Institute A	Awards	Presenter Name
Institute	for Patient Safety	Mona Gaw, Executive Director of Quality at JPS Health Network
	Institute for Patient Safety Excellence in Patient Safety Research Award - 1st Place Poster (\$30)	0)
winner	Meenakshi Srinivasan Population Pharmacokinetics of Pemetrexed in Adult Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer Patients in India	
	Institute for Patient Safety Excellence in Patient Safety Research Award - 2 nd Place Poster (\$200	0)
winner	Rana Akkad Collection at Cook Children's Pediatric Urgent Care Centers	
	Institute for Patient Safety Excellence in Patient Safety Research Award - 3 rd Place Poster (\$10	0)
winner	Prashanth Reddy Neuroleptic Malignant Syndrome Caused by Cyclobenzaprine	

Institute	for Healthy Aging	Dr. Meharvan Singh
	Institute for Healthy Aging Poster Presentation Award - 1st Place (\$400)	
winner	Jiangnan Hu Tissue Plasminogen Activator-Porous Magnetic Nanorods for Targe Therapy after Ischemic Stroke	ted Thrombolytic
	Institute for Healthy Aging Poster Presentation Award - 2nd Place (\$200)	
winner	Mavis Tenkorang NADPH oxidase (NOX1) mediates testosterone-induced neurodege	neration
	Institute for Healthy Aging Oral Presentation Award – 1 st Place (\$400)	
winner	Trinh Nguyen let-7i Inhibition Potentiates Progesterone-Inuduced Functional Reco of Ischemia	very in a Mouse Model

North Tex	cas Eye Research Institute	Dr. Abe Clark
	North Texas Eye Research Institute	
	Graduate Student Poster Award – 1st Place (\$300)	
winner	Prabhavathi Maddineni Glucocorticoid-induced ocular hypertension leads to progressive retimpaired axonal transport and optic nerve degeneration in mice	inal ganglion cell loss,
	North Texas Eye Research Institute	
	Graduate Student Poster Award – 2nd Place (\$200)	
winner	Navita Lopez miR-200b-3p and miR-211-5p downregulate the expression of extra associated proteins in human optic nerve head astrocytes	cellular matrix and
	North Texas Eye Research Institute Graduate Student Poster Award – 3rd Place (\$100)	
winner	Pinkal Patel TRPV4-mediated regulation of intraocular pressure and outflow facil glucocorticoid-induced ocular hypertension	lity in mouse model of

School, D	epartment, and Student Association Awards	Presenter
Graduate	School of Biomedical Sciences (Postdoctoral Awards)	Dr. Ann Schreihofer
	Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences Postdoctoral Poster Award – 1 st Place (\$500)	
winner	Gef Farmer Development and Use of Sniffer Cells to Detect the Presence of Neuropeptides	
	Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences Postdoctoral Oral Presentation Award - 1st Place (\$500)	
winner	AJ Rosenberg THE IMPACT OF ACUTE CENTRAL HYPOVOLEMIA ON CERE DOES SEX MATTER?	BRAL HEMODYNAMICS:

Graduate	School of Biomedical Sciences	Dr. Johnny He
	Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences	
	Poster Presentation Award – 1 st Place (\$500)	
winner	Timothy Van Treuren	
	MIEN1 Regulates Breast Cancer Cell Migration and Invasion by Alte	ering Cytoskeletal
	Dynamics Through Focal Adhesion Kinase and N-WASP Signaling Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences	
	Poster Presentation Award – 2nd Place (\$300)	
	Poster Presentation Award – Zhu Place (3300)	
	Victor Lin	
winner	Using human pluripotent stem cell-based models to understand a co	ongenital
	deglycosylation disorder-induced abnormality in cerebral developme	
	Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences	
	Poster Presentation Award – 3rd Place (\$200)	
winner	Jiangnan Hu	tad Thrombolytia
	Tissue Plasminogen Activator-Porous Magnetic Nanorods for Targe Therapy after Ischemic Stroke	ted Thrombolytic
	Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences	
	Oral Presentation Award – 1st Place (\$500)	
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	Trinh Nguyen	
winner	Expansion of a Fall Prevention Home Assessment Program in Partn	ership with Faith
	Community Nurse Program	
Departme	ent of Microbiology, Immunology, & Genetics Dr. Johnny He	
•	Department of Microbiology, Immunology, & Genetics	
	1 st Place Poster (\$500)	
	1 11806 1 03161 (\$500)	
	Timothy Van Treuren	
winner	MIEN1 Regulates Breast Cancer Cell Migration and Invasion by Alte	ering Cytoskeletal
	Dynamics Through Focal Adhesion Kinase and N-WASP Signaling	
	Department of Microbiology, Immunology, & Genetics	
	2nd Place Poster (\$300)	
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	Andrew Gdowski	
winner	Scale up of nanolipomer microfluidic production for potential clinical	trials
	Department of Microbiology, Immunology, & Genetics	
	3rd Place Poster (\$200)	
	Aknadia Sarana Daggay	
winner	Akpedje Serena Dossou Novel therapeutic formulation for the anticancer drug valrubicin usin	n human serum albumin
WIIIICI	and D-alpha-tocopheryl polyethylene glycol 1000 succinate	g naman sorum albumili
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Departme	ent of Pharmacology & Neuroscience	Dr. Michael J. Forster
	Department of Pharmacology & Neuroscience Oral Presentation Award - 1st Place (\$400)	
winner	Trinh Nguyen let-7i Inhibition Potentiates Progesterone-Inuduced of Ischemia	Functional Recovery in a Mouse Model
	Department of Pharmacology & Neuroscience 1 st Place Poster Award (\$400)	
winner	Jiangnan Hu Tissue Plasminogen Activator-Porous Magnetic Na Therapy after Ischemic Stroke	norods for Targeted Thrombolytic
	Department of Pharmacology & Neuroscience 2nd Place Poster Award (\$200)	
winner	Brina Snyder Testosterone in the bedroom - not always good	

