

Department of Medicine Research Day 2015

List of Award Winners

Best Oral Presentation, PGY 1-5: **Gitadokht Majdi, PGY-5**

Title: High dose levothyroxine absorption test to differentiate between malabsorption and non-adherence: 5 cases and discussion

Supervisor: Dr. Stan Van Uum

Best Oral Presentation, PGY 1-5: **Vighnesh Bharath, PGY-3**

Title: Incidence and natural history of intravenous immunoglobulin-induced aseptic meningitis: a retrospective review at a single tertiary care centre

Supervisor: Drs. Cyrus Hsia and Ian Chin-Yee

Best Oral Presentation, PhD, MSc or MD Student: **Baekjun Sung, MSc Student**

Title: Loss of RIPK3 and Caspase-8 enhance intrinsic apoptosis in tubular epithelial cell (TEC) death and contributes to kidney ischemia reperfusion injury (IRI)

Supervisor: Dr. Anthony Jevnikar

Best Poster, PGY1-3: **Michael Nicholson, PGY-2**

Title: Establishing an in vivo Pneumonia Model in Sprague-Dawley Rats

Supervisor: Dr. Cory Yamashita

Best Poster, PGY1-3: **John Basmaji, PGY-2**

Title: Impact of a Critical Care Outreach Program on Night time Discharges from the Intensive Care Unit (ICU)

Supervisor: Dr. Raymond Kao

Best Poster, PGY4-6: **Michelle Jung, PGY-5**

Title: Rate of severe infection in anti-neutrophilic cytoplasmic antibody vasculitis patients treated with cyclophosphamide: a meta-analysis.

Supervisor: Dr. Lillian Barra

Best Poster, MSc, MD or Undergrad Student: **Arthi Rajamohan, MSc Student**

Title: Are Homocitrullinated Lipoproteins Involved in the Pathogenesis of Rheumatoid Arthritis-Associated Atherosclerosis?

Supervisors: Dr. Lillian Barra

Best Poster, PhD Student or Post-Doctoral Fellow: **Brandon Banaschewski, PhD Student**

Title: An antimicrobial peptide with pulmonary surfactant compound as a potential treatment of bacterial pneumonia

Supervisor: Drs. Ruud Veldhuizen and Cory Yamashita

General Internal Medicine Research Award: **Anurag Bhalla, PGY-1**

Title: Neuropathy and Urinary Retention: a rare case of Autoimmune Syndrome Associated with Adjuvant.

Supervisor: Dr. Wassim Saad

General Internal Medicine Research Award: **Lucas Ciprietti, PGY-2**

Title: An Audit of Laboratory Investigation Ordering Practices on the Medicine Clinical Teaching Unit

Supervisor: Dr. Andrew Smaggus