The Society of Toxicology Global Senior Scholar Exchange program aims to increase the global impact of toxicology on human health and safety by working to strengthen toxicology programs and capacity at universities in developing countries. SOT will sponsor specific collaborations between selected mid-career to senior Scholars from academic institutions in developing countries with SOT member Hosts from established academic, government, and industry toxicology programs worldwide. The program will enable the Scholar to visit the partnered organization, with the goal of improving toxicology education and training at the Scholar’s university (including identifying gaps in the core toxicology curriculum, defining barriers to program or student success, organizing courses or symposia on toxicology topics of high priority in the developing country, developing joint publications, or other beneficial activities). The program will also fund the Scholar to attend the SOT Annual Meeting as an opportunity to present research and establish scientific networks. Two Scholars will be funded from Developing Countries in Latin America, Africa, and Asia. The Scholars will be selected first and then matched with Host applicants for best fit with training and research objectives. This program is not intended to provide equipment, laboratory supplies, or renovations to current facilities.

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The successful Host applicants will have
- Research interests of potential mutual benefit to the specific Scholar
- Ability to host a scientist for up to 4 weeks (SOT will cover the associated costs)
- Plans to support the relationship with the Scholar and the enhancement of toxicology at the Scholar institution
- Ability to visit the Scholar institution
- Note that more than one Host at the same or different institutions can submit a coordinated application to host a particular Scholar

The institution(s) of the Host(s) will
- Have an established successful toxicology program with a strong track record of research, training, publication, and outreach
- Have staff or faculty members with interest and prior experience in collaborating with institutions in other countries
- Encourage the selected Host toxicologist to visit the Scholar’s institution (SOT will cover the associated costs up to the budgeted maximum)

Please send the completed Host application to Rachel Woodson rachelw@toxicology.org by November 8, 2019. Successful candidates will be notified in October.