Dear Readers,

This second 2015 edition of the *International Journal of Eye Banking* features proceedings from the Pharma Conference held in Washington DC in the Spring. The included proceedings published with the consent of J.W. Smith, president of Pharma Conference Inc., and submitted by the presenters, reflect their original presentations. This content is especially relevant to eye banking and we feel is of value to all eye banking professionals. Unfortunately, the presentations from this conference by the FDA were not released by the FDA for inclusion although their participation in these annual conferences is of great value.

Also included are three research or review papers which make contributions to our knowledge and practice of eye banking.

As always we hope you find this material both informative and useful and that you too will wish to contribute your expertise to that of others by submitting an article to the *International Journal of Eye Banking*.

Look for our next publication in the fall.

Sincerely,

Ellen Heck
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