MARC TRAVEL AWARDS ANNOUNCED FOR
THE 26th ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM OF THE PROTEIN SOCIETY

Bethesda, MD – FASEB MARC (Maximizing Access to Research Careers) Program has announced the travel award recipients for The 26th Annual Symposium of The Protein Society in San Diego, CA from August 5-8, 2012. 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 26th Annual Symposium of The Protein Society.

Awards are given to poster/platform presenters and faculty mentors paired with the students/trainees they mentor. This year MARC conferred 3 awards totaling $5,550.

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 have been selected to receive a FASEB MARC Travel Award for their poster/platform presentation:

Jason Collins, Old Dominion University
Deborah Girma, University of Maryland, Baltimore County
Daniel Schlingman, Yale University

FASEB is composed of 26 societies with more than 100,000 members, making it the largest coalition of biomedical research associations in the United States. Celebrating 100 Years of Advancing the Life Sciences in 2012, FASEB is rededicating its efforts to advance health and well-being by promoting progress and education in biological and biomedical sciences through service to our member societies and collaborative advocacy.