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Dear Friends and Colleagues:

As members of the Eicosanoid Research Foundation Board of Directors and the Lifetime Achievement Award Selection Committee, we were thrilled by the number of candidates nominated this year, which is a testament to the stature of the award and the prestige of the Bioactive Lipids conference series. We were fortunate to engage previous Lifetime Achievement Awardees to serve as advisors to the selection process that yielded seven nominees.

The Lifetime Achievement Award Selection Committee has unanimously endorsed the recommendation of the previous recipients reflecting the outstanding nominations. We wish to announce that the recipient of the 2017 Lifetime Achievement Award is Prof. Charles N. Serhan, Ph.D. for his pioneering work in identifying bioactive mediators and cellular pathways critical in the resolution of inflammatory diseases.

The nominators representing four continents wrote about Dr. Serhan:

"I cannot think of a single researcher who has had a greater impact on the eicosanoid field over the last 30 years than Dr. Serhan. His landmark discoveries of the resolvins, maresins and protectins, their anti-inflammatory effects and their roles in resolution of inflammation have been transformative..."

"Until Dr. Serhan's seminal discoveries of specialized proresolving mediators, the resolution of inflammation was widely believed to be a passive rather than active process as taught to every medical student...Based on Dr. Serhan's studies, inflammatory diseases can now be considered to be the active loss of resolution."

"Professor Serhan's paradigm-shifting research has completely revolutionized the field of pharmacology, as it suggests that one can treat inflammation with a response-triggering "resolution" agonist rather than an inflammation inhibitor..."

"His capacity and preparedness to having guided many students, postdocs and researchers throughout his career has enabled many scholars to further develop scientifically and professionally."

"Recognition of Charlie Serhan's immense contributions to the field of bioactive lipid mediators are long overdue."

"It is through his tireless dedication that the legacy of Dr. Serhan will live on for many decades into the future."

"There are no doubts that Dr. Charles N. Serhan would be a most appropriate recipient for the exceptionally prestigious Eicosanoid Research foundation Lifetime Achievement Award."

"In short, Dr. Serhan is AMAZING!"

Please join us in congratulating Dr. Serhan as the 2017 ERF Lifetime Achievement Awardee. This prestigious award is sponsored by Cayman Chemical.

With sincere regards,

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