



NCAB Newsletter

President's Message

It is summertime and although there are no general membership meetings in July and August your NCAB Council is hard at work preparing for the fall activities. The 35th annual seminar will be at the Gaylord National Resort and Convention Center at the National Harbor on the Potomac River. This is a beautiful facility. The dates will be September 2-3, 2009. The theme is that "Environment Matters."

The Frank Donnelly Mermorial Golf Tournament will be on September 1st at the Potomac Ridge Golf Course in Waldorf, MD with a 9 am tee time.

Our Program committee co-chaired by Katy Bernhard and Daisy Byzek, has continued to put together an outstanding program this year. The annual picnic was held at the Cabin John picnic grounds on Friday, June 5th and was well attended even though the rain was pouring.

Applications for awards and scholarships are on the website. Please consider nominating a worthy individual for the Durbin, Pierson, Clinical Veterinarian, or trainer awards. Several scholarships are also available for technicians at the ALAT, LAT, LATG and CMAR levels. The deadline for applications has been extended to August 1st. Check it all out at ncabaalas.org.

The NCAB LATG review course is scheduled for August 16th – 21st with the certification examination scheduled for August 22nd. This course, which is offered through the volunteer efforts of numerous NCAB members, is an excellent way to prepare for the exam. The application deadline is July 1st. Katy Bernhard, Amanda Zeladonis, Chris McNickle and others have done a wonderful job of preparing an excellent course.

The LAT review course is currently ongoing. Please check the NCAB web site for information.

We are still looking for nominations for President-Elect for 2010. If you would like to be more involved in your branch, please think about nominating yourself by contacting Scott Green.

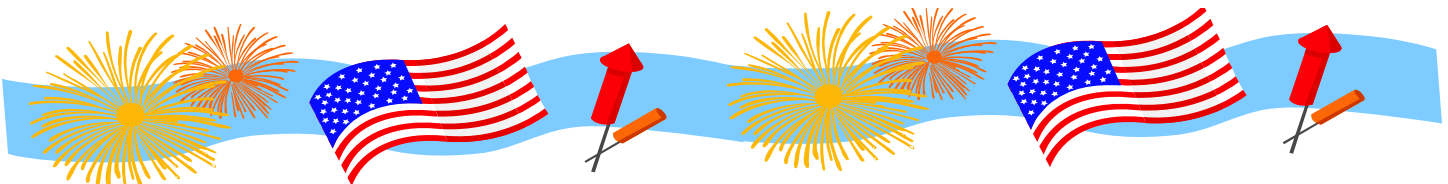
James "Buster" Hawkins

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SCAW Announces Technician Award

NCAB/AALAS Technician Award

**Presented by:
Scientists Center for Animal Welfare (SCAW)**

SCAW is offering a 2009 NCAB/AALAS Technician Award to help defray the cost of attending the annual NCAB/AALAS meeting. This event is on September 2-3, 2009 at the Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center at National Harbor, Washington DC. SCAW will provide one two-day conference registration, one night hotel reservation and one banquet ticket. To apply for the award you must be currently working as an animal care technician.

Submit the following in Microsoft WORD or plain text format by e-mail or regular mail no later than **Noon, August 1, 2009:**

- Current resume or CV
- Complete name, address, telephone and email
- One paragraph to explain, “***Why the animal care technician is an important part of the research team***”. The paragraph should not to exceed 200 words and should be double-spaced.

A panel of experts will review all entries and the Award will be announced on August 8, 2009. The recipient of the Award will receive notification and be announced on the SCAW web site, www.scaw.com and in the SCAW Newsletter.

Submit information to:

SCAW

Attn: Lee Krulisch

Executive Director

7833 Walker Drive, Suite 410

Greenbelt MD 20770

Tel: 301.345.3500

Email: lee@scaw.com



Environment Matters: What's Your Interpretation?



