TTUHSC El Paso 14th Annual Research Symposium

April 19th – 21st

Many of our students represented our department with posters and a podium talk!

Fernando Mendez, Rowan Sankar, and Catalina Aloman (MS1s)
“The Potential Use of Stem Cells in Treating Growth Arrest in Children/Adolescents: A Systematic Review”

William Davis (MS2)
“Opioids in Arthroscopic Rotator Cuff Repair”
Veronica Rosen (middle left), Katherine Schenkel (right) and Bryant Transtrum (right) and other students (Dept of Surgery poster), (MS3s) (not pictured: Allen Wang, MS3)
“A Collaborative Approach in Managing Ulnar Neuropathy at the Wrist: A Case Report”

Ethan Heh and Mohammad Yousaf (MS1s)
“Cancer, Pathological Fractures and the Challenges of Internal Fixation: A Systematic Review”

Miraal Dharamsi (MS3) (not pictured: Christopher Castagno, MS2)
“Cancer, Pathological Fractures and the Challenges of Internal Fixation: A Systematic Review”
Joseph Beales and Shayli Schulz (MS1s)
“Local and Systemic Effects of Intramedullary Reaming: A Systematic Review”

Mitchell (Garrett) McClain and Nikit Venishetty (MS1s) (not pictured: Angelica Zambrano, MS1)
“Current Strategies for Decreasing Disparities in Orthopaedic Care: A Systematic Review”

William Davis (MS2)
“Oncologic Malpractice Claims Against Orthopaedic Surgeons”
(not pictured: Shravya Kichena, MS2)
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May 13th

Thank you to our distinguished guest and speaker, Dr. Joseph Hsu for joining us, and for your insightful lectures!

Congratulations to Dr. Cole Patrick (PGY-2) for winning the Ernst Dehne Award for his presentation “Arthroplasty Has Surpassed Surgical Fixation for Radial Head Fractures Among ABOS Part II Candidates Despite Increased Complications at 60 Days Follow-Up: A 19-year Observational Study.”

Our Program Coordinators!
Left: Karla Villa (TTUHSC)
Right: Saconda Parks (WBAMC)

Some of our Medical Students and Research Coordinator
Left to right:
Michael Rainey (MS1), Alberto Marin (MS3), Krysta Caudle (MS3), Brianna Godinez (Research Coordinator), Veronica Rosen (MS3), Fernando Mendez (MS1) and Dillon Stone (MS1)
(not pictured: Ethan Heh, MS1)
Thanks to the orthopaedic equipment representatives for attending and showcasing their products!
Resident Presentations

Dr. Justin Orr and Dr. E’Stephan Garcia presenting Dr. Joseph Hsu his award

Dr. Joseph Hsu presenting the Dehne award to Dr. Cole Patrick

Dr. Adam Adler and Dr. E’Stephan Garcia between presentations
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PGY-5s, Guest and Faculty
Left to Right:
Dr. Rajiv Rajani, Dr. Michael Eckhoff (PGY-5), Dr. Joseph Hsu, Dr. Kyle Bockelman (PGY-5), Dr. Josh Tadlock (PGY-5), Dr. Justin Orr and Dr. E’Stephan Garcia
(not pictured: PGY-5 Dr. Hunter Graver)

PGY-4s
Dr. Kyle Klahs, Dr. John Scanaliato, Dr. Tyler Nicholson and Dr. Michael Polmear
(not pictured: Dr. Austin Fares)

Dr. Rajiv Rajani, Dr. Joseph Hsu and Dr. Justin Orr
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PGY-3s
Dr. Benjamin Childs and Dr. Josh Simson
(not pictured: Dr. Isaac Fernandez, Dr. Mikel Tihista and Dr. Matthew Wells)

PGY-2s
Dr. Anthony Gavalas, Dr. Cole Patrick and Dr. Lauren Kenney
(not pictured: Dr. Jeff Jones and Dr. James Jordan)

PGY-1s
Dr. Aaron Folsom, Dr. Cole Johnson, Dr. Kayleigh Renfro, Dr. Reid Tompkins and Dr. Franklin Powlan
See you next year!