



FASEB
For You

<New> **FASEB Supports the Rally for Medical Research**

As part of FASEB's advocacy efforts, on September 17 FASEB President Louis B. Justement, PhD, and fellow board members Hannah Carey, PhD, and Patricia Morris, PhD, participated in the Rally for Medical Research virtual meetings with lawmakers from Alabama, New York, and Wisconsin. Their meetings amplified the need for continuing communications to Congress to support \$15.5 billion in emergency funding for National Institutes of Health (NIH) in the next coronavirus package. To find out more visit: <http://washingtonupdate.faseb.org/faseb-supports-rally-medical-research/>

<New> **FASEB Seeks Organizer for New Catalyst Conferences**

Have you thought about organizing a scientific conference or proposing a few sessions but were not ready for a big commitment? Perhaps you have limited experience in fundraising, or you are still building your network. Do you have a topic idea you just want to test or want to build a community around a niche area of research?

On Wednesday, October 7, at 1 p.m. (ET), FASEB will host an informational webinar, "FASEB Catalyst Conferences: Become an Organizer." Perfect for scientists interested in creating a half-day virtual program on a topic of their choice, this webinar will introduce the FASEB Catalyst Conferences which are designed to accelerate topic discovery, community development, and career growth.

<http://washingtonupdate.faseb.org/faseb-seeks-organizers-new-catalyst-conferences/>

Bringing the Science to You During a Pandemic

Labs were shuttered and many of your members' travel plans were placed on hold, but part of the 2020 FASEB Science Research Conference Series continued — online. Pivoting from in-person conferences to virtual conferences because of the COVID-19 pandemic, the virtual Science Research Conferences underscored the need, now more than ever, to continue to share research findings and to build collaborations. Six online conferences are enabling your members to watch educational sessions, ask presenters questions in live Q&A sessions following the recordings, engage with the speakers in roundtable discussions, and browse poster presentations. The online conferences continue through September 2020.

<https://www.faseb.org/Science-Research-Conferences/Find-a-Conference>

FASEB Excellence in Science Award

The FASEB Excellence in Science Award is given in recognition of outstanding achievement by women in biological science. Recipients are women whose career achievements have contributed significantly to further our understanding of a particular discipline by excellence in research.

<https://faseb.org/About-FASEB/Awards/Excellence-in-Science-Award>

FASEB comments on NIGMS 2021-2025 Strategic Plan Framework

This gives you a good idea about NIH long range plans.

<http://washingtonupdate.faseb.org/faseb-comments-nigms-2021-2025-strategic-plan-framework/>

Supporting FASEB's Critical Mission

In a recent interview with FASEB staff, President Louis B. Justement, PhD, shared his thoughts on FASEB's future and offered insights on how the organization can better serve you and your individual members.

<https://www.faseb.org/About-FASEB/Organizational-Structure/Governance/FASEB-Board/A-Q-A-with-Lou-Justement>