35th NCAB Seminar
September 2–3, 2009
Washington, DC



Please Join Us for the
35th NCAB/AALAS Seminar
*at the Gaylord National Resort &
Convention Center at National Harbor*
September 2 - 3, 2009

September 1—Frank A. Donnelly Memorial Golf Tournament
September 1—Exhibitor Set Up
August 31 & September 1—CMAR Workshop: Animal Resources
September 2 & 3—Seminar
September 2—Certification Exams ALAT, LAT, LATG, CMAR, CM I/II/III
September 2—Banquet (Fosters DownEast Lobsterbake & Live Band “Junkfood”)

Registration
Now OPEN
www.ncabaalas.org

Program Highlights

Wednesday—September 2, 2009

Keynote Speaker: Patricia Hunt, Ph.D.
“Unexpected exposures: what you can’t see can harm your animals”

Additional Session Topics:

- Rodent Surgical Training & Laparoscopic Biotechnology
- Pathology 101
- Jody Urquhart: Management Workshop
- Career Corner
- Using the Right Decontamination Method for Your Facility
- Definition of Sustainable Design, Animal Facility Guidelines, Accepted Practices, and Risk Assessment
- What’s Your Diagnosis?
- Fido’s for Freedom (Assistance Dog Demo)
- Cardiovascular & Other Phenotyping Methods In Mice

FDA Guidance on Regulating Genetically Engineered Animals

Thursday—September 3, 2009

Featured Speaker: Jody Urquhart
“The Nerve to Serve... Say Hello to Humor & Goodbye to Burnout!”

Additional Session Topics:

- Environment and Phenotype —How the Environment Can Affect Your Research
- Rodent Import/Export
- Dr. Jim Weed: Assessing Effectiveness of Environmental Enrichment
- Career Corner
- Necropsy Support: Not Just How To, But How to SAFELY
- Dr. Leigh Ann Clayton, (Avian), Director of Animal Health, National Aquarium in Baltimore, “Animal Health Environment at Aquarium”
- Virtual Necropsy Presentation
- Greening Initiatives at NIH
- Greener Cage Wash Operation and Equipment Ideas
- Dr. Brent Whitaker, Deputy Executive Director of Biological Programs – National Aquarium In Baltimore
- Customizing Training Needs
- Diet—an Environmental Factor

NCAB AALAS 2009 SEMINAR

Plenary Speaker- Wednesday, September 2, 2009

Patricia A. Hunt, PhD

“Unexpected exposures: what you can’t see can harm your animals”

Recipient of the 2007 SciAm 50 Award
(*Scientific American’s* list of top 50 researchers).

PATRICIA HUNT, Ph.D., is Meyer Distinguished Professor in the School of Molecular Biosciences at Washington State University. Her research focuses on germ cells in mammals. In humans, the incidence of pregnancy loss due to chromosome abnormalities is very high. She is trying to understand how this occurs, and the way in which a woman's aging increases the likelihood of errors. In addition, an accidental exposure in her animal facility has led to a new avenue of research. Mice were exposed to an estrogen mimic, bisphenol A, in cages and water bottles. Hunt and her colleagues found that the exposure could disrupt the reproductive process. Current studies focus on determining the reproductive effects of exposure to chemicals with estrogen-like activity during different developmental time points.

Featured Speaker- Thursday, September 3, 2009

Jody Urquhart

“The Nerve to Serve...Say Hello to Humor and Goodbye to Burnout!”

Jody has been presenting her keynote addresses around the world for over 10 years. She is passionate about spreading the message of fun, and meaningful work. Annually she addresses over 40 organizations and associations, and is a top motivational keynote speaker. She is author of the book *All Work & No SAY* and writes a syndicated column called the Joy of Work, which is published in over 40 magazines and trade journals. Her mission is to help individuals and organizations derive more meaning and satisfaction from their work



Check the NCAB AALAS website for a full program update in July!



2009 NCAB SEMINAR BANQUET

JOIN NCAB & LOCAL BAND JUNKFOOD
AT FOSTER'S DOWN EAST CLAMBAKE
FOR GREAT FOOD, FUN & LIVE MUSIC.



