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To,
The Intersociety Council for Pathology Information (ICPI), Inc,
9650 Rockville Pike
Bethesda, MD 20814-3993

Dear Members of the ICPI Board,

I would like to thank you for awarding me the ICPI grant, which enabled me to attend the ASCP 2013 Annual meeting held in Chicago (September 18-21, 2013). This meeting not only gave me an opportunity to meet excellent mentors but also network with my peers during my poster presentation.

The round-table conference gave me an opportunity to have a one-on-one conversation with experienced pathologists. I got an opportunity to attend the TRIG (Training Residents in Genomics) Resident Workshop organized by Dr. Richard L. Haspel, Chair of the TRIG working group. Hence, this conference gave me an overview of the future trends in pathology. The teaching sessions were an invaluable part of my education as a pathologist-in-training.

I sincerely appreciate the efforts of the ICPI board to provide financial support to residents to participate in these national meetings. The meetings not only empower us with tools for our careers but also give us a vision of the innovative technologies in the field of diagnostic medicine.

Sincerely,
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