

## **TxDx COP REIMBURSEMENT TRAVEL GRANT FOR ATC**

Dear Fellow TxDx COP Members,

The 2019 ATC meeting is fast approaching and we are planning the TxDx COP scientific & business meeting. We urge all members to attend and become more active in our COP! One of the hallmarks of our gathering is the presentation of interesting case studies for lively discussion among our TxDx members. We would like our early career members who qualify to find their most interesting case and **the top three will be selected to receive an ATC reimbursement travel grant in the amount of \$900.00**. Please see the details below for qualifications for the Grant. The deadline for submissions is **Monday, March 18, 2019**.

### **AST TRANSPLANT DIAGNOSTIC COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE ATC REIMBURSEMENT TRAVEL GRANT FOR BEST CLINICAL CONSULTATION CASE PRESENTATION**

#### **Qualifications for the BEST CLINICAL CONSULTATION CASE PRESENTATION**

1. Current member of AST and the AST Transplant Diagnostic COP
2. Current trainees and members within first five (5) years after completing terminal training program. (students, residents, and fellows are eligible)
3. Grant applicant must be lead author and presenter of the case

#### **Application Requirements for these ATC Travel Grants**

1. A description of the case in ATC abstract format (background; methods; results; conclusion) highlighting its importance and education value. We encourage inclusion of graphs, figures, and images. **CLINICAL CONSULTATION CASE PRESENTATION** and should be submitted [via this link](#) by **Monday, March 18, 2019**

#### **Judging of Case Submission**

1. At least three (3) members of the Transplant Diagnostic COP will review and score each submission based on the following criteria:
  - o Quality of the case (1 to 5)
  - o Impact of the case on current transplant practice (1 to 5)
  - o Impact of the case to the current body of literature in transplant diagnostics (1 to 5)
  - o The case addresses an unmet need (1 to 5)

#### **Expectations of Recipients**

If your case is selected, you will receive the travel grant and be expected to give a 10-minute oral presentation of your case to the TxDx COP community at our business meeting during the 2019 ATC meeting (**date and time TBA**).

#### **Grant**

Three \$900.00 reimbursement Travel Grants for assistance to ATC in Boston, MA on June 1 - 5, 2019

#### **[Link to the Application Form](#)**

**\*\*\*Please Note: Recipients of the ATC Young Investigator Award or a Travel Grant from another COP are not eligible for this Grant\*\*\***

Information regarding the ATC meeting can be found at: <http://atcmeeting.org/>

**Please encourage your trainees and junior faculty to submit!**

Best regards-  
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