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ICCBBA ONE WORLD AWARD RECIPIENT

REDLANDS, CA, MARCH 10, 2016:

ICCBBA is pleased to announce Rodeina Davis as the recipient of the 2016 ICCBBA One World Award.

The ICCBBA One World Award was established in 2008 as a way of recognizing professionals who have made important and significant contributions to the understanding and application of international information standards in transfusion and transplantation medicine through original research, innovative technical development, and/or influence in the development of policy and regulation.

Davis is an award-winning IT professional who received the AIM Percival Award in September 2014 and President's Award of AABB in 2010 for introducing Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) technology in transfusion medicine.

Davis was also named the principal investigator in an NIH grant to fund the program that introduced the use of RFID technology in transfusion medicine. The program received 510(k) clearance from the FDA in June 2013.

She has been a member of the Executive Council for the ISBT IT Working Party and co-chaired the ISBT Task Force to develop RFID Guidelines that were published in April 2010. She was a member of the ISBT Validation Task Force, and co-chaired another ISBT task force to develop "Guidelines for Information Security in Transfusion Medicine" within HIPAA rules and ISO 17799 Standards. Davis has served on the AABB biovigilance working party and has participated in many of the activities led by the ABC and AABB IT Committees.

Additionally, Davis has authored a number of published manuscripts in peer-reviewed journals. She has also volunteered her time with the World Bank to computerize the blood bank in Amman, Jordan, and has worked with state and regulatory agencies and industry to develop and improve IT use in the clinical arena.

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As this year's award recipient, Davis will receive full travel support to present an award lecture during a major international transfusion, cellular therapy, or transplantation meeting and a prize of USD \$5,000.

For more information about the ICCBBA One World Award, visit ICCBBA's website at www.iccbba.org.

The nomination period for the 2018 ICCBBA One World Award will run from November 2016 to November 2017.

About ICCBBA

ICCBBA is the not-for-profit, nongovernmental standards body in official relations with the World Health Organization whose mission is to enhance safety for patients by managing and promoting the ISBT 128 international information standard for use with medical products of human origin. ICCBBA's Board of Directors and members of its Technical Advisory Groups (TAGs) are volunteers who give freely of their time and effort. ICCBBA has a small staff who manages the technical documentation and databases, promote and support the global implementation of the standard, organize technical meetings, and administer registration and licensing.

For further information on ISBT 128, visit the ICCBBA Website at www.iccbba.org.

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