

# **WINNERS AT THE 2014 DEPARTMENT OF PATHOLOGY AND LABORATORY MEDICINE ANNUAL RESEARCH DAY**

## **Nadia Mikhael Award for Best Paper presented by a Junior Resident**

### **Soufiane El Hallani**

**“SEEING IS BELIEVING”: DIRECT AUTOFLUORESCENCE VISUALIZATION TO GUIDE BREAST SPECIMEN GROSSING - A PROOF-OF-CONCEPT**

**Soufiane El Hallani**<sup>1</sup>, Catherine Poh<sup>2</sup>, Shaheed Hakim<sup>1</sup>, Pierre Lane<sup>2</sup>, Denis Gravel<sup>1</sup>, Susan Robertson<sup>1</sup>, Shahidul Islam<sup>1</sup>

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## **2<sup>nd</sup> Best paper by a Junior Resident**

### **Jason Wasserman**

**TUMOUR REGRESSION IN MAMMARY HIGH GRADE DUCTAL CARCINOMA IN SITU IS ASSOCIATED WITH HORMONE STATUS BUT NOT INVASION**

**Jason K Wasserman MD PhD** and Carlos Parra-Herran MD

## **Virbala Acharya Award for Best Presentation by a Senior Resident or Fellow**

### **Philip Berardi**

**RESOLUTION OF MATERNAL D TYPING USING SEROLOGY AND GENOTYPING**

**P Berardi**<sup>1</sup>, J Hannon<sup>2</sup>, G Clarke, T Alport<sup>2</sup>, G Growe<sup>2</sup>, D Lane<sup>2</sup>, R Fallis<sup>2</sup>, J Cote<sup>2</sup>, G Ochoa<sup>3</sup>, M Goldman<sup>2</sup>

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## **2<sup>nd</sup> Best paper by a Senior Resident or Fellow**

### **Phillip Williams**

**NUCLEAR H&E STAINING PATTERN IN FLAT EPITHELIAL ATYPIA OF THE BREAST PREDICTS PRESENCE OF CARCINOMA ON EXCISION: A DIGITAL IMAGE BASED HISTOPATHOLOGIC ANALYSIS**

**Phillip A. Williams MD**, Bojana Djordjevic MD, Yasmine Ayroud MD, Shahidul Islam MD, Denis Gravel MD, Susan Robertson MD and Carlos E. Parra-Herran MD

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## **Best Poster Presentation by a Graduate Student** **Munerah Hamed**

### **MOLECULAR MECHANISM OF P300 ACTIVITY DURING EARLY MYOGENESIS**

**Munerah Hamed** and Qiao Li

Departments of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, and of Cellular and Molecular Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, University of Ottawa.

## **2<sup>nd</sup> Best Poster Presentation by a Graduate Student** **Hamood Alsudais**

### **MOLECULAR REGULATION OF EARLY MYOGENESIS**

**Hamood Alsudais** and Qiao Li

and

## **Yuka Sai**

### **CHARACTERIZATION OF IMPAIRED INSULIN SIGNALLING IN ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE**

**Yuka Sai**, Wandong Zhang, and Qiao Li

Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, and Department of Cellular and Molecular Medicine, University of Ottawa

## **Best Poster Presentation by a Resident** **Dr. Shaheed Hakim**

### **TUMOR INFILTRATING LYMPHOCYTES ARE CORRELATED WITH RCBI AND KI67 IN POST NEOADJUVANT BREAST CANCER**

**Shaheed W. Hakim MD**<sup>1</sup>, Nina Chang MD<sup>1</sup>, Mark Clemons MD FRCP(UK)<sup>2</sup>, Angel Arnaut MD FRCSC<sup>1</sup>, Denis H. Gravel MD FRCPC<sup>1</sup>, Susan J Robertson MD FRCPC<sup>1</sup>

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## **2<sup>nd</sup> Best Poster Presentation by a Resident** **Dr. Nadia Sant**

### **PSEUDO-OUTBREAK OF *MYCOBACTERIUM FORTUITUM* DUE TO CONTAMINATED ICE MACHINES**

**N. Sant**<sup>1-3\*</sup>, M. Desjardins<sup>1-3</sup>, V. Chirip<sup>1</sup>, R. Ettinger<sup>1</sup>, I. Gorn<sup>1</sup>, V. Roth<sup>2-3</sup>

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**Dr. M. Orizaga Award for Best Teacher**

**Dr. Susan Robertson**