

MEAK 009 Policy for Travel Awards and Studentships/Fellowships

MEAK009 Meakins-Christie Laboratories Policies and Procedures			
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1. Overview

Travel awards, studentships, and fellowships are regularly offered to trainees at the Meakins Christie Laboratories.

2. Travel Awards

Travel award applications can be submitted anytime throughout the year before the expected meeting date. In order to receive a travel award, a trainee must be 1st author/presenting author. There will be a maximum of 1 travel award per student per year. For travel awards to attend any meeting other than the ATS, there will be a limit to 1 travel award per lab, yearly. For travel awards to attend the ATS, there is no limit to the number of awards one lab may apply for.

Eligibility for travel awards will depend on attendance at Meakins work-in-progress and research seminars. Awardees are expected to present their research projects at the Annual Respiratory Research Day.

3. Studentships and Fellowships

Eligibility for studentships and fellowships will depend on attendance at Meakins work-in-progress, research seminars, and lunch roundtables. Competitions are typically launched one time per year and alternate between graduate studentships and PDF fellowships. Awardees are expected to present their research projects at the Annual Respiratory Research Day.

4. Summer Studentships

Summer studentships are offered each summer, subject to the availability of funds. If an undergraduate trainee receives an award, presentation at the annual summer student research day is mandatory (typically occurs in early August).

5. Available Competitions

Current competitions can be found on the website: http://www.meakinsmcgill.com/trainee-funding/