The Kelly Young Memorial Scholarship

2024 OFFICIAL RULES

The Awards and Recognition Committee of the Advanced Practitioner Society for Hematology and Oncology (APSHO), in memory of advanced practitioner (AP) Kelly Young, presents a competitive scholarship for a current APSHO member interested in targeted learning toward higher-level thinking and practical application in the hematology and oncology clinical setting.

The scholarship is for attendance to JADPRO Live, a CE-accredited oncology hematology educational conference for advanced practitioners, as described in the application guidelines and official rules.

The inaugural scholarship will be presented to a selected recipient in August 2024.

1. **Contest** is open only to current advanced practitioner APSHO members whose membership status is in good standing and who are 21 years old as of the date of entry. An advanced practitioner (AP) is defined as nurse practitioner (NP), physician assistant (PA), clinical nurse specialist (CNS) or pharmacist. The contest is open only to legal residents of the United States and is void where prohibited by law. Employees of APSHO (the “Sponsor”), their respective affiliates, subsidiaries, advertising and promotion agencies, suppliers, and their immediate family members and/or those living in the same household of each are not eligible to participate. Additionally, the following individuals are NOT eligible for the scholarship currently:
   - APSHO Board of Directors (BOD) – current term and for one year post term
   - APSHO Awards and Recognition Committee – current membership or chair term
   - JADPRO Live Planning Committee and/or conference chair – current year serving
   - Advanced practitioners not currently working in oncology/hematology (such as working in a different specialty or in retirement)
   - APSHO member students who are not yet practicing as an advanced practitioner
   - Advanced practitioners who are not members of APSHO
   - Advanced practitioners who have sufficient financial means to attend JADPRO Live (e.g., full employer support) should not apply.

The Contest is subject to all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations. Void where prohibited.

2. **How to Enter:** The applicant should complete the application for the scholarship by submitting information online.

3. **Required application information**
   - Applicants will be asked to provide the following.
     - First and last name
• Applicants will be asked questions regarding the following:
  o History of attendance at JADPRO Live
  o Available resources (e.g., financial assistance) for education, such as employer support

• The applicant will be asked to provide essays on the following:
  o APSHO/JADPRO Live current/previous influence on professional clinical practice
  o Incorporation of learnings at JADPRO Live into personal practice
  o Incorporation of learnings at JADPRO Live into advancement of leadership skills and support of colleagues
  o Most important components of JADPRO Live for the applicant

4. Submission requirements must be met and approved for an application to move into the review process. Incomplete applications will not be eligible for review. If there are questions regarding the submission information for an application, the applicant will be notified by the application coordinator for the Awards and Recognition Committee.

5. Timeline: Entries will be accepted online starting on or about June 6, 2024 and ending August 1, 2024. All online nominations must be received by August 1, 2024, 11:59PM ET.

6. Agreement to Official Rules: By participating, you agree to be fully and unconditionally bound by these Rules, and you represent and warrant that you meet the eligibility requirements set forth herein. In addition, you agree to accept the decisions of APSHO, as final and binding as it relates to the Contest. The Contest is subject to all applicable federal, state, and local laws.

7. Prize: One (1) scholarship recipient will receive the following: a trip to JADPRO Live 2024 (including registration to the JADPRO Live Conference, valued at approximately $525.00; hotel accommodations at the Gaylord Texan in Grapevine, Texas, for three (3) nights, November 14 through November 17, 2024, in a standard room plus tax, valued at approximately $900.00; round-trip US domestic economy airfare and hotel transfers valued at approximately $700.00; meals included in conference registration (meals not included in conference registration and other incidentals are not included); and recognition at the conference as well as the APSHO Advance member publication.

8. Winner Selection and Notification: Reviews will be conducted by a designated APSHO review committee. Financial need, such as having insufficient or no financial support, will be taken
into consideration. Once application reviews are complete, the award review task force will select the recipient of the 2024 scholarship.

