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SRF Travel Grant Report

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I express my sincere gratitude towards the Education Committee and Society for Reproduction and Fertility for awarding me with the SFR Travel Grant to attend the 19th EUROPEAN CONGRESS OF ENDOCRINOLOGY in Lisbon, Portugal (May, 2017).

The annual ESE meeting is the leading international conference on endocrinology in the Europe. The 4-day scientific programme was extensive and spanned many aspects of endocrinology, including symposiums, presentations, lectures and e-posters with relevance for the reproduction and my own research.

There were symposiums I found especially useful: "From the pituitary to the periphery", "The challenges of male fertility", "New roles for nuclear receptors", "Is cardiovascular risk increased in women with PCOS?", "Hyperandrogenism: challenges in clinical management", "Reproduction and endocrine disruption", "Sleep, love and reproduction" and plenary lectures: "Hormone-secreting adrenal tumors in pregnancy", "Unravelling the role of transient receptor potential channels in endocrine regulation and metabolism" .

The specificity of my research work is closely related to the program of the ESE Meeting 2017. The program gave me lots of ideas for my own studies, in particular, for the study of the relationship between hormones and the breast, especially new hormones (kisspeptin). I was able to discuss my work with world experts in the endocrine and reproductive fields.

I sincerely thank the Education Committee and Society for Reproduction and Fertility for its positive consideration my SFR membership's and travel grant's application and support my attending of the ESE meeting.