New This Week

Letters of Intent Due Next Week for Research Scholar Awards

Urology Care Foundation Research Scholar Awards provide $40,000 per year for one- or two-year mentored research training for clinical and postdoctoral fellows or early-career faculty. Sponsoring institutions provide additional financial support, an outstanding research environment and access to excellent mentorship. At least 21 awards are available for this year's competition, including funding specific to Peyronie's disease, prostate cancer, endourology, and sexual medicine. A letter of intent is required and is due by 5:00PM EDT on August 8, 2019. The application deadline is September 5, 2019.

SBUR Annual Meeting | Novel Discoveries in Urology: Big Data to Microbiome

The Society for Basic Urology's annual meeting will be held on November 7-10, 2019 at the New Orleans Downtown Marriott Convention Center in New Orleans, Louisiana. Plenary sessions will cover topics in endocrine and metabolic dysfunctions, immunology and immunotherapy, targeting benign disease, and innovative technologies. Abstracts are now being accepted for presentation during one of two poster sessions, and the top eight travel award winners will also be given a podium presentation during plenary sessions. The abstract submission deadline for travel awards is August 31, 2019.

2018-2019 Global Oncology Survey of NCI-Designated Cancer Centers Summary Report

This report is a collaborative initiative between the National Cancer Institute (NCI), the American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO), and the 70 NCI-Designated Cancer Centers across the U.S. to learn about the non-NIH-funded global oncology activities led by NCI-Designated Cancer Centers. It is the first of its kind to highlight non-NIH-funded global oncology programs at Cancer Centers and global oncology projects led by Cancer Centers with international collaborators. The report is intended to facilitate both information sharing and collaboration; and serve as a catalyst for the global oncology community to discuss ways to prioritize and coordinate, where appropriate, in global oncology research and training.
Conferences & Workshops

Societies for Pediatric Urology Fall Congress

The Societies for Pediatric Urology Fall Congress will be held on September 26-29, 2019 at the Westin Kierland in Scottsdale, Arizona. This year’s meeting features an extended program that will officially begin a day early on Thursday. The symposium program and abstracts will be available soon.

Register Now

Register Now! StoneLab Scientific Symposium: Thinking Outside the Box for Kidney Stone Disease

This meeting, co-hosted by the AUA and the Endourological Society, is focused on interdisciplinary and innovative translational research in kidney stone disease and will be held on December 6–7, 2019 at AUA Headquarters in Linthicum, Maryland. The symposium will create an opportunity where premier kidney stone and nephrology researchers can come together with experts in biomedical engineering, physics, chemistry, artificial intelligence, and medical device design and development, with the aim of “thinking outside the box” in the search for advances in kidney stone treatment. The travel award application deadline is September 23, 2019.

Register Now

Funding Opportunities

2020 SMSNA Research Competition Now Open

The Sexual Medicine Society of North America (SMSNA) “Scholars in Sexuality Research Grants Program” offers young investigators interested in sexuality research the opportunity to obtain funding to support their research while engaged in qualifying research in sexuality. Funding is available for graduate or medical students, residents in graduate medical education training programs, and post-doctoral/post-residency fellows. The application deadline is September 30, 2019.

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The NCI Predoctoral to Postdoctoral Fellow Transition Award (F99/K00)

The purpose of this award is to encourage and retain outstanding graduate students recognized by their institutions for their high potential and strong interest in pursuing careers as independent cancer researchers. The award will facilitate the transition of talented graduate students into successful cancer research postdoctoral appointments, and provide opportunities for career development activities relevant to their long-term career goals of becoming independent cancer researchers. The application deadline is December 4, 2019.

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