**Asian Pacific Association for the Study of the Liver**

***Invitation for application of APASL Awards***

Dear, APASL members

It is a great pleasure to announce you that APASL will call for application of the APASL Named Award and Rising Star Award which will be included in the scientific program of the next APASL Annual Meeting. Following is the information regarding the application for the Awards. We are looking forward your application.

1. Named Awards

1) APASL Okuda-Omata Distinguished Award

2) APASL Powell-Sarin Achievement Award

3) APASL Lesmana-Sollano Great Mentor Award

APASL will offer USD 5,000 for each.

<Selection Criteria for Named Awards>

Presenters will be selected based upon the following criteria

* High original scientific research and achievements in a given area of liver diseases
* Continuous Contribution to APASL Activities
* Leadership role in academics and science in the field of Hepatology
* Persons with at least ten papers in Hepatology International, including five papers with his/her name as the first or as the correspondence author will be considered
1. Rising Star Award (Within Five Presenters)

APASL will offer USD 2,000 for each.

<Selection Criteria for Rising Star Award>

Presenters will be selected based upon the following criteria

* Active scientific research in the field of Hepatology in process
* Willingness to contribute APASL activities
* Continuous attendance to APASL activities
* Age younger than 40 years
* Persons with at least five papers in Hepatology International, including three papers with his/her name as the first or as the correspondence author will be considered

<Schedule>

* The announcement to APASL members by APASL secretariat.
* Application submission deadline is **three months before the next Annual Meeting**.
* Selection will take place in the APASL Steering Committee Meeting.
* The result will be notified to the awardees along with the instruction of presentation preparation in the next APASL Annual Meeting.

<Contact information for inquiry>

If you have any questions regarding the application, please contact to:

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***Application form for APASL New Awards***

**Please check the awards which you will apply for:**

* **Named Award □ Rising star Award**

Following materials are required to be submitted for your application:

1. Completed and signed application form (this document)

2. Current Curriculum Vitae and bibliography of applicant

3. Summary of your presentation

4. Portrait (Photo of your face) by image data file (JPEG or GIF)

**Please complete following sections.**

\*If a section does not pertain to you, mark as N/A (not applicable).

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| 1. Name in Full |
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| Last name (Family name) | First name (Given name) | Middle name |
| 2. Current Position of Scientific Activities |
| 3. Current Affiliation |
| 4. Postal Address (include street, city, state, and zip) |
| 5. E-mail Address |
| 6.Telephone Number |
| 7. Facsimile Number |
| 8. Date of Birth (Month/Date/Year) / /  |
| 9. Publications in Hepatology International: Authors (all), Title, Year, Issue No., Pages, 1)2)3)4)5)6)7)8)9)10) (Use continuation page, if necessary ) |
| 10. Academic Achievement: Publications with Impact Factors and H-index), Presentation, Awards etc. 1)2) |
| 11.Contribution to APASL (This item is required for applicant for Named Award only) |
| 12. Presentation Title |
| 13. Correspondence Author (s) name and affiliation if any |
| 14. Summary of Presentation (within 400 words) |