



## **Featured News**

### **Spring Giving Month**

March is Women's History month and we invite you to celebrate the women in your life with a **donation** in their honor. Think of your mentors, supervisors, family members - any women who are important to you. Throughout the month, we will feature the honored women on our **website**.

Help the Foundation bloom all month long and kick start our 2022 Annual Appeal. When you **donate**, be



sure to include a tribute message and send a picture of the honoree to <u>Mary Carmody</u>, ASE Foundation Manager. Allow us to shine a spotlight on the women who have inspired you!

### **Announcements**

NEW! Impact of Echo Report Recommendations for Severe Valvular Heart Disease Research Grant Applications Due: August 31, 2022

This grant, for up to \$1.1M, will provide two-year funding that aims to examine the impact of embedded echocardiography report interventions on referral patterns and outcomes in patients newly diagnosed by echocardiography with severe aortic stenosis (AS). This study in particular will examine the role of a primary care provider and referral patterns to a cardiac specialist for patients presenting with severe AS, though the study may be expanded to include other forms of severe valve disease. One grant will be awarded by ASE through the Foundation, with the support of funding from Edwards Lifesciences. More information is available <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>. **Application closes August 31, 2022, 5:00 PM ET**.

# ASE Council Travel Grants - Now Accepting Applications Applications Due: April 18, 2022

These grants are part of an ongoing effort by the Foundation and the Council Steering Committees to encourage trainees in cardiovascular specialties to focus on the respective echocardiography subspecialty and to recruit enthusiastic new members to the Councils. The Foundation is funding \$1,000 Council Travel Grants for trainees to assist their attendance at the <u>ASE 2022 Scientific Sessions</u>. Full application details are available <a href="here">here</a>. **Application closes April 18, 2022.** 

Hearts All Around Us Photo Exhibit Submission Closes: April 15, 2022 We are now accepting photo submissions for this year's photo exhibit, Hearts All Around Us. The exhibit will showcase photographs of heartshaped things you have come across in nature, architecture, everyday life, etc.

Since you work with the heart, you probably find yourself seeing hearts all around--so send us your best shots! Full submission details available <a href="here">here</a>. Submission closes April 15, 2022.

Image on the right features Heart Rock on the Road to Hana in Maui, Hawaii Credit: Angie Porter, ASE Senior Director of Marketing & Communications



# Congratulations to the 2022 Scholarship & Travel Grant Award Winners

Please join us in congratulating this year's student scholarship and travel grant recipients! We are honored to foster the next generation of cardiovascular ultrasound professionals and know they all have a bright future in echo.

### **Katanick Student Scholarship Award**



Daisy Chang, Duke University

### Alan D. Waggoner Student Scholarship Award

Nicole Bochenek, Aurora St. Luke's Diagnostic Medical School of Sonography
Natanael Flecha, Saint Francis Hospital and Medical Center
Makanda Lieberenz, Mayo Clinic School of Health Sciences
Tory Long, South Hills School of Business & Technology
Nicholas Medlock, Duke University Hospital
Taylor Moore, Clemson University Cardiovascular Imaging Technology Program
Rebecca Sabourin, UWHC School of Diagnostic Medical Sonography
Christopher Ryan Stuck, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences
Taedra Thrams, Aurora St. Luke's Diagnostic Medical School of Sonography

#### Feigenbaum Cardiovascular Sonographer Student Travel Grant



Krishnakumari Patel, Johns Hopkins University

It's not too early to start thinking about your 2022 charitable contributions. Learn about the numerous ways you can give to the ASE Foundation here.

**Donate to the ASE Foundation Today** 

