



THE SABAN RESEARCH  
INSTITUTE

## Fiscal Year 2024 Training and Travel Awards

**Description:** The Saban Research Institute of Children's Hospital Los Angeles has established a program to enable research trainees to attend research-related trainings and present their research at external meetings and conferences. The award covers registration, travel, and other expenses related to attendance.

Applications for virtual and in-person events occurring between July 1, 2023 and June 30, 2024, will be considered.

**Award amount:** Up to \$500 or \$1,000\* per individual

\*If the applicant's mentor commits a minimum of \$500 toward the travel and meeting registration costs, TSRI will provide up to \$1,000 in award funds, with the trainee receiving a total of \$1,500 in support. If no mentor match is offered, TSRI will provide up to \$500 in support.

### Eligibility:

Applicants must be one of the following:

1. University of Southern California predoctoral graduate student research assistants (RAs) working at CHLA
2. Postdoctoral and clinical research fellows (MD, PhD, or MD/PhD) working at CHLA  
(*must be employed in a CHLA postdoctoral fellow job title*)
3. Nurses in doctoral programs, to be verified by the Institute for Nursing and Interprofessional Research
4. UCEDD fellows

**Funding support can be used for either in-person or virtual research-related meetings and trainings.** Any travel must be in accordance with CHLA's travel policy and any existing travel restrictions.

**If attending a conference or meeting, the applicant** must be a presenter on a presentation or talk.

Applicants must be mentored by a full-time, CHLA-based, USC faculty, or an INIR senior researcher.

Applicants may only receive the award once per fiscal year (July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024).

The application must include a signed statement of support from the mentor indicating their approval for the trainee to participate in the event.

**Deadline:** At least four weeks (28 days) in advance of the event date. The funding pool must be expended by June 30, 2024. Therefore, applications received after June 2, 2024 will not be considered.

### Application

[Click here](#) to submit an application.

### Review Procedure

Applications will be reviewed and award decisions will be made on a rolling basis until the funding pool for the current fiscal year is exhausted. Awardees will be notified by email and will receive the award in the form of a reimbursement, after submitting required documentation. In order to receive reimbursement, awardees will be required to submit proof of event registration.

For questions, please email [tsrifunding@chla.usc.edu](mailto:tsrifunding@chla.usc.edu).