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Subject: Award Application for **EPI/Lifestyle 2018**

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Dear Dr. Echouffo Tcheugui:

It gives me great pleasure to inform you that you have been chosen as the recipient of the **Scott Grundy Award for Excellence in Metabolism Research**, to be presented during the **EPI/Lifestyle 2018 Scientific Sessions** scheduled for **March 20 – 23, 2018 in New Orleans, Louisiana at the Sheraton New Orleans.**

You should have received notification of abstract acceptance in an earlier email from [AHA.epilifestyle@abstractsonline.com](mailto:AHA.epilifestyle@abstractsonline.com). Details about arrangements for your presentation, **“Natural History of Obesity Subphenotypes: Dynamic Changes Over Two Decades and Prognosis in the Framingham Heart Study”** were included in this notification.

All awardees are given complimentary registration to the conference. Please [register online](#) and enter the promo code AWARD. If you have already registered for the meeting, please email your receipt to Neyssa Shockley at [neyssa.shockley@heart.org](mailto:neyssa.shockley@heart.org).

You will also be recognized during the Joint Council Dinner on Thursday evening, March 22, at which time we will present you with your award in the amount of \$500.

The AHA must have a completed form on file in order to produce award payments. We ask that you please complete and return the appropriate attached forms to Neyssa Shockley at [neyssa.shockley@heart.org](mailto:neyssa.shockley@heart.org).

- For International volunteers **who are NOT** US residents please have they fill out the following forms: **FNQ, Wire Form, and W8Ben form. (all attached)**

- For US citizens: **W9 form needs to be filled out and if they want the funds deposited into their account (US bank account) please have them fill out the direct deposit form NOT wire form.**
- For International volunteers **who ARE** US residents: **FNQ, Wire form, and W9 (W9 can be filled out depending on the type of Visa and how much they will receive) If the country they are from doesn't have a tax treaty with the US, they will have to fill out a reimbursement form and provide receipts to receive their award.**

I look forward to meeting you at the conference. Please don't hesitate to contact the conference manager, Ashley Clark at [ashley.clark@heart.org](mailto:ashley.clark@heart.org) or by phone (214-706-1240), if you should have any questions.

With warm regards and my congratulations,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Deborah Rohm Young". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Deborah" being the most prominent.

Deborah Rohm Young, PhD  
Co-Chair, Spring Conference Program Committee