The HKASLD Young Investigator Research Grant

Introduction:
The Hong Kong Association for the Study of Liver Diseases (HKASLD) aims at promoting the advancement of the study of the liver. The HKASLD Young Investigator Research Grant is established to encourage young doctors to conduct liver research. Up to two Research Grants of HK$50 000 are awarded each year.

Application:
- Application for the HKASLD Young Investigator Research Grant is open from 1 Feb 2016 to 31 Jun 2016.
- Applications are reviewed by the HKASLD Council.
- Applicants will be notified by the end of September 2016.

Conditions:
- Application should be made in English.
- Applicant must be an HKASLD member.
- Applicant must be a Higher Physician Trainee in Gastroenterology and Hepatology under the Hong Kong College of Physicians at the time of application.
- The project must be on liver research.
- There is no restriction on the applicant’s age.
- Successful applicants are requested to receive the awards at the Annual Scientific Meeting of the HKASLD in November 2016 and to present their research findings at either the Annual Scientific Meeting or a Bi-Monthly Scientific Meeting (to be determined by the HKASLD Council) upon completion of the project within 2 years after receiving the grant.
- A cheque of HK$50 000 will be issued to the department or the team of the successful applicant.
Application should include:

- The applicant’s one-page CV.
- A study proposal.
- The documents should be sent to Dr Hui Yee Tak at huiyeetak@gmail.com by e-mail.

Format of the study proposal:

- No more than 4 pages.
- Font: At least 10-point.
- Character spacing: Normal.
- Line spacing: At least Single.
- The followings should be included in the proposal:
  - Title of the study
  - Background
  - Study design, methods and plan of analysis
  - Study timetable
  - Budget