

9th Annual Research Poster Symposium

Here's an opportunity for any osteopathic student, resident, or fellow to showcase their knowledge AND be rewarded for doing so! The Osteopathic Founders Foundation is honored to partner with the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association's Annual Research Symposium to fund the second place award of \$2,000. The first place winner will take home \$2,500, funded by the OOA and the third place winner will walk away with \$1,500 from the OEFOM. These three organizations are collaborating to promulgate current osteopathic research and stimulate interest in future research projects.

Time is short for entries, with abstracts and posters due on December 1, 2017. Awards will be presented during the OOA Winter CME Conference on January 27, 2018. If you know a student, resident, or fellow, please encourage them to participate. More information, and complete entry criteria, are available at okosteo.org.

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Mission Statement

The mission of the Osteopathic Founders Foundation is to support osteopathic medical education, to enhance the public's understanding of osteopathic medicine, and to improve the health of the community through projects consistent with the osteopathic philosophy.

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It's A New Decade of Winterset!

February 24, 2018 will bring to Tulsa the thirty-first event honoring our profession, our community partners, and the worthy beneficiaries of the evening. If you've missed some of the past 30 celebrations, don't let it happen again! Winterset 2018 Chairs, Drs. Krystina and Jason Beaman invite you to join them for the best party of the season! Winterset Fresco will not disappoint!

Joe Mathis of the JA Mathis Company, leader of our creative team, has promised another stunning event at the Hyatt Regency - Downtown Tulsa. Chef has already told us a few secrets about his menu that we think you'll love. Guests will be delighted by the new music of Hook. This 8 piece group from Oklahoma City will keep you on the dance floor until you drop. Also entertaining you this year will be... well that's a surprise so you'll have to be there to find out. Some of your favorite door prizes will return but new, exciting packages will be added so don't miss your chance to win. Follow Winterset on Facebook or at WintersetTulsa.com to learn more.

Of course Winterset is about the celebration of service to our community.

Project TCMS is a community partnership designed to improve access to specialty health care for low-income, uninsured residents of Tulsa County. It combines care provided in primary care safety net clinics in Tulsa County with donated specialty care in a coordinated referral program led by the Tulsa County Medical Society Foundation. It's designed to enhance the work of existing safety net clinics and other community agencies.

Your support will also have a profound effect on the future of osteopathic medical education in Oklahoma through support of the new, state-of-the-art ICU simulation suite at the **Oklahoma State University College of Osteopathic Medicine**. Countless students will benefit from this experiential learning environment which will prepare them to care for patients throughout Oklahoma and beyond.

And finally, your incredible generosity will provide **scholarships** to two of Oklahoma's

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Drs.
Krystina
and Jason
Beaman



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finest students. These young people will be selected for their academic achievement, community engagement, and college ambassadorship. They represent the future of osteopathic medicine in Oklahoma and are grateful for your support.

Many thanks to our osteopathic community for recommending these worthy organizations to be the beneficiaries of Winterset philanthropy. Now let's make these grants possible. February 24, 2018 is just around the corner! It's not too late (nor too early) to reserve your place. Go online, return your pledge card in the mail, or just call Michele at the office. Here's an idea: call a group of your friends and plan your own table. The Foundation is proud to continue the tradition of Winterset for our osteopathic family and community partners; something we can only do with your support. Our greatest thanks to Krystina Beaman, M.D. and Jason Beaman, D.O. for volunteering to chair this special evening. Let's tell them how much they are appreciated by making it another sell-out crowd.

See you in February.

Time for Your Vote

Many thanks to the members of the Osteopathic Founders Foundation's nominating committee for their work in developing a slate of candidates for election to the Foundation's 2018 Board of Directors. Foundation chairman, Scott Cyrus, D.O. appointed Laura Arrowsmith, D.O., Mousumi Som, D.O., and Danny Thomason, D.O. to serve with him as the 2017 nominating committee.



The following slate of nominees, which was accepted by the Board of Directors on October 17, 2017, is presented by the committee, each to serve a three-year term beginning in 2018.