*Playing original music and covering
your favorites from the 80s and 90s*
VOTED BEST LOCAL BAND BY THE
WASHINGTON POST



Foster's Down East Clambake
At National Harbor MD
www.fostersclambakedc.com
Tel: 877.404.3255

Wednesday, September 2, 2009
NCAB Seminar Banquet: 6:00 – 11PM
Dinner 7:00-8:00, JunkFood 7:30-10:00

Tickets: \$35
Register On-Line
at www.NCABAALAS.org
or inquire at the Seminar Registration Booth

BANQUET MENU

Award Winning Clam Chowder , Maine Steamers and Cultivated
Mussels, Fresh Maine Lobster , Roasted Red Bliss Potatoes and
Onions, Sweet Corn on the Cob, Blueberry Crumb Cake

***Chicken and Vegetarian Entrees Also Available**

Frank M Donnelly Memorial Golf Tournament

At the NCAB Seminar



September 1, 2009

Potomac Ridge Golf Course
15800 Sharperville Rd., Waldorf, MD 20601

Tee-off Time: 9:00 am

Reservation Due Date: August 18, 2009

Cost: \$73.00 (includes lunch and drinks)

Contests: Closest to the pin and Longest drive

Mail to:
Guerra R. Benberry
P.O. Box 10041
Rockville, MD 20849-0041

Make Checks Payable to:
NCAB/AALAS
(Please include names
of golfers in foursome)

For more information, contact Guerra R. Benberry
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REGISTRATION FORM CERTIFIED MANAGER PROGRAM

“Animal Resources: Tools for the Animal Facility Manager”

August 31st & September 1st, 2009

National Harbor -- Washington, DC

Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center

Please visit www.ncabaalas.org for meeting information



Course Description: The theme of this management development course is “Animal Resources: Tools for the Animal Facility Manager” This program is designed for laboratory animal program managers and supervisors who wish to improve their leadership skills and for those who are preparing for the Animal Resource Exam portion of the Certified Manager of Animal Resources (CMAR). Topics will include: Standard Operating Procedures, Developing and Monitoring Budgets, Cost Management, IACUC, Animal Health, controlling Disease and Veterinary Care, Ethical Considerations, and Euthanasia, Disaster Planning and Management.

Course Agenda: The course will be held 2 days before the AALAS National Capital Area Branch Meeting at the same location. The program hours are Monday August 31st, 8:30 am to 5:00 pm and Tuesday September 1st the 22nd, 8:30 am to 5:00 pm. The exam will be held on Wednesday the 2nd from 8:30 -11:30 am. Lunch will be provided for Monday and Tuesday. Maximum number of participants is 30.

Course Instructors –Cindy A. Buckmaster, PhD, RLATG, CMAR; Nicole Duffee, D.V.M., PhD, Christie L Hart, RLATG, CMAR; MAJ Larry J. Shelton, Jr., DVM, MPH, DACVPM, DACLAM; Cammie Symonowicz, MBA:

- To register for this **AR course**: Download and complete this form. Fax or mail to LAMA 7500 Flying Cloud Drive, Suite 900 Eden Prairie, MN 55344 FAX #: 952 835 4774
- Please visit www.aalas.org to register for the **Animal Resources Exam** following the course. The deadline for exam applications is **August 1st 2009**. The exam will be offered at the meeting on **September 2, 2009 at 8:30am**.

Name	Degree
Nickname/Preferred Name for Badge	Title
Organization	Phone
Address 1	Fax
Address 2	Email
City, State, Postal Code	Country (if other than US)
<input type="checkbox"/> \$225 Registration Fee <input type="checkbox"/> \$70 Management of Laboratory Animal Care and Use Programs – Mark A. Suckow , (optional not needed for course) <input type="checkbox"/> \$79.95 Managing the Laboratory Animal Facility, Second Edition Jerald Silverman , (optional not needed for course) <p style="text-align: center;">Registration Deadline: Friday, August 24, 2009</p>	<p>CANCELLATION POLICY: LAMA event registration fees are refundable up to two weeks prior to the event, minus \$50 processing fee. Two weeks before the event, no refunds will be issued. All refund requests must be made in writing and sent via email, mail or fax.</p> <p>In accordance with the Title III of the American Disabilities Act we invite all registrants to advise us of any disability and any request for accommodations relating to their specific needs. Please submit your requests as far as possible in advance of the first day of the event.</p>

Payment Information

Checks must be in U.S. dollars and drawn on a U.S. bank and made payable to the LAMA.