	ent of Physiology & Anatomy ve Physiology Program	Dr. Steve Mifflin
	Integrative Physiology Program 1 st Place Poster Award (\$300)	
winner	Alexandria B. Marciante DREADD-induced inhibition of the MnPO affects dr function in adult male rats	inking behavior and neuroendocrine
	Integrative Physiology Program	
	2nd Place Poster Award (\$200) NO PLAQUE	
winner	Parul Chaudhary Hypertensive young adult female obese zucker rats baroreflexes and poor glycemic control observed in	
	Integrative Physiology Program	
	3rd Place Poster Award (\$100) NO PLAQUE	
winner	Grace S Pham 6-Hydroxydopamine Aggravates Renal Injury and In Systemic Lupus Erythematosus	nflammation in a Murine Model of

	ent of Physiology & Anatomy Il Anatomy & Rehabilitation Graduate Program	Dr. Rustin Reeves
	Structural Anatomy & Rehabilitation Graduate Prog 1st Place Poster (\$300)	gram
winner	Alexa Pennavaria Sexual Dimorphism in the Trochlear Angle of the H Hunter-Gatherers and Agriculturalists	umerus: A preliminary investigation in

Texas Col	lege of Osteopathic Medicine	Dr. Frank Filipetto
	Toyor Callage of Ostoonathic Madicine	
	Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine Student Research Award – 1st Place (\$500)	
	Stadent Nesedicity (Wald I hade (\$300)	
winner	Kristen Payne	
	Evaluation of Metformin as an anti-cancer agent in Medulloblastoma	
	Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine	
	Student Research Award – 2 nd Place (\$250)	
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winner	Sabrina Tan Potential Mechanisms by which Chronic Benzodiazepine Promotes I	Motoric Aging in Mice
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	Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine	
	Student Research Award – Best Case Study (\$250)	
	Nicolet Finger	
winner	Slow-growing benign tumors with potential for functional disability in	Neuroblastoma: a case
	study.	
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	Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine Honors Student Research Award – 1st Place (\$250)	
	Honors Student Nesearth Award – 1 Frace (\$250)	
_	Karolina Kata	
winner	Estimated community prevalence of Autism Spectrum Disorder with occurring Developmental Coordination Disorder significantly exceed	
	at two Tarrant County sites offering primary and secondary care.	o obodivou provalonoe

Departme	ent of Pediatrics	Dr. Paul Bowman
	Department of Dedictries	
	Department of Pediatrics	
	Pediatric Research Award - 1 st Place (\$300)	
winner	Kristen Payne	
wiiiiei	Evaluation of Metformin as an anti-cancer agent in	Medulloblastoma
	Department of Pediatrics	
	Pediatric Research Award - 2 nd Place (\$200)	
	Nicolet Finger	
winner	Slow-growing benign tumors with potential for funct study.	ional disability in Neuroblastoma: a case

Department of Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine	Dr. Ryan Seals
Department of Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine	
OMM-IM Korr, PhD Memorial Award – 1st Place	e (\$250)

winner

Molly Chang Effects of Practicing Osteopathic Manipulation Technique (OMT) on Hand Function

