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NEW—AAI Trainee Poster Award

This award provides up to $500 travel reimbursement to AAI trainee members (students and postdoctoral fellows) whose first-author abstracts submitted to the AAI annual meeting are selected for poster sessions only and found to be exceptional by the AAI Abstract Programming Chairs. Selection is based on the originality and significance of the research being presented.

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. Selection is based on career progress and submission of an outstanding abstract selected for oral presentation in a block symposium at the meeting. The award recipient will be recognized and presented with a certificate at an awards presentation program at the AAI annual meeting. 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-LIFE Technologies Trainee Achievement Award

This award recognizes up to 6 promising trainees in the field of immunology. Selection is based on career promise and presentation of an outstanding first-author abstract selected for oral presentation in a block symposium. Awardees will receive a $1,000 cash prize and reimbursement for meeting expenses. This award is generously supported through a grant from Life Technologies Corporation.

AAI Early Career Faculty Travel Grant

These grants assist young investigators (assistant professor or equivalent) in attending the AAI annual meeting. Recipients will be reimbursed up to $1,500 for registration and travel expenses.

Chambers-eBioscience Memorial Award

Established to honor the memory of AAI member Dr. Cynthia Chambers, this award is intended to advance the career of an early career scientist who attends the AAI annual meeting and presents an outstanding abstract specifically in the area of cancer biology. The award recipient will receive a $1,000 cash award, meeting registration at the early rate, and a certificate during an awards presentation program at the AAI annual meeting. This award is generously supported through a grant from eBioscience, Inc.

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AAI Minority Scientist Travel Award

This award provides travel support to eligible AAI members to attend the AAI annual meeting. Two types of awards are available (trainee, junior faculty), providing support of up to $2,250 for registration and meeting-related travel expenses. This award is generously supported through the FASEB Minority Access to Research Careers (MARC) program and a grant from the National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS), NIH.

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AAI Undergraduate Faculty Travel Grant

These grants assist undergraduate faculty in attending the AAI annual meeting. Each grant will also support travel costs for an undergraduate student of the recipient's selection. A grant of up to $1,500 is awarded to the undergraduate faculty member, and a grant of up to $1,000 is awarded to the selected undergraduate student (registration for an undergraduate student is complimentary).

AAI Laboratory Travel Grant

These grants assist mid-career investigators in attending the AAI annual meeting. Applicants must hold an appointment of associate professor or equivalent, have limited support for travel (total funding not to exceed $300,000 per year), and be a first or last author on one or more abstracts submitted to the AAI annual meeting. Each grant will provide two travel awards of up to $1,500 each: one to the PI or laboratory director and another to a member of his or her lab, chosen by the PI or laboratory director. Recipients will be reimbursed for registration and travel expenses.

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In 2013 AAI anticipates honoring more than 800 scientists for their research achievements and professional promise by providing awards and grants totaling over $800,000. AAI members enjoy the opportunity to nominate a worthy colleague for recognition or apply for a travel grant in support of their own careers.

AAI provides travel support for talented scientists-in-training to participate in its annual meeting. For IMMUNOLOGY 2013™, AAI will offer a new AAI Trainee Poster Award program in addition to the AAI Trainee Abstract Awards granted each year. Both awards provide travel reimbursements to trainee member first-authors of exceptional abstracts.

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July 13–18, 2013
The University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Director: Michael P. Cancro, Ph.D.
University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine
Co-Director: Christopher A. Hunter, Ph.D.
University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine

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Seaport World Trade Center, Boston, Massachusetts

Director: Leslie J. Berg, Ph.D.
University of Massachusetts 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.

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