.
Please direct inquiries to Kira Gantt, Ph.D., at kgantt@aai.org or 301-634-7818.

Overseas applicants are advised to apply early for visas. Visit: http://aai.org/Courses/VisaInformation.htm.

Financial support for underrepresented minority scientists is available through the FASEB MARC Program for the 2010 Introductory Course in Immunology. Visit: http://marc.faseb.org.
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