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MARC TRAVEL AWARDS ANNOUNCED FOR THE ASIP 2010 SUMMER ACADEMY

Bethesda, MD – FASEB MARC (Minority Access to Research Careers) Program has announced the travel award recipients for the American Society for Investigative Pathology (ASIP) 2010 Summer Academy in Rockville, Maryland from June 26-28, 2010. These awards are meant to promote the entry of underrepresented minority students, postdoctorates and scientists into the mainstream of the basic science community and to encourage the participation of young scientists at the ASIP 2010 Summer Academy. This year MARC conferred 5 awards totaling \$9,250.

The FASEB MARC Program is funded by a grant from the National Institute of General Medical Sciences, National Institutes of Health. A primary goal of the MARC Program is to increase the number and competitiveness of underrepresented minorities engaged in biomedical and behavioral research.

The following course participants have been selected to receive FASEB MARC Travel Awards:

Angel S. Byrd, Brown University/Rhode Island Hospital [ASIP/ASBMB member]
Diana P. Londono, Massachusetts General Hospital
Cindy A. Thomas, Stony Brook University
Jason Terrance Wells, University of Texas, San Antonio
Cecelia C. Yates, University of Pittsburgh

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