



2020 TRAVEL AWARDEE TESTIMONIAL ON RECEIVING A TRAVEL AWARD

Students and postdocs from developing countries often lack the resources to afford subscription and housing fees to attend a meeting in the USA. SRBR Travel Awards provide a chance for trainees from around the world to experience a high-quality meeting and interact with experts in the field.

Danilo - Brazil

I think that SRBR Travel Awards are a great opportunity to assist to the congress and have the possibility to interact with professional guest speakers. Poster sessions of international students are important learning stages in the formation of a Ph.D. student and is an exceptional opportunity to improve research in chronobiology. Due to living in Argentina, it would not have been possible without the SRBR Awards. **Paula-Argentina**

I have been involved in biological rhythms research for almost ten years, first in rodents and more recently in humans. While I have been able to attend a couple of regional meetings in the past, because of funding restrictions I had never had the chance to attend a SRBR meeting until this year. Attending the SRBR conference allow trainees to learn from and discuss our project with experts in the field, in order to improve our research questions and protocols, and set potential collaborations. **Malena - Argentina**

SRBR's Trainee Awards are essential for a big proportion of up and coming researchers in the field of Chronobiology. Especially those working in countries where funding is limited, such as Mexico, where I currently work. It is because of the Trainee Awards that some students and postdocs are able to attend SRBR's conferences, and share their work, network and learn from colleagues from all over the world. **Lucia-Mexico**

I recently received the global diversity fellowship for this year's SRBR conference which I regarded as one of the most important events in my life. I aspire to be a good and reliable researcher in the future. My attendance to the said SRBR conference served as a foundation and motivation. As one of the recipients of the SRBR Trainee Award, I was able to enrich myself with more knowledge, skills and experiences that would help me to be more productive, effective and innovative in my current research work.

Terence-Poland