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As President of the Pittsburgh Ophthalmology Society (POS), I am writing to request support for the upcoming 2023-2024 monthly educational series. The in-person programs provide a unique opportunity for industry representatives to engage with members of the Society in a collegial setting while supporting a quality lecture presented by distinguished guest faculty.

Five monthly meetings are scheduled with opportunities for sponsorship. All meetings are held at the NEW venue, the PNC Champions Club at Acrisure Stadium, located on the North Shore of Pittsburgh. Attendance ranges from 50 and 75 physician members. The format for the evening includes lectures, a social hour/visit with exhibitor, and dinner.

All meetings are held on a Thursday and below are the 2023/2024 meeting dates:

September 14 October 5 December 14 January 11, 2024 February 8, 2024

While we cannot allow sponsors to choose specific speakers, we understand that speakers on specific topics may be of more interest to certain sponsors. **Visit** pghoph.org for a complete list of guest faculty speakers or contact Nadine Popovich, Administrator by email: npopovich@acms.org or phone: 412.321.5030 x110.

Benefits of sponsoring a meeting include: 5 minutes of podium time to address attendees and an invitation for you and a colleague to attend the POS social to engage with members. Powerpoint presentations are welcome during your presentation, but please be mindful of the 5-minute timeframe. A complete list of Sponsor benefits can be found in the sponsor prospectus.

The cost of solely sponsoring a meeting is \$3,200 or you may choose to participate as a co-sponsor at \$1,900. A limit of three companies is permitted to co-sponsor a program. All requests are granted on a first-come, first-served basis. The format for sponsorship of a monthly meeting meets the requirements for exemption from reporting for the Sunshine Act.

To confirm your sponsorship, please complete and return the Monthly Meeting Sponsor Form (attached). Do not hesitate to contact Nadine Popovich, administrator, at npopovich@acms.org should you have a question.

Thank you, again, for your support and partnership with the Society. I look forward to welcoming as a sponsor!

Sincerely,

Pamela P. Rath, MD

Pamela P. Rath, MD, President