

Seeking host laboratories for the ASN Young Latin American Scholars Travel Award (YLAS)

Each year since 2003, ASN's Committee for the Advancement and Encouragement of Neurochemistry in Latin America (CAENLA) has offered a Young Latin American Scholars (YLAS) award. This award provides financial support travel to annual ASN meeting. The goal of this award is to foster interactions between young neuroscientists from Latin America and research laboratories in North America to help YLAS scholars advance their scientific knowledge and to perhaps identify future post-doctoral fellowships.

This year, CAENLA would like to identify North American laboratories to host YLAS awardees from Latin America for a one or two week research internship. It is hoped that participating laboratories would help defray the cost of room and board for the student during their research internship. This program not only benefits the students, but also allows North American laboratories to interact with talented promising post-doctoral candidates identified and screened by CAENLA.

If you are interested in participating in this program, please contact Juana Pasquini at your earliest convenience. To facilitate linking student's interests and expertise with appropriate research labs, please provide a brief outline of the major research interests of the laboratory and any other information you might consider relevant for the selected YLAS awardees.

Thank you so much for your help in this matter and for encouraging these talented students!

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