Society for Reproduction and Fertility Travel Grant 2018

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I would like to thank the Society for Reproduction and Fertility for allowing me to attend the Society for the Study of Reproduction 51st Annual Meeting in New Orleans, USA. This was my first attendance at an international conference. The talks at the conference were of very high quality and specifically discussed the pathophysiology of endometriosis, my current PhD project field. It was incredibly insightful for me to meet and discuss endometriosis research with so many experts in the field.

I was able to present a 'flash' presentation which was an advert for my poster. I then presented my poster the next day. It was amazing to have generated a lot of interest in my work through my flash talk, and I was incredibly pleased with the discussions and positive feedback I received. The experience of presenting to such a wide and international audience was incredibly rewarding and enjoyable.

I left the conference with new ideas and interpretations of my data and a wider understanding of the reproductive field, as well as having met many amazing researchers, so for this I thank the Society for Reproduction and Fertility.