The Charles Capen Trainee Award given by the International Academy of Toxicologic Pathology (IATP) recognizes Dr. Charles Capen and his legacy as a researcher, teacher, and mentor to the pathology and toxicology communities spanning more than four decades. Dr. Capen was recognized worldwide as an exceptional leader in veterinary and biomedical research. He was a highly regarded mentor to numerous graduate students and postdoctoral scientists. His students and trainees are now leaders throughout academia, government and industry.

The awardee will receive a classic reference book to further his or her training and education in the field of toxicologic pathology, plus complimentary STP annual meeting registration and complimentary STP student membership for the following year. He or she will be recognized during the awards ceremony prior to the Annual Business Meeting on Wednesday. Applicants are required to submit a published (or accepted for publication) manuscript from a peer-reviewed journal consisting of original work involving clinical or experimental research that relates to toxicologic pathology.

**Eligibility:**
The successful applicant must be a pathology, toxicology, or toxicologic pathology trainee. A trainee is defined as an individual working on an academic degree, in a training or residency program, or in a postdoctoral training position and have demonstrated achievements in the field of toxicologic pathology including but not limited to:

- Research contributing to public safety as it relates to the adverse health effects of xenobiotics;
- Establishing test methods and standards that enhance the field of toxicologic pathology; and/or
- Developing new or novel uses of toxicologic pathology in safety research.

Candidates must be members of the Society of Toxicologic Pathology. Members who have recently completed their graduate studies (within 12 months of the application date) are also eligible, but must have been enrolled in a program at the time the data were collected.

**How to Apply:**
1. Complete the IATP Charles Capen Trainee Award Application on the following page.
2. Ask your faculty advisor or a faculty member who is familiar with your work to submit a letter of nomination summarizing your qualifications. This letter should include confirmation that you are the primary author, and that you had a significant role in the generation and interpretation for the majority of the work presented and in the manuscript preparation.
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4. **Submit application form with manuscript, manuscript details, and nomination letter of support by April 1, 2016 to:**

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