

Travel Grants

The Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) has awarded an additional 59 travel grants to help student/trainee members attend the 2015 Annual Meeting, thanks to a first-time grant to the ARVO Foundation for Eye Research from the Knights Templar Eye Foundation, Inc. (KTEF)

These funds from the KTEF, helped ARVO and the ARVO Foundation increase the travel grant program by nearly 25%, for a total of nearly 300 grants this year.

As the KTEF has grown since its 1955 inception, we have expanded the number and size of our grants, and we have commenced new initiatives in ophthalmology research and education. Our research grants are targeted to new research by those in the early stages of their careers.

This year, we were excited to commence funding travel grants for ARVO. We believe this is an ideal expansion of our funding concept. By stretching out a helping hand to those starting their careers, we hope to encourage and expedite successful careers advancing the cause of vision.

For some ARVO members, travel grants make all the difference in whether they can attend the Annual Meeting in Denver, May 3 - 7, to present their research.



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