A winner will be selected in August 2024 and will be notified via email to the email address provided within five (5) days following the winner selection. APSHO shall have no liability for a winner's failure to receive notices due to winners' spam, junk e-mail or other security settings or for winners' provision of incorrect or otherwise non-functioning contact information. If the selected winner cannot be contacted, is ineligible, fails to claim the prize within 15 days from the time notification was sent, or fails to timely return a completed and executed declaration and releases as required, prize may be forfeited, and an alternate winner selected. The receipt by winner of the prize offered in this Contest is conditioned upon compliance with any and all federal and state laws and regulations. ANY VIOLATION OF THESE OFFICIAL RULES BY ANY WINNER (AT SPONSOR'S SOLE DISCRETION) WILL RESULT IN SUCH WINNER’S DISQUALIFICATION AS WINNER OF THE CONTEST AND ALL PRIVILEGES AS WINNER WILL BE IMMEDIATELY TERMINATED.

9. Rights of Use: By entering this Contest you understand that APSHO, anyone acting on behalf of APSHO, or its respective licensees, successors and assigns will have the right, where permitted by law, without any further notice, review, or consent, to print, publish, broadcast, distribute, and use, worldwide in any media now known or hereafter in perpetuity and throughout the world, your entry, including, without limitation, the entry and winner's name, portrait, picture, voice, likeness, image or statements about the Contest, and biographical information as news, publicity, or information and for trade, advertising, public relations, and promotional purposes without any further compensation.

10. Terms and General Conditions: APSHO reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to cancel, terminate, modify, or suspend the Contest should (in its sole discretion) a computer virus, non-authorized human intervention, fraud or other causes beyond its control corrupt or affect the administration, security, fairness or proper conduct of the Contest. In such case, APSHO may select the winner from all eligible entries received prior to and/or after (if appropriate) the action taken by APSHO. APSHO reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to disqualify any individual who tampers or attempts to tamper with the entry process or the operation of the Contest or website or violates these Terms & Conditions. Any attempt by an entrant to deliberately damage any website or undermine the legitimate operation of the Contest may be a violation of criminal and civil laws and should such an attempt be made, APSHO reserves the right to seek damages from any such person to the fullest extent permitted by law. By entering the Contest, you agree to receive email communications periodically from APSHO. You can opt-out of receiving this communication at any time by clicking the unsubscribe link in the email.

11. Release and Limitations of Liability: By entering, you agree to release and hold harmless APSHO and its subsidiaries, affiliates, advertising and promotion agencies, partners, representatives, agents, successors, assigns, employees, officers and directors from any liability, illness, injury, death, loss, litigation, claim or damage that may occur, directly or indirectly, whether caused by negligence or not, from (i) such entrant's participation in the Contest and/or his/her acceptance, possession, use, or misuse of any prize or any portion thereof, (ii) technical failures of any kind, including but not limited to the malfunctioning of any computer, cable, network, hardware or software; (iii) the unavailability or
inaccessibility of any transmissions or telephone or Internet service; (iv) unauthorized human intervention in any part of the entry process or the Promotion; (v) electronic or human error which may occur in the administration of the Promotion or the processing of entries.

12. Disputes: THIS CONTEST IS GOVERNED BY THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES AND NEW JERSEY, WITHOUT RESPECT TO CONFLICT OF LAW DOCTRINES. As a condition of participating in this Contest, participant agrees that any and all disputes which cannot be resolved between the parties and causes of action arising out of or connected with this Contest, shall be resolved individually, without resort to any form of class action, exclusively before a court located in NEW JERSEY having jurisdiction. Further, in any such dispute, under no circumstances will participant be permitted to obtain awards for, and hereby waives all rights to claim punitive, incidental, or consequential damages, including reasonable attorneys' fees, other than participant's actual out-of-pocket expenses (i.e., costs associated with entering this Contest), and participant further waives all rights to have damages multiplied or increased.

13. Privacy Policy: Information submitted with an entry is subject to the Privacy Policy stated on the APSHO Website. To read the Privacy Policy, click here.

14. Sponsor: The Sponsor of the Contest is APSHO, 150 Mercer Street, Unit #336, Hightstown, New Jersey, 08520.

Please refer to The Kelly Young Memorial Scholarship guidelines presented by APSHO for additional information.