NEWS from the Acoustical Society Foundation Fund

Gift Acceptance Policy

The Foundation recently received a request from a potential donor for help in establishing a trust in his estate for future awards and scholarships at the Acoustical Society of America (ASA). What a wonderful, forward-thinking estate-planning endeavor. I was pleased to share with this donor that the ASA has an established Gift Acceptance Policy, which was developed by the Foundation Board with coordination and implementation by ASA's legal counsel and the Executive Council.

These policy guidelines will be posted on the Foundation's tab on the ASA website. Most any and all gifts of established value are acceptable and welcome (for example, life insurance policies, tangible personal property, publically traded securities, and let's not forget that old standby cash). The Executive Council has the final responsibility for interpretation of this policy.

We can also help establish the formation of living trusts or participation in the Foundation's Pooled Income Fund, which is like a charitable annuity to provide lifetime income for the donor and long-term support of the ASA in the future.

If you would like to discuss further plans for a bequest or for making a lasting contribution to the ASA through a trust or will, please contact the Foundation and we can review together the Gift Acceptance Policy and make plans to best suit your wishes for a lasting and meaningful commemorative donation.

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Mission of the Acoustical Society Foundation Board:

To support the mission of the ASA by developing financial resources for strategic initiatives and special purposes.

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