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Young Scientist Summit  
in Clinical Neuroimmunology

One of your trainees has applied to the **Annual Young Scientist Summit in Clinical Neuroimmunology**, hosted by the **Americas Committee for Research and Treatment in Multiple Sclerosis (ACTRIMS)**. This year, the Summit will take place in **Scottsdale, Arizona, from May 5–8, 2025**. ACTRIMS will cover **roundtrip airfare, meals and hotel accommodation** for participants.

In addition to attending a series of talks on the topics listed below, participants are invited to participate in a poster session and to attend workshops on grant applications and career trajectories in Multiple Sclerosis (MS) and related research.

## About ACTRIMS and the Young Scientist Summit

A core value of ACTRIMS is to mentor and support the careers of students, neurology residents, postdoctoral fellows, and junior faculty interested in clinical neuroimmunology and/or clinical MS, including:

- MS diagnostic criteria,
- Clinical subtypes,
- Epidemiology,
- Human neuropathology,
- Animal models: strengths and weaknesses,
- The current therapeutic landscape in MS,
- Mechanisms of action of disease modifying therapies.

The long-term goal is to bridge the gap between **bench and bedside research**, fostering collaboration between PhD investigators and their physician colleagues.

## Eligibility

Applicants may be graduate students (Masters, PhD or MD, PhD), medical students, research associates, postdoctoral fellows, or junior faculty with a research interest in MS.

## Program Highlights

Participation in the Young Scientist Summit offers:

1. A deeper understanding of how research impacts MS patient care.
2. Insights into current MS diagnostic and treatment approaches.
3. Networking opportunities with peers and experts in the field.
4. Guidance on research questions and pathways more likely to drive translational advancements in MS.

This program is an exceptional opportunity for aspiring scientists and physician-scientists to advance their careers in MS research.

For questions or more information, please contact:

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**By signing below, you acknowledge that you are aware of your trainee's application to the Young Scientist Summit and, if selected, support their participation.**

**Applicant's Name:**

**Your Name:**

**Institution:**

**Email Address:**

**Signature:**

**Date:**