



The Foundation for Angelman Syndrome Therapeutics (FAST) will be hosting its Annual Global Summit on Angelman Syndrome from Friday, December 4, 2015 through Saturday, December 5, 2015 at the Hyatt Regency Chicago.

This two day event will kick off with Angelman Syndrome science and educational seminars led by the world's leading experts in Angelman Syndrome, followed by a star-studded fundraising Gala with special guest actor & Golden Globe winner **Colin Farrell**. Many other celebrity guests will be announced shortly.

Angelman Syndrome (AS) is a neurodevelopmental disorder affecting approximately 1 in 15,000 live births and is characterized by severe developmental delays, problems with motor coordination and balance (ataxia), and epilepsy. Individuals with AS develop little to no functional speech. In 2007, Dr. Edwin Weeber and colleagues cured AS in the mouse model. Since then, AS research has become an area of intense interest to those aiming to understand and treat neurological disorders. A cure for AS is not only imminent, but stands to be the gateway cure for other disorders such as Fragile X Syndrome, Rett Syndrome and Autism.

FAST is a non-profit charitable organization as described under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. FAST was formed in 2008 and immediately captured the community with a fresh energy, an aggressive approach to AS research, and a concise mission to bring practical treatments into current medical practice as quickly as possible. In January 2011, FAST funded research that identified an FDA approved compound that restored cognition and motor function in the AS mouse model. FAST took this finding from the laboratory to a human clinical trial within one year – a feat unheard of — with relatively little funding, demonstrating the organization's ability to spend raised funds efficiently to produce results that will have the most impact on our children and their families. Since January 2011, FAST has funded over \$3.6 million in AS research. FAST has funded more than \$1.6 million in AS research this year alone.

We ask for your support in the form of a donation to the silent auction and raffle that will be held during the Gala. Please refer to the attached form for your contribution. For more information on the event or to purchase tickets, tables, Corporate Sponsorship Packages and/or Program Advertising, please visit www.CureAngelman.org. Thank you for your generosity, support and contribution.

Please join us today and be part of the miracle.

Thank you,

The Board of Directors

Foundation for Angelman Syndrome Therapeutics



EIN # 26-3160079

Silent Auction Donation Form

Description of Item:

Value of Item (required*):

**It is the responsibility of the donor to determine the FMV of the donated item.*

___ Goods or services were provided by FAST. Estimate of the value of goods or services provided in return by FAST to Donor: _____

___ No goods or services were provided.

Please send silent auction item(s) and a copy of this form to the following address by November 18, 2015:

Foundation for Angelman Syndrome Therapeutics
c/o Barb Baldassarre
504 South Madison Avenue
La Grange, IL 60525-2801

Return this copy with donated item to the address above.



FOUNDATION FOR
ANGELMAN
SYNDROME
THERAPEUTICS



EIN # 26-3160079

Silent Auction Donation Form

Description of Item:

Value of Item (required*):

**It is the responsibility of the donor to determine the FMV of the donated item.*

___ Goods or services were provided by FAST. Estimate of the value of goods or services provided in return by FAST to Donor: _____

___ No goods or services were provided.

Please send silent auction item(s) and a copy of this form to the following address by November 15, 2014:

Foundation for Angelman Syndrome Therapeutics
c/o Barb Baldassarre
504 South Madison Avenue
La Grange, IL 60525-2801

Keep this copy for your records.



FOUNDATION FOR
ANGELMAN
SYNDROME
THERAPEUTICS



Hyatt Regency Chicago • 151 East Wacker Drive Chicago, Illinois 60601 • December 4-5, 2015

Jan 14 09 04:16p

Foundation for Angelman S

630-663-1205

p.1

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
P. O. BOX 2508
CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEC 02 2008

Date:

FOUNDATION FOR ANGELMAN SYNDROME
THERAPEUTICS
C/O MAIDDY DUNIGAN
PO BOX 608
DOWNERS GROVE, IL 60515-0608

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Employer Identification Number:
26-3160079

DLN:
17053256312008

Contact Person:
RENEE RAILEY NORTON ID# 31172
Contact Telephone Number:
(877) 829-5500

Accounting Period Ending:
December 31

Public Charity Status:
170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

Form 990 Required:
Yes

Effective Date of Exemption:
August 19, 2008

Contribution Deductibility:
Yes

Addendum Applies:
No

Dear Applicant:

We are pleased to inform you that upon review of your application for tax exempt status we have determined that you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to you are deductible under section 170 of the Code. You are also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under section 2055, 2106 or 2522 of the Code. Because this letter could help resolve any questions regarding your exempt status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

Organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined that you are a public charity under the Code section(s) listed in the heading of this letter.

Please see enclosed Publication 4221-FC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, for some helpful information about your responsibilities as an exempt organization.

Letter 947 (DO/CG)