



2011 FOEM Competition Winners

Congratulations!!!

2011 FOEM Case Study Poster Competition

- 1st Place: Alexis Davison, D.O. from St. Joseph's Regional Medical Center
 - Spontaneous Subdural Hematoma in a Patient Taking Fondaparinux
- 2nd Place: Schakia Eze, D.O. from St. Joseph's Regional Medical Center
 - Streptococcus Pneumoniae Pericarditis with Purulent Pericardial Effusion in a Noenate: A Cause for Concern
- 3rd Place: Therese Mead, D.O. from Genesys Regional Medical Center
 - Evolution of Meningoencephalitis in a Post-neurosurgical Patient with Back Pain

2011 FOEM Resident Research Paper Competition sponsored by EMP

- 1st Place: Lionel Lee, D.O. from Arrowhead Regional Medical Center
 - Comparison of Short-Term Seizure Control with Intravenous vs. Oral Phenytoin Loading in the Emergency Department
- 2nd Place: Elizabeth Placzek, D.O. from St. Joseph's Regional Medical Center
 - Contrast Nephropathy: a Literature Review and Retrospective Pilot Study for Risk, Prophylaxis, and Diagnosis Following Exposure for Urgent Radiographs
- 3rd Place: Eric Grube, D.O. and Nick Van Malderen, D.O. from Doctor's Hospital
 - Prospective Study of Bedside Ultrasound in Determining Presence or Absence of Blood Flow in Patients with Testicular Pain

2011 FOEM Research Poster Competition sponsored by MedExcel

- 1st Place: Alexis Davison, D.O. from St. Joseph's Regional Medical Center
 - A Comprehensive Study on Resident Accuracy in the Performance and Interpretation of Focused Bedside Emergency Ultrasonography
- 2nd Place: Adam Schwartz, D.O. from Good Samaritan Hospital

- The Osteopathic Emergency Resident In-Service Exam as a Predictor of Success on the American Osteopathic Board of Emergency Medicine Part 1 Certifying Exam
- 3rd Place: (tie) Randall Grant, D.O. from St. Barnabas Hospital and Eric Schmeiser, D.O. from OU-HCOM: Affinity Medical Center
 - Venous Blood Gas Testing vs. the Standard Basic Metabolic Panel for the Measurement of Potassium. Are VGB Potassium Levels Accurate Enough to be Used to Make Critical Decisions Regarding Medical Management in an Urban Emergency Department?
 - Ultrasound Investigation of Leg Position Enhancing Femoral Vein Exposure for Cannulation

2011 FOEM Oral Abstract Competition sponsored by EmCare

- 1st Place: Olphabine Authouriste, D.O. from St. Luke's Hospital
 - Effect of Nebulized Furosemide in Treating Dyspnea Associated with Congestive Heart Failure
- 2nd Place: Joanne Rousseau, D.O. from Midwestern University: CCOM
 - Effects of Having a Physician in Triage on Patient Walkout Rates, Patient Satisfaction and Emergency Department Hours on Ambulance Diversion.
- 3rd Place: Julie Sanicola-Johnson, D.O. from St. Joseph's Regional Medical Center
 - A Look into ED Physicians' Attitudes and Experiences with End of Life and Palliative Care, and the Effect of Palliative Care Teams and Formal Education in the Emergency Department.

2011 FOEM Clinical Pathological Case (CPC) Competition sponsored by Schumacher Group:

- Faculty 1st Place: (tie with PERFECT SCORES) Angela Cheers, D.O. from POH Regional Medical Center and Stacey Barnes, D.O. from St. Joseph's Regional Medical Center
- Faculty 3rd Place: Annahieta Kalantari, D.O. from Aria Health
- Resident 1st Place: Dennis Heard, D.O. from Mount Sinai Medical Center
- Resident 2nd Place: Inna Kovelman, D.O. from Lehigh Valley Health Network
- Resident 3rd Place: Tamara Boots, D.O. from Aria Health