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Athanasios Papatsoris, M.D. University of Athens, School of Medicine Kanari 9 10671 Athens, Greece

Dear Dr. Papatsoris,

Email: agpapatsoris@yahoo.gr

As this year's chairman of the Awards Committee for the Endourological Society, it gives me the privilege and great pleasure to inform you that you have been chosen to receive this year's "Arthur" Award for 2019.

This award is presented to a urologist who is within 10 years of completing residency or fellowship and who has already achieved distinction through myriad contributions to the field of Endourology in research and teaching.

Previous vear's recipients:

2004 - Arthur D. Smith, M.D. 2005 – Jaime Landman, M.D.

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2015 - Robert Sweet, M.D.

2016 - Alberto Breda, M.D.

2017 - Benjamin Canales, M.D.

2018 - Amy Krambeck, M.D.

On behalf of our Society, I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate you on this well-deserved honor.

This award is to be presented at the World Congress of Endourology in Abu Dhabi during the President's Reception on November 1st. Please let me know if you will not be able to attend the presentation ceremony in Abu Dhabi so that I can make alternative arrangements for you to receive this award; however, I do very much hope that you will make it convenient to attend so that we can felicitate you personally.

Yours sincerely,

Eduardo Mazzucchi, M.D.

Chairman, Endourological Society Award Committee