

Society for Pediatric Research Maureen Andrew Mentor Award

Grantor: Society for Pediatric Research

Closes: 11/17/2010

Maximum: \$1,000.00

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This award was established in perpetuity to honor the contributions of the late Dr. Maureen Andrew to child health research and the Society for Pediatric Research.

Dr. Andrew made notable contributions as an investigator, mentor, and leader of the Society for Pediatric Research. She founded and nurtured the field of neonatal hemostasis. She developed an original body of knowledge in the laboratory and led major initiatives in translational research via the establishment of international multicentre clinical trials. She mentored trainees and junior investigators in Pediatrics and in related fields in a manner that generated excitement and commitment, fostered creativity, and encouraged and facilitated scholarship. Dr. Andrew took a particular interest in the mentorship of women interested in pediatric research. Her mentorship was critical in generating successful independent research careers and a legacy of loyalty by her former trainees.

The Award shall recognize individuals who have served as exemplary mentors for trainees and junior faculty who have successfully developed investigative careers in the field of child health research.

This award, established in 2003 by the SPR, is also supported by generous contributions by:

American Pediatric Society

American Society of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology

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Friends and Colleagues of the late Dr. Maureen Andrew

Stipulations for Making Nominations ~ 2011 Maureen Andrew Mentor Award

To be eligible for the 2011 Award, nominees must be Pediatricians, and they must have displayed a sustained record of excellence as a mentor, defined as an individual who demonstrates attributes including, but not limited to, teacher, sponsor, guide, role model, and counselor.

A single Award will be made annually. The Award provides a \$1,000 honorarium, complimentary registration, a plaque, and travel expenses to attend the 2011 Pediatric Academic Societies' Annual Meeting. The Award will be presented during the SPR Presidential Plenary. The presentation will include an introduction by the nominator and brief comments by the awardee.

Awards will be made only when there are worthy candidates.

The Committee for the Maureen Andrew Mentor Award will be solely responsible for the selection of the recipients.

Members of the Selection Committee cannot nominate or support any nominations.

Each Awardee will be invited to serve on the committee providing one mechanism for turnover of committee membership by individuals suited to adjudicate the terms of this particular award.

Directions for Making Nominations ~ 2011 Maureen Andrew Mentor Award

Nominations must be received by November 17, 2010. The committee will select the Awardee(s) prior to February 2010.

The nomination must be supported by the following documents:

Completed nomination form.

Mentees - This list, presented as a spreadsheet or table, should contain the following supplemental information: the training or faculty level at the time of mentorship, current academic appointment, indication as to whether former and current mentees are currently recipients of operating grants awarded by the NIH and/or non-governmental organizations, and other indicators of academic, leadership or research contributions by mentees (e.g. research awards).

Mentoring activities other than direct supervision of research. These activities include, but are not limited to, leadership within a training grant, and development and implementation of mentoring activities at the local, national or international level or within professional organizations and academic health science centres.

Curriculum Vitae of the nominee including supervisory/mentor activities. Research productivity by mentees should be indicated by highlighting the names of these individuals in each publication.

A letter of nomination and three letters of support from individuals other than the nominator. The letters of nomination and support should provide evidence regarding how the nominee has displayed mentor-related attributes including sponsor, guide, role model and counselor and the impact of the nominee's mentorship on the career development of those mentored.

Completed nomination materials and all supporting documents (no staples) must be received at the SPR Central Office (address below) by November 17, 2010.

Send the completed packet to:

Society for Pediatric Research
Maureen Andrew Mentor Award Committee

3400 Research Forest Dr., Ste B-7
The Woodlands, TX 77381

For more information, contact the SPR Executive Secretary at jwells@aps-spr.org or phone 281-419-0052.

For further information:

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Link: <http://www.aps-spr.org/SPR/Awards/Andrew.htm>

Categories: Academic Medicine, Distinguished Service, Maternal/Child Health, Medical Faculty, Mentorship, Pediatrics

Audience: Distinguished Investigator, Distinguished Scholar, Distinguished Scientist, Medical School Faculty, Mentor, Pediatrician, Physician Researcher, Senior Investigator, Senior Researcher