AWARDS DURING 2015 TO MOLECULAR TOXICOLOGY DOCTORAL STUDENTS

Continuing Students

Lisa Barnhill, May Bhetraratana, Daniel Malkin and Priti Prasad
- Predoctoral fellowships from the UCLA NIEHS training grant in "Molecular Toxicology". Annual stipend of $22,476, $7,315 towards tuition and fees, and $300 for travel.

Jessica Camacho
- 2014 National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship. Stipend of $32,000 for 3 years and $12,000 towards tuition for two years.
- 2nd Place poster, Fall SCCSOT meeting. ($250, October 2014)
- SOT travel award, SOT Graduate Student Leadership Committee ($700, March 2015)
- 3rd Place abstract at 2015 SOT, from SCCSOT ($250, March 2015)
- Judith Blake Memorial Fellowship, UCLA FSPH ($2,500, May 2015)
- American College of Toxicology (ACT) North American Graduate Fellowship, ($5,000 for two years, July 2015)
- Outstanding poster award, Gordon Research Conferences - Cellular and molecular mechanisms of toxicity (August 2015)

Julie Castaneda
- Individual Predoctoral Fellowship (F31), from the National Institute of Health (NIH) for 2014 – 2016. Tuition, fees, and stipend for two years.
- North American Graduate Fellowship award from the American College of Toxicology (ACT) for 2014 – 2016 $5000 per year for two years.
- ACT travel grant for the 36th annual meeting of ACT in Las Vegas, NV–November, 2015.
- Above and Beyond Award at the Gordon Research Conference on Cellular and Molecular Mechanisms of Toxicity in Andover, NH–Aug 2015.
- GRS funding award for Gordon Research Seminar (GRS) on Cellular and Molecular Mechanisms of Toxicity in Andover, NH–Aug 2015.
- Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award for Individual Predoctoral Fellowships to Promote Diversity in Health-Related Research (Parent F31 - Diversity), NIH. Tuition, fees, and stipend 2014-2016.
- North American Graduate Fellowship award from the American College of Toxicology (ACT). $5000 per year for 2014–2016.

Maureen McGuirk
- NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program for 2015-2016. Annual stipend of $34,000.
- Hatos Center for Neuropharmacology Fellowship (2015 – 2016)
- Chemistry and Biology Interface Associate Fellowship (2015 – 2019)
- Eugene V. Cota-Robles fellowship, $21,000 plus full tuition and fees for the first and fourth years of school.

Ellen O'Connor
- Eugene V. Cota-Robles fellowship, $21,000 plus full tuition and fees for the first and fourth years of school.

Priti Prasad
- NIEHS training grant fellowship (see above)
- National Research Service Award (NRSA) Predoctoral Fellowship for 2015-16: NIH grant awarded by UCLA Molecular Toxicology Training Program Committee.
- Second place for ASIO Best Graduate Student Award by the Association of Scientists of Indian Origin (ASIO), Society of Toxicology 54th Annual Meeting (San Diego, 2015).