LAMA EIN: 52-1828124

Please remit to:

LAMA

7500 Flying Cloud Drive, Suite 900
Eden Prairie, MN 55344

Phone: 952.253.6235

Fax: 952.835.4774

Email:

kschlieff@kschlieff@miia.org

Check Credit Card Type: American Express Master Card Visa

Card Number

Expiration Date

Cardholder Billing Address

City, State, Zip



Online registration is quick & easy, visit the Registration Site
www.NCABAALAS.org
 for details on Seminar Registration and secure site payment!

35th NCAB Seminar 2009 Seminar Registration Form

Register online at www.NCABAALAS.org with secure online payment (or mail/fax form to address below). National AALAS membership cannot be used in place of NCAB membership. For first year membership, you are granted an additional three months membership in order for you to take advantage of these savings.

Seminar Registration Form PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name _____ Title _____
 Company _____ Certification (circle): ALAT, LAT, LATG, CMAR
 Mailing Address (home ___ work ___) _____
 Phone (home ___ work ___) _____
 Email address (required) _____
 Current AALAS Member? Yes No Referred by (new members only)

SEMINAR FEES *Pre-registration deadline August 5, 2009

	NCAB Member	Non-Member	After August 5, 2009
■ Wednesday, September 2 nd , 2009	\$75.	\$125.	\$175. _____
■ Thursday, September 3 rd , 2009	\$75.	\$125.	\$175. _____
■ Two day registration	\$125.	\$175.	\$225. _____
■ Membership Dues – 2010	\$15.	\$15.	\$15. _____
■ Banquet	_____	X \$35.	_____
	No. of tickets		TOTAL _____

Check Number: _____
 MC or Visa (circle one) #: _____ expiration: _____
 Name on credit card : _____
 Billing Address on CC: _____

Sign up online at www.NCABAALAS.org at secure site or mail/fax completed forms to:

Christine McNickle
 2009 NCAB/AALAS Registration Chair
 PO Box 10041
 Rockville, MD 20849

Telephone: 301-651-9973
 Fax: 240-686-4391 ATTN NCAB

Hotel Information: A block of rooms is being held at the Gaylord National Resort and Conference Center at 201 Waterfront St. National Harbor Md. 20745. Room rates begin at \$179.00. In order to receive these rates; you must reserve your room by July 31, 2009. The hotel can be reached at 301-965-4000. Use group code X-ALAS9 when reserving your rooms.

www.gaylordhotels.com/gaylord-national/index.html

ENVIRONMENT MATTERS: WHAT'S YOUR INTERPRETATION?

Institutional Membership

The Institutional Membership Program is an important resource of support providing the NCAB with the opportunity to continually expand its educational programs. In addition to a number of Technician Scholarship awards given each year, the enthusiasm generated through our Workshop Programs have allowed us to increase the number of workshops, as well as expand the content. In 2009, our educational programs will be offered to an ever increasing audience of laboratory animal scientists, as well as other interested groups as to the benefits of biomedical research and the commitment that all members of AALAS have to humane animal care and use.

NCAB/AALAS would like to thank all of the Research Institutions and Companies who make up the Institutional membership.

