



# AMERICAN OTOLOGICAL SOCIETY, INC.

## RESIDENT RESEARCH AWARD

### 159<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SPRING MEETING

April 24 - April 25, 2026

Phoenix, AZ

**Deadline for submission – October 22, 2025**

*Manuscript due March 27th, 2026*

### **THE AWARD**

The American Otological Society has established two resident research awards in the amount of \$2,000 for the best clinical and basic science paper in Otology submitted by a Resident/Fellow in training in the field of Otology. Residents from any approved residency program in Otology in the United States or Canada are eligible to compete. (*Medical students are not eligible*). The author will be expected to attend the Annual AOS Spring Meeting and present the paper as an oral presentation.

### **AUTHORSHIP**

The Resident must be the primary author and provide the main inspiration for the paper, do the literature search, data collection, original and final drafts of the article, the discussion, and the conclusions. A staff sponsor may be listed as co-author or second author. The sponsor or staff consultant may only provide editorial help, cases for study, and/or a research laboratory setting for carrying out bench research.

### **THE PAPER**

The paper is to be an original contribution, not previously published. A clinical study or basic research study is acceptable. Single-case reports or literature reviews are not acceptable. The paper is to be submitted in the publication format recommended by *Otology & Neurotology*, the official journal of the American Otological Society. An electronic submission of the manuscript, including illustrations will be required. The name of the author and any other identifying information should appear on the cover sheet only.

### **DEADLINE**

An abstract must be submitted through the AOS website [www.americanotologicalsociety.org](http://www.americanotologicalsociety.org) on or before October 22<sup>ND</sup> with a cover letter and full manuscript submitted to the AOS office by March 27th, the same day as the O&N manuscript submission required for ORAL presentations.

*(The blinded abstract must be selected by the Program Advisory Committee as an Oral presentation to be considered for this award)*

Electronic submission of the manuscript should be sent to:

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