History of Microbiology Research Travel Awards

The Center for the History of Microbiology/ASM Archives (CHOMA) is pleased to announce that the 2013 History of Microbiology Research Travel Award has been awarded to Sharon Bertsch McGraw. McGraw, a freelance writer and editor in Seattle, Wash., will use the award to conduct research at CHOMA for her book Woman in Science (working title). The research will focus on Rita Colwell, and her extensive service to ASM.

The History of Microbiology Research Travel Awards are given to support historical research of the awardees' choosing, in areas that can be supported by materials in the CHOMA collections. The CHOMA collections, located at the University of Maryland Baltimore County, include 9,000 volumes on microbiology and related topics, photographs, biographical materials, topical files on various aspects of microbiology, records of the Society from its founding in 1899 to the present, and several collections of personal papers.

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