For Institutional membership information for 2009, please contact:

Frank Lynch, flynch@pharmcal.com

Guerra Benberry, guerra.benberry@covance.com

Institutional Membership Committee

Member Institution	Year	Member Institution	Year
AAALAC International	1997-2009	Dudick Inc.	2009
Ace Animals, Inc.	2000-2009	DustControl, Inc	2009
Acorn Industrial Products Inc.	2009	Edstrom Industries, Inc.	1981-2009
Advanced Bioscience Labs	1999-2009	Elm Hill Labs Inc.	2009
Allentown, Inc.	1979-2009	ENV Services	2006-2009
ALN Magazine/Vicon Publishing Inc.	2004-2009	Environmental Tectonics Corp.	2009
Alternative Design	1994-2009	E-Z Anesthesia/Euthanex Corp.	2004-2009
American Red Cross	1998-2009	FDA/CBER	1984-2009
Americans For Medical Progress	2001-2009	George Washington University Medical Center	1982-2009
Ancare Corporation	1984-2009	Georgetown University	2009
Anderson's/Bed-o-Cobs	1992-2009	Getinge USA	1991-2009
Animal Specialties and Provisions LLC	2007-2009	Girton	1994-2009
Aquaneering Inc.	2009	Harlan	1981-2009
Arts-Way Scientific	2004-2009	HDR (CUH2A)	2004-2009
Avant Garde Scientific, Inc.	1991-2009	Hilltop Lab Animals Inc.	1983-2009
Bio Medic Data Systems Inc.	1997-2009	Howard Hughes Medical Institute	2007-2009
Biocon Inc.	1979-2009	Innovive, Inc.	2007-2009
Bioqual, Inc.	1983-2009	Instech Solomon Labs	2007-2009
BioReliance Corporation	1979-2009	Lab Products, Inc.	1978-2009
Bio-Serv, Inc.	1994-2009	Labex of MA	2009
Bridge Laboratories	2004-2009	Labrepc, Inc.	2004-2009
Britz & Company	1996-2009	Liberty Research	2009
Carter 2 Systems Inc.	2003-2009	Life Science Products, Inc.	1982-2009
Charles River	1978-2009	Locus Technology, Inc.	2000-2009
Clear H2O Company	2006-2009	Lomir Biomedical Inc.	2001-2009
Clordisys Solutions Inc.	2006-2009	Louviere, Stratton, Yokel, LLC	1988-2009
Coastal Scientific, Inc.	2000-2009	Lynx Product Group	2002-2009
Colonial Medical Supply	2002-2009	Macrogenics, Inc.	2004-2009
Covance Laboratories, Inc.	1978-2009	Marshall BioResources	1996-2009
Covance Research Products	1978-2009		

Institutional Membership cont.

Member Institution	Year	Member Institution	Year
Medimmune, Inc.	1995-2009	SAIC-NCI Frederick	1983-2009
Millbrook Breeding Labs	2005-2009	Sanitation Strategies	2007-2009
Myrtle's Rabbitry Inc.	1997-2009	Schlyer Machine Division of Audubon Machinery	2006-2009
New Year Tech, Inc.	2003-2009	Scientists Center for Animal Welfare	1999-2009
NIH/Division of Veterinary Resources	1979-2009	Shepherd Specialty Papers, Inc.	1983-2009
NIH/National Eye Institute	2003-2009	SoBran Inc.	2002-2009
NIH/National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research	2004-2009	Southern Research Institute	1991-2009
NIH/National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism	2004-2009	Spray Master Technologies	2009
NIH/National Institute on Drug Abuse	2001-2009	Spring Valley Laboratories, Inc.	1984-2009
NIH/NINDS/AHCS	1996-2009	Steris Corporation	1993-2009
NIH/Office of Animal Care and Use	1989-2009	Suburban Surgical Co. Inc.	1988-2009
NIH/Office of Laboratory Animal Welfare	2008-2009	Systems Engineering	1989-2009
NIH/Warren Grant Magnuson Clinical Center Animal Care Program	2001-2009	Taconic Farms, Inc.	1991-2009
NLS Animal Health	1992-2009	Tecniplast USA	2001-2009
Northeastern Products Corp.	1999-2009	The Jackson Laboratory	2008-2009
Nuaire Inc.	2000-2009	The McConnell Group Inc.	2003-2009
Pharmecal Research Laboratories, Inc.	1978-2009	The Scale People	1993-2009
Porter Creek Instruments, LLC	2004-2009	Thoren Caging Systems, Inc.	1989-2009
Primate Products, Inc.	1998-2009	Topaz Technologies	2008-2009
Priority One Services	1994-2009	Total MRO, LLC	2002-2009
Purina Mills LabDiet	1992-2009	Transportech	2004-2009
Quality Lab Products, Inc.	1998-2009	Tuttnauer	2000-2009
Quip Laboratories Inc.	1989-2009	Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences	1995-2009
Rees Scientific Corporation	1994-2009	University of Maryland Central Animal Resource Facility	1985-2009
Research Solutions Lenderking	1990-2009	University of Maryland Veterinary Resources	1982-2009
Roe Biomedical Products LLC	2009	University of Maryland-ANSC College Park	2008-2009
		USAMRMC/Animal Care and Use Review Office	2006-2009
		VetEquip, Inc.	2000-2009
		ViraTek Inc.	2006-2009
		Visi-Line	2008-2009
		VWR International	2009
		World Courier Inc.	2004-2009
		WRAIR-NMRC	1981-2010
		Zeigler Brothers Inc.	1995-2009



