Training I take training of post-docs and students in my lab very seriously and work with them to develop skills necessary to reach status as independent investigators. One post-doc (Priscilla Erickson) was awarded a Jane Coffins Child Memorial fellowship and turned down NRSA that received exceptional scores (7th percentile). Other post-docs have applied for Marie Curie fellowships and NRSA fellowships. Graduate students and post-docs in the lab have received travel and poster awards; undergraduates in the lab have received summer research awards. Post-docs and graduate students are all expected to present their work at annual meetings and some have already done so.