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MARION B. SULZBERGER, MD MEMORIAL AWARD AND LECTURESHIP POLICY

I. The Award

In 1983, Mr. Murray Gruber established a lectureship to be administered by the American Academy of Dermatology. The selected lecturer will receive a cash award of \$5,000 and present a lecture of approximately 30 minutes at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Dermatology.

II. The Criteria

- a. The recipient should preferably be a U.S. dermatologist. However, individuals who are not from the United States and/or who are not dermatologists are not absolutely excluded.
- b. The recipient should have made significant contributions to the understanding of clinical medicine via his/her basic research.
- c. The recipient should be younger, rather than older, and should still be actively engaged in clinically important basic investigation.
- d. The recipient should have proven ability as a communicator, both verbal and written.
- e. The subject of the lecture should be of general interest to dermatologists.

III. The Selection Process

- a. Requests for nominations will be solicited from the Academy membership at large.
- b. The recipient will be selected by the Named Lectureship Task Force and presented to the Scientific Assembly Committee for approval at the Annual Meeting Planning Meeting which is held in the Spring of the year prior to the presentation of the lecture.