AALAS Board of Trustee

The AALAS Board of Trustees met on June 5-6, 2009 in Memphis, TN for their Summer Session and the Leadership Summit with committee Chairs and Vi-Chairs of all Standing Committees. The following items were discussed and approved at the meeting.

- The BOT approved of San Antonio for the site of the 2014 National meeting. The dates will be October 19-23, 2014.
- The BOT approved of the American Physiological Society as Affiliate members of the organization.
- The BOT approved of raising the GLAS funding amount per proposal to \$50,000 maximum.
- The BOT approved of an AREA-type program to be held at the Denver AALAS meeting for local veterinary technician students.
- The BOT approved to use electronic ballots for the election in 2010.
- The BOT and Committee Chairs worked to develop Objectives and Tasks for 2010.
- The AALAS Foundation has committed to funding a project on the website called Whyville. The game to be created will deal with animal research. This website is targeted at children. The BOT approved of donating \$75,000 towards completing this project.
- The Certification & Registry Board submitted the results of a survey of the certification and registry program performed by an outside consulting group. The report recommended changing the LAT education requirements back to a mandatory high school diploma or G.E.D. The BOT voted against making this change to the eligibility requirements.
- A new ALAT manual will be completed by the National meeting in Denver.
- The deadline to nominations for National AALAS awards is July 1, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

Roxanne Fox

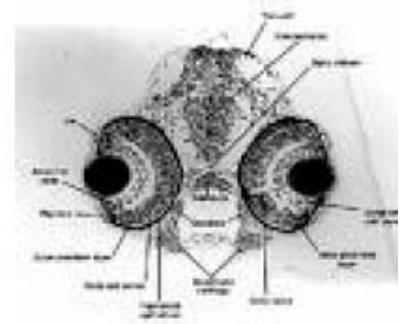
Donna Goldsteen

District 3 Trustees



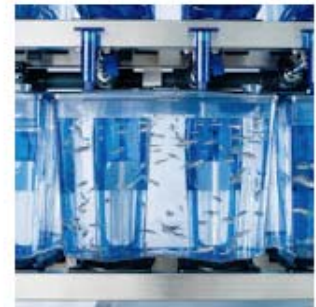


Zebrafish Biology, Husbandry and Research Use



This workshop will introduce you to Zebrafish and their care and use as a biomedical research model. You will also learn gender identification, embryo staging and basic breeding practices in the laboratory setting.

