

Appreciation letter

Dear The Chinese Lifeline Express Foundation and Price Waterhouse Cooper,

I have completed my 3-month visit to the distinguished Duke Eye Center, the experience was great and very impressive. I really appreciate Dr. Toth and the whole Retina team for their generous and kindly help. I was kindly arranged to follow each retina specialists and generously exposed to a great variety of cases including commonly-seen retina diseases and peds retina, oncology, uveitis, degenerative disease et al. so that I had a full idea of how the retina practice was there. I engaged in both retina clinic and OR observation. When the specialists or fellows had interested cases, they kindly let me to look at the patient with permission from the patient and family. I watched those outstanding specialists and fellows' wonderful surgeries. Dr. Toth talked and shared me a lot about her surgical skills and personal experience which was very helpful to me. I really appreciate everything she has done for me. I was also well involved in surgical rounds and also attended conferences held in Duke. I attended retina journal clubs and gave one presentation regarding the practice difference between PUMCH and DUKE. To be precise, I was learning new knowledge everyday there which is definitely more than what I expected.

At the time of ending my visit to Duke Eye Center, I would express my sincere appreciation to The Chinese Lifeline Express Foundation and Price Waterhouse Cooper who generously sponsored me. I really had a great time in Duke Eye Center and learned a lot. I would definitely continue to work hard in PUMCH and share my experience with my colleagues here.

Sincerely yours,
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