Medical S	tudent Government Association	Kelly Sanders, President-Medical Student Government Association
	Medical Student Government Association Best in First Year Class (\$200)	
winner	Dennis Kulp Immunological effects of vagus nerve stimulation in murine systemic	: lupus erythematosus
	Medical Student Government Association Best in Second Year Class (\$200)	
winner	Kristen Payne Evaluation of Metformin as an anti-cancer agent in Medulloblastoma	l
	Medical Student Government Association Best in Third Year Class (\$200)	
winner	Ranna Al-Dossari Diagnosis and Management of Pyomyositis	
	Medical Student Government Association Best in Fourth Year Class (\$200)	
winner	Paresh Atu Jaini Epigenetic Evidence to Advance Utility of Lifestyle Interventions in M Primary Care Practice	lanaging Depression in

UNT Heal	th Science Center	Dr. David Farmer
	UNT Health Science Center Interprofessionalism Poster Award – 1 st Place (\$250)	
winner	Myrna Hurtado Evaluation of Stability and Anti-cancer activity of Copper(II) Tolfenar emphasis on Pancreatic	nic Acid with an

UNT Health Science Center		Dr. Lisa Nash
	UNT Health Science Center 2018 Resident Research Award – 1 st Place (\$300) NO PLAQUE	
winner	Christopher Bates The Radiographic Prepatellar Fat Thickness Ratio Correlates with In Total Knee Arthroplasty	nfection Risk following

UNT Health		Dr. Jeff Beeson	
	UNT Health Poster Award for Health Care Delivery – 1 st Place	ce (\$250)	
winner Kayan Dunnigan Factors Associated with Patient Satisfaction in a Pediatric Setting Based on a Newly Developed Survey Instrument			

School of	Public Health & Public Health Student Government Association Dr. Dennis Thombs	
	School of Public Health & Public Health Student Government Association 1st Place Poster (\$500)	
winner	Abdullah Mamun Using Machine Learning Technique to Explore Factors Associated with Change in Quality of Life Among Permanent Supportive Housing Residents	
	School of Public Health & Public Health Student Government Association 2 nd Place Poster (\$350)	
winner	Alexis Rendon Differences by Depression Severity Category in Cigarette Smoking Among Low-Income Housing Residents	
	School of Public Health & Public Health Student Government Association 3 rd Place Poster (\$200) TIE	
	Armando L. Moreno A Market-based Approach to Improving Passive Surveillance of Tuberculosis in Tarrant County	
winner	AND	
	Brandon Hoff The association between enrollment in the supplemental nutrition assistance program and household food security status	

School of	Health Professions	Dr. Nicoleta Bugnariu
	School of Health Professions	
	Physician Assistant Studies Poster Award – 1 st Place (\$300)	
	Lauren Hatfield	
winner	Current Physical Activity Levels may Not be a Protective Factor for 0 Women Ages 55 to 64	Cognitive Decline in
	School of Health Professions Physical Therapy Program Poster Award – 1 st Place (\$300)	
	rifysical merapy rrogram roster Award - 1 Prace (\$500)	
winner	Taylin Watson Does Cognitive Restructuring Improve Postural Control in Older Adu	ults?

UNT Syst	em College of Pharmacy Dr. Tina Machu
	UNT System College of Pharmacy Basic Research Award – 1 st place (\$350)
winner	Duen-shian Wang A Mechanism study toward understanding the protective effects of glutaredoxin 2 (Grx2) on light-induced retinal damage
	UNT System College of Pharmacy Basic Research Award – 2nd place (\$250)
winner	Xiaobin Liu Using Grapes as a Magic Bullet to Fight Against Free Radicals in the Eye: Application for Cataract Prevention
	UNT System College of Pharmacy Basic Research Award – 3rd place (\$150)
winner	Jennie N. Tran The Stability of Quetiapine Fumarate 10 mg/mL Compounded Oral Suspension in Ora-Blend and Ora-Sweet Vehicles Over Time at Two Temperatures
	UNT System College of Pharmacy Clinical Research Award – 1 st Place (\$350)
winner	Surulivelrajan Mallayasamy Update of Population Pharmacokinetic Model for Tenofovir (TFV) in HIV-1-Uninfected Members of Serodiscordant Couples
	UNT System College of Pharmacy Clinical Research Award – 2nd Place (\$250)
winner	Meenakshi Srinivasan Population Pharmacokinetics of Pemetrexed in Adult Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer Patients in India
	UNT System College of Pharmacy Clinical Research Award – 3rd Place (\$150)
winner	Keeley Stone Managing Safety and Efficacy In ADHD: A New Wave Of Approaching Treatment Options

Community Awards Pro		Presenter
Quest Diagnostics Dr.		Dr. Ghorpade
winner	Quest Diagnostics 2018 Research Award (\$500) Olga Sizova Atrophied thymus can serve as a tumor reservoir for harborin	g melanoma cells
TECH Fort Worth		Mr. Hayden Blackburn
winner	2018 TECH Fort Worth Innovation Award - Innovative resear with the greatest commercial potential (\$300) Andrew Gdowski Scale up of nanolipomer microfluidic production for potential clinical trials	ch