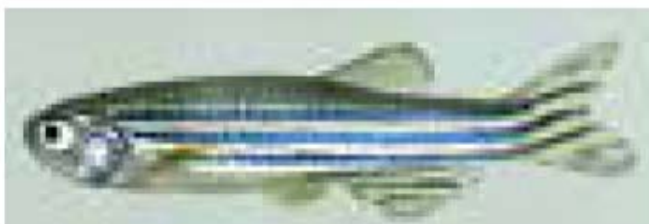
Friday August 14, 2009
9:00 a.m. to noon
Charles River Laboratories
Germantown, Maryland



Sponsors: Charles River - Consulting & Staffing Services
Tecniplast Aquatic Solutions
Olympus Microscopes

Lunch will be served at the end of the workshop. Cost is \$20 for NCAB members and \$30 for non-members. Registration priority for NCAB members. Space is limited to 30 attendees so register early to guarantee your slot. Please ensure when registering that your e-mail address is included and correct; Directions to the Germantown site of Charles River Laboratories will be e-mailed to registered participants a few days before the workshop. Deadline for registration is July 31st.

Register online via 123Signup at www.ncabaalas.org
Direct questions to Barton Weick [bweick@mail.nih.gov]





**The Deadline is Coming!!
The Deadline is Coming!!
Nominate Someone Today!!**

The National Capital Area Branch of AALAS offers four awards during the annual seminar meeting. Nominees must be an NCAB member. These awards are as follows:

NCAB Durbin Award, honorarium of \$300.00

NCAB Trainer Award, honorarium of \$400.00

NCAB Pierson Award, honorarium of \$ 500.00

NCAB Outstanding Clinical Veterinarian Award, honorarium of \$500.00

Information regarding the criteria for these awards is available at www.ncabaalas.org

Nomination Process

1. Fill out the nomination form. (Available at www.ncabaalas.org)
2. Please make sure you fill out as much information that is applicable.
3. Review criteria for selection
4. Provide at least two nomination / letter of recommendations

Send this information to :

Brad Fisher / NCAB Awards

NIH Building 14BS, Rm. 228

9000 Rockville Pike

Bethesda, Maryland 20892

Deadline for nominations is July 31, 2009

These Folks Are Celebrating Their AALAS Certification!
CONGRATULATIONS!

ALAT

Alex Granados – Bioqual
Jermaine Hoes – Bioqual

LAT

Abebe Adamu – SoBran
Emily Mirek – Charles River
George Muthua – SoBran
Lloyd Moore – SoBran
Casimira Ruiz – Charles River
Lisa Wilt – Charles River

LATG

Chris King – Charles River
Mike Wisnieski – Charles River



2009 Individual Membership Form

Register online at www.NCABAALAS.org with secure online payment (or mail/fax form to address below)

- Membership includes on-line subscription to NCAB Newsletter, discounts for workshops, NCAB annual seminar, NCAB List-serv, monthly meeting socials, etc.
- MEMBERSHIP DUES are \$15.00 per year (make check payable to NCAB/AALAS)
- WAIVER of fee if you have received your certification (ALAT, LAT, LATG, CMAR) recently. To receive a complimentary one (1) year membership, send a copy of your certification along with this completed form. NCAB/AALAS will **only** accept the certification that has been sent to you from the **National AALAS office**.

Name: _____ Title: _____

Company: _____

Mailing Address (home ____; work ____) _____

Phone (home ____; work ____): _____ Fax: _____

Email address (required) _____

AALAS member? Yes ___ No ___ Referred by (new members only) _____

Certification (circle): ALAT LAT LATG CMAR Certification date: _____ *

* Membership fee waived if certification within six months of application; certification must accompany this form

Membership Dues – 2009 **\$15** _____

Check Number: _____

MC or VISA (circle one): _____ expiration: _____

Name on credit card _____

Sign up online at www.NCABAALAS.org at secure site or mail/fax completed forms to:

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2009 NCAB/AALAS Registration Chair
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Newsletter Submission Deadlines for 2009

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
September/October	August 15, 2009
November/December	October 15, 2009

Please submit information for the newsletter to
Julia Drake at e-mail drakej@mail.nih.gov
or at phone 301-402-0408



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