Pathology and Microbiology Graduate Student Research Seminar Series

Presents awards and Recognition to Graduate Students
2015 – 2016
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Graduated Students

Summer & Fall Semester 2015

Vivek Mahajan, Ph.D.
Lin Zhang, Ph.D.
Cortney Heim, Ph.D.
Mohammad Awaji, M.S. (CLS)
Shane Smithee, Ph.D.
Abhilasha Purohit, Ph.D.
Weiwei Zhang, Ph.D. (Bioinformatics)

Spring Semester 2016

Derek Moormeier, Ph.D.
Ian Windham, Ph.D.
Neha Zutshi, Ph.D.
Lee Jaramillo, M.S.

MD/PhD scholars Program:
Matthew Dale, Ph.D.
Joseph Rohr, Ph.D.
2nd Place – Best presentation at the Graduate Student Research Seminar 2015 - 2016

Tra-My Hoang
1st Place – Best presentation at the Graduate Student Research Seminar 2015 - 2016

Tyler Scherr
“Pathology and Microbiology Cash Award for Excellence” demonstrated at the Midwest Student Biomedical Research Forum (MSBRF) 2016

Navatha Shree Polavaram
Graduate Studies
Assistantships/Fellowships
2015-2016

Matthew Dale
Tyler Scherr (AHA fellowship)
Shane Smithee
Neha Zutshi
Julia Warnke

Assistantship/Fellowship applications:
UNMC › Graduate Studies › Funding Opportunities › Assistantship-Fellowship Information
Tra-My Hoang

Selected as the Pathology and Microbiology Student Representative 2016-
Saraswoti Khadge

AACR Scholar-in-Training Award in Memory of Dr. Lee W. Wattenberg for AACR annual meeting, New Orleans LA, April, 2016
Tyler Scherr

Student Senator and the Graduate Student Association President 2015 - 2016

- UNMC Student Leadership Scholarship (2015)
  “Staphylococcus aureus biofilms induce macrophage dysfunction through leukocidin AB and a-toxin”

- Selected to attend St. Jude National Graduate Student Symposium March, 2016.
Seth Stauffer

• ASBMB 2016 Travel Award to present a poster at the Experimental Biology conference in San Diego, April 2016. "Regulation of AMP-Kinase by CDK1 in Mitosis"

Neha Zutshi

Travel award to Keystone Symposium on Stem Cells and Cancer, Beaver Run Resort, Breckenridge, CO, March 2016
Poster: “Requirement of CBL Family Ubiquitin Ligases for Intestinal Epithelial Stem Cell Maintenance”
Greetings!
Publications 2015-2016

Congratulations to all students who have published their research!