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## Fellowships

<b>Careers in Immunology Fellowships</b>	<b>March 15</b>	Provide member PIs with one year of salary support for a graduate student or postdoctoral fellow in their labs.	Up to \$66,228 in salary support
<b>Intersect Fellowships for Computational Scientists and Immunologists</b>	<b>September 4</b>	Support immunology researchers and computational scientists to train in each other's discipline. PIs receive one year of salary support for a postdoctoral fellow.	Up to \$66,228 in salary support
<b>Fellowships for Career Reentry</b>	<b>September 4</b>	Provide one year of salary support to postdoctoral fellows who have taken a leave of absence of one year or more due to family-related issues, medical absences, or military obligations.	Up to \$66,228 in salary support

## Career Awards

<b>Excellence in Mentoring Award</b>	<b>September 20</b>	Recognizes a senior scientist who has significantly influenced the professional development and careers of a new generation.	Up to \$2,000 in travel reimbursement to attend the AAI annual meeting
<b>Steinman Award for Human Immunology Research</b>	<b>September 20</b>	Recognizes an individual who has made significant contributions to the understanding of immune processes underlying human disease pathogenesis, prevention, or therapy. The recipient will present an award lecture at the AAI annual meeting.	\$5,000 award and up to \$2,000 in travel reimbursement to attend the annual meeting
<b>BioLegend Herzenberg Award</b>	<b>September 20</b>	Recognizes an individual who has made exemplary research contributions to the field of B cell biology. The recipient will present an award lecture at the AAI annual meeting.	\$5,000 award and up to \$2,000 in travel reimbursement to attend the annual meeting
<b>Thermo Fisher Meritorious Career Award</b>	<b>September 20</b>	Recognizes a mid-career scientist for outstanding research contributions to the field of immunology. The recipient will present an award lecture at the AAI annual meeting.	\$10,000 award and up to \$2,000 in travel reimbursement to attend the annual meeting
<b>BD Biosciences Investigator Award</b>	<b>September 20</b>	Recognizes an early career investigator who has made outstanding contributions to the field of immunology. The recipient will present an award lecture at the AAI annual meeting.	\$5,000 award and up to \$2,000 in travel reimbursement to attend the annual meeting
<b>ASPIRE Award</b>	<b>September 20</b>	Recognizes up to six outstanding early career investigators for research accomplishments and professional promise in the field of immunology. The recipients will present their research in a symposium at the AAI annual meeting.	\$2,000 award and up to \$1,500 in reimbursement to attend the annual meeting
<b>Lancefield Mid-Career Achievement Award</b>	<b>September 20</b>	Recognizes an outstanding mid-career woman investigator for research and leadership in the field of immunology. The recipient will present her research in an award lecture and serve as a career roundtable leader at the AAI annual meeting.	\$5,000 award and up to \$2,000 in reimbursement to attend the annual meeting

The American Association of Immunologists annually honors the research achievements and professional promise of more than **1,000** talented scientists through fellowships, career awards, and travel grants. Join AAI or renew your membership at [www.aai.org/Membership](http://www.aai.org/Membership) to become eligible for award opportunities.



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## Travel Awards and Grants for the AAI Annual Meeting

<b>Laboratory Travel Grants</b>	<b>December 5</b>	Assist mid-career and senior investigators in attending the AAI annual meeting. Each grant will also support travel costs for a lab member of the recipient's selection.	Up to \$2,500 in travel reimbursement to attend the annual meeting
<b>Early Career Faculty Travel Grants</b>	<b>December 5</b>	Assist young investigators (assistant professor or equivalent) in attending the AAI annual meeting.	Up to \$1,250 in travel reimbursement to attend the annual meeting
<b>Undergraduate Faculty Travel Grants</b>	<b>December 5</b>	Assist undergraduate faculty in attending the AAI annual meeting. Each grant will also support travel costs for an undergraduate student of the recipient's selection.	Up to \$2,250 in travel reimbursement to attend the annual meeting
<b>Trainee Abstract Awards</b>	<b>December 5</b>	Recognize trainee members whose first-author abstracts submitted to the AAI annual meeting are selected for presentation in block symposia.	\$500 award
<b>Trainee Poster Awards</b>	<b>December 5</b>	Recognize trainee members whose first-author abstracts submitted to the AAI annual meeting are selected for poster sessions only and found to be exceptional by the AAI Abstract Programming Chairs.	\$300 award
<b>Thermo Fisher Trainee Achievement Awards</b>	<b>December 5</b>	Recognize up to six trainees annually for career promise and presentation of an outstanding first-author abstract selected for oral presentation in a block symposium at the AAI annual meeting.	\$1,000 award and up to \$1,250 in travel reimbursement to attend the annual meeting
<b>Minority Scientist Travel Awards</b>	<b>December 5</b>	Assist eligible underrepresented minority scientists, including trainees and early career faculty members, in attending the AAI annual meeting.	Up to \$1,250 in travel reimbursement to attend the annual meeting
<b>Pfizer-Showell Travel Award</b>	<b>December 5</b>	Recognizes the professional promise of an early career investigator (assistant professor or equivalent) whose first-author abstract is selected for oral presentation at a block symposium at the AAI annual meeting.	Up to \$1,500 in travel reimbursement to attend the annual meeting
<b>Chambers-Thermo Fisher Scientific Memorial Award</b>	<b>December 5</b>	Intended to advance the career of an early career scientist (assistant professor or equivalent) who attends the AAI annual meeting and presents an outstanding abstract in the area of cancer biology.	\$1,000 award

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**Lustgarten-Thermo Fisher  
Scientific Memorial Award**

**December 5**

Intended to advance the career of a mid-career scientist (associate professor or equivalent) who attends the AAI annual meeting and presents an outstanding abstract in the area of immune regulation.

Up to \$1,250 in travel reimbursement to attend the annual meeting

**Lefrançois-BioLegend  
Memorial Award**

**December 5**

Intended to advance the career of a trainee who attends the AAI annual meeting and presents an outstanding abstract in the area of mucosal immunology.

\$1,000 award

### Other Awards

**Travel for Techniques  
Awards**

**February 15,  
June 15, and  
October 15**

Support regular and associate members in traveling to another laboratory to learn a technique. The recipient may assign the award to another AAI member in his or her lab.

Up to \$1,500 in travel reimbursement

**Outreach Awards**

**Rolling**

Support various activities such as oral and poster presentation awards, student workshops, and career sessions at member-organized immunology meetings.

Various

