



## David L. Epstein Clinician-Scientist Research Award

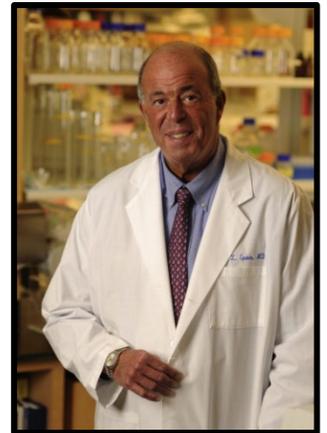
### About the Award

The Chandler Grant Glaucoma Society (CGGS), in their continuing commitment to encourage Fellow research, created the [David Epstein Clinician-Scientist Research Award](#).

The CGGS will provide a \$10,000 research grant, to support the work of dedicated researchers and to provide funding to the institutions in which the recipients devote themselves in the field of ophthalmology and glaucoma research.

The CGGS created this award to honor [Dr. Epstein](#), who is widely considered to be one of the most influential leaders in the world of glaucoma and glaucoma research over the past 40 years. The award is a small way to honor his commitment to the scientific understanding and cure of glaucoma through the support of promising clinician-scientists in research environments. As Joel Schuman, MD, past-president, CGGS, once wrote in a tribute to Dr. Epstein, his “greatest legacy is the army of clinician-scientists whom he inspired throughout his years.

Aerie Pharmaceuticals has partnered with the CGGS to an exclusive five-year collaboration to fund this distinguished award. Dr. Epstein was also a co-founder of Aerie Pharmaceuticals, thus making the collaboration between CGGS and Aerie a special way to preserve his legacy, while creating a solid bond between the pharmaceutical company and the entire eye care community.



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### Research Grant Application

The Call for Applications for the Research Award begins April 1 with a deadline of December 16.

Interested applicants who are within five years of fellowship are asked to:

- Review the [Criteria](#) and complete the [Grant Application](#)

Questions may be directed to Nadine Popovich, Administrator. Email: [npopovich@acms.org](mailto:npopovich@acms.org) or Phone: 412.321.5030

#### About the Chandler Grant Glaucoma Society

Since the Society was founded in 1982, its members have worked to carry on the ethical and moral values of our namesakes, Dr. Paul Chandler, and Dr. W. Morton Grant. A key focus of our members is the continuing effort to prevent blindness from glaucoma through innovative research, development of clinical applications of scientific knowledge, and raising public awareness of glaucoma.