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NIA Receives Meso Foundation Fundraising Award

Reston, VA—May 7, 2015—NIA is proud to have received a 2014 Fundraising Award from the Mesothelioma Applied Research (Meso) Foundation. Proceeds from NIA's 2014 [Silent Auction](#) at the 59th Annual Convention in Indian Wells, California, were split between the Meso Foundation and NIA's Foundation for Education, Training, and Industry Advancement. NIA holds a Silent Auction every other year during its Annual Convention.

This spring at the 2015 International Symposium for Malignant Mesothelioma, the Meso Foundation presented NIA with a 2014 Fundraising Award in recognition of its contribution to their organization. Funds raised help support patient programs, research, advocacy, and many other areas.

NIA's next Silent Auction will take place during the 61st Annual Convention and World Insulation and Acoustic Congress (WIACO) at the Boca Raton Resort and Club in Boca Raton, Florida, April 20–23, 2016.

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