

Ms Kimberly Stephens
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Dear Ms Stephens

The IGTRCN Peer-to-Peer Training Working Group (<http://igtrcn.org/organization/>) completed their review of applications and, I am happy to tell you they decided to support your training project, Exploration of PAR2-like Proteins present in Culex Mosquitoes using the CRISPR/Cas9 System.. This is great news and your success will be of great interest to the IGTRCN and we look forward to reading about how things go.

Let me remind you of the Terms and Conditions associated with this fellowship.

Terms and Conditions (<http://igtrcn.org/peer-to-peer-training/>)

- Fellows must initiate their visit to the host laboratory within nine months of the initial award. Failure to do so will result in the IGTRCN resources associated with the fellowship being reprogrammed for other network-related purposes.
- Fellows will be supported with up to \$3000 towards travel, accommodation and subsistence costs after providing the IGTRCN with itemized receipts for allowable expenses. Reimbursement is contingent upon the IGTRCN receiving a post-visit report and addendums.
- Hosts can apply for up to \$1000 to offset costs associated with the visitor including reagents, supplies, services and time of technical personnel. This will be paid after the visit.
- A post-visit report will be prepared by the fellow and will describe the objectives of the visit, the accomplishments and the degree of success of the fellowship activities (one to two pages). Protocols or procedures or technologies developed during the fellowship will be provided as an addendum to the post-visit report.
- Post-visit reports and addendums will be posted on the IGTRCN website.
- IGTRCN sponsored activities that would be subject to post-visit disclosure restrictions and whose results cannot be shared with the IGTRCN are not appropriate for support by the IGTRCN.
- By accepting resources from the IGTRCN all parties agree to comply with the data-sharing plan of the IGTRCN.

It will be up to you and your host to work out all arrangements regarding your interactions. At the end of your IGTRCN training project you can seek reimbursement for allowable expenses up to US\$3,000 and your host for up to US\$1,000. NSF's Grant Policy Manual, specifically section 618 Participant Support Costs (http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/manuals/gpm05_131/gpm6.jsp#610) will be used to define allowable expenses. Receipts will be required for documentation. Completion of this process will be contingent upon receipt of a post-visit report, to be submitted within 30 days of the end of your visit/training.

If you have questions, you should contact Ms. Valerie Saffer (admin@igtrcn.org).

Congratulations and good luck!

David O'Brochta,
IGTRCN Director