- Andrew Crawford, D.O.
- Jeremy Fullingim, D.O.
- Mousumi Som, D.O. (incumbent)
- Danny Thomason, D.O. (incumbent)

Retiring from the Foundation's Board of Directors at the end of 2017 are Daniel Morris, D.O. and Candy Ting, D.O. who have each completed two consecutive terms in office. We express our deepest appreciation to both for their contributions and dedicated service to the Foundation. Ballots have been mailed to all current and lifetime members. Please be sure to return your ballot, in the enclosed envelope or by fax, not later than December 31, 2017.

Money Matters!

We think you'd all agree, so we're pleased to announce that the Accountant's Review Report and Financial Statements for the year ended December 31, 2016 are available for you to view online at www.osteopathic.org. Our accounting firm, BKD, LLP is currently finalizing the annual Form 990. Following a review by the Board of Directors, that document will be filed with the IRS and posted to the website by November 15, 2017. The Foundation leadership is committed to responsible stewardship of the Foundation's assets and want to fully disclose the results of our annual operations to our members and the public. Please always feel free to call us with any questions you may have.



Meet Our Scholars



Danielle Strawn, OMS IV



W. Daniel Chapman, OMS IV

The Osteopathic Founders Foundation's Tribute Scholars are recognized annually for high academic achievement, outstanding college ambassadorship, and meaningful community service. These highly competitive awards are granted to two students, chosen from among the top 20% of the third year class at Oklahoma State University College of Osteopathic Medicine. It is a challenging task for the Scholarship Committee to review the impressive accomplishments of these young student doctors. Our thanks to this year's committee; Danny Thomason, D.O., Chair; Tom Hamilton, D.O.; Candy Ting, D.O.; and 2017 Outstanding Physician honoree, Michael Whitworth, D.O.

Receiving a \$5,000 award this year was Danielle Strawn, OMS IV. A cum laude graduate of the University of Oklahoma, Danielle has held leadership positions in Sigma Sigma Phi and the American Medical Women's Association. She has represented OSU-COM through her work as an Operation Orange Student Leader working with high school students across the state to introduce them to osteopathic medicine. She is an active community volunteer working annually as a medical team volunteer for the OKC Memorial Marathon and with the local Days for Girls project. Her volunteerism has earned her the TOUCH Gold Award for over 100 hours of volunteer service all while maintaining over a 3.9 GPA.

Other Honors and Awards

Recipient of the \$10,000 Outstanding Scholar Award which is presented in honor of the Foundation's 2017 Outstanding Physician honoree, is W. Daniel Chapman, Pharm D. OMS IV. He is a cum laude graduate of Southwestern Oklahoma State University where he earned his Doctor of Pharmacy. Student Doctor Chapman is a member of Sigma Sigma Phi and has served in leadership roles with SOMA and the ACOP student chapter. He has co-authored two articles recently accepted for publication in *The Clinical Neuropsychologist*. Daniel has represented his school through recruitment events for the Blue Coat to White Coat Program and as a group leader for Operation Orange Medical Summer Camp. As an alumnus of SWOSU, he participated in a recruitment event on that campus to encourage careers in osteopathic medicine. Student Doctor Chapman has been active as a community volunteer, participating in community health fairs, St. Baldrick's fundraisers, Walk MS, and many other initiatives. Daniel hopes to pursue post-graduate training in neurology.

Congratulations to each of these exceptional young students. We are pleased to be able to support them in their path to becoming an outstanding osteopathic physician.

The Osteopathic Founders Foundation endowed the Osteopathic Legacy Scholarship at OSU-COM, though the OSU Foundation, in 2010. The award is designated to be presented annually to a third or fourth year medical student who plans to enter a primary care residency program and eventually practice in an underserved Oklahoma community. 2017 recipients are Owais Durrani, OMS IV and Calli Schardein, OMS IV.

In 2015 the Osteopathic Founders Foundation partnered with the SOMA Foundation to create the Community and Preventive Medicine Scholarship. This \$1,000 scholarship, administered by the SOMA Foundation, is open to any osteopathic medical student with a demonstrated desire to work in the field of community medicine. Receiving the 2017 award was Nicole B. Shumway, OMS II from the Des Moines University College of Osteopathic Medicine. Congratulations to each of these outstanding students.

Receiving

We're grateful for the following contributions received in 2017:

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