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The Hauptman-Woodward Medical Research Institute (HWI) is pleased to announce that Dr. Michael Malkowski, Senior Research Scientist and Assistant Professor of Structural Biology, has been recently honored with an award from the Eicosanoid Research Foundation.

The Eicosanoid Research Foundation is a non-profit organization that is devoted to providing a forum in which to discuss scientific advances in lipid research. Their 12th international conference was held in Seattle, Washington on September 18-21. ERF is funded from pharmaceutical sponsorships, foundation grants, conference exhibitors, advertisers, and registration fees from conference attendees.

Three awards, one in each category of Cancer, Inflammation, and Structure/Function, were presented for the best work showcased at the conference. Malkowski was awarded with the Eicosanoid Research Foundation “Young Investors” Award, sponsored by Enzo Life Sciences International, in the category of Structure/Function. The title of his nominated abstract was “Substrate Binding to Cyclooxygenases.”

The Young Investors Award given to Dr. Malkowski is of international caliber.

ABOUT HWI
2011 marks the 25th anniversary of the Nobel Prize in Chemistry which was granted to Buffalo’s only Nobel Laureate and HWI namesake Dr. Herbert A. Hauptman. The anniversary will be celebrated throughout the calendar year with special events and publications. With more than 50 years of exceptional scientific research, the Hauptman-Woodward Institute is an internationally-renowned independent, non-profit facility specializing in life-altering research. Our team of more than 75 members is committed to improving human health through the study of the causes of diseases, as well as potential therapies, at their fundamental molecular level. HWI is located in the heart of the Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus in downtown Buffalo, New York, in a new state-of-the-art structural biology research center at 700 Ellicott Street. For more information, visit HWI’s website at www.hwi.buffalo.edu or call 716-898-8600.

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