

Dated: 03/18/2014

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

Re: Travel award

Dear ICPI Board,

I am grateful to receive ICPI travel award to present my study entitled –“Autopsy trends and disparities by clinical specialty at a tertiary care center” at the USCAP meeting in San Diego. My abstract was accepted as a poster presentation and I successfully attended and presented my findings from 03/01/2014 to 03/05/2014.

Attending USCAP meeting, one of the largest pathology meetings was very fruitful and I received good number of feedbacks from pathologists/residents from all over the world. One of the comments I received was “Oh! this is an interesting trend, we know medical autopsy numbers are going down and I am glad someone is concerned about it.” There were several other benefits from this meeting for example, being able to attend several educational lectures, learn about many other research conducted at other institutes in the U.S. and globally, and talk to professors and meet with residents. I believe this meeting benefitted me in several direct and indirect ways which are important to help build my career.

Once again, I would like to thank ICPI Board for offering me the travel award. This travel award truly encourages trainees to participate in research/educational convention and provide them with an opportunity to present their research work, learn efficiently, and also enjoy a new place. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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