

Trainee Poster Competition

Application Deadline: June 1, 2002

The Society for Behavioral Neuroendocrinology is pleased to announce that there will be a competition for the best poster presentation by a trainee at the annual meeting. The trainee entering the competition must be first author on the poster. This year the competition will be designed to incorporate undergraduate students, graduate students, and postdoctoral fellows.

In making the awards, the committee will consider the scientific merit of the research, the clarity of presentation, the degree to which the work represents the student's independent contribution, and the ability of the student to respond to questions during the poster session. Suggestions for the preparation of successful posters will be posted on the SBN website at a future date.

The winners of the Poster Competition and their poster titles will be announced in the journal, *Hormones and Behavior*. Award winners will be invited to submit a manuscript to *Hormones and Behavior*. The manuscript is to be based on their poster presentation and will be peer reviewed. Upon meeting the criteria of peer review, the accepted manuscript will be published in *Hormones and Behavior*. These papers will be identified as awardees of the SBN Trainee Poster Competition.

To enter send the following materials:

- 1. Copy of trainee's abstract to be presented at SBN 2002 (student must be the first author). Please indicate whether the trainee is an undergraduate, graduate student, or postdoctoral fellow.**
- 2. Letter of support from the trainee's faculty mentor.**
- 3. Any other information that bears on the suitability of the candidate for the award.**

Applications should be submitted to:

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