

**2006 Society of General Internal Medicine Annual Meeting
Award Winners**

Below is a list of those who received awards at the 29th SGIM Annual Meeting, in Los Angeles, CA. SGIM is proud to recognize these individuals, who have exhibited exceptional leadership and initiative in the field of general internal medicine in the past year. Congratulations, and continue your good work!

Nominated Awards

Elnora M. Rhodes SGIM Service Award

Stephan Fihn, MD, MPH, University of Washington Medical School

Robert J. Glaser Award

Wishwa Kapoor, MD, University of Pittsburgh Medical School

Herbert W. Nickens Award

Lisa Cooper, MD, MPH, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

Research Awards

John M. Eisenberg National Award for Career Achievement in Research

Harry P. Selker, MD, MSPH, New England Medical Center

Outstanding Junior Investigator of the Year

Kevin Volpp, MD, PhD, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine

Mid-Career Research Mentorship Award

Christopher Callahan, MD, FACP, Regenstrief Institute

Best Published Research Paper

Richard Kravitz, MD, University of California, Davis School of Medicine

R. L. Kravitz, R. M. Epstein, M. D. Feldman, C. E. Franz, R. Azari, M. S. Wilkes, L. Hinton, and P. Franks
Influence of Patients' Requests for Direct-to-Consumer Advertised Antidepressants: A Randomized Controlled Trial
JAMA, April 27, 2005; 293(16): 1995 - 2002.

Best Research Abstract in Women's Health

Israel de Alba, Assistant Professor, UC Irvine

(Israel de Alba, F.A. Hubbell, A. Manetta. Does Awareness of HPV Status Improve Willingness to Have Pap Smears Among Latinas?)

Jeanette Tetrault, Resident, Yale New Haven Hospital

(Tetrault, Jeannette M., R.A. Desai, W.C. Becker, D.A. Fiellin, J. Concato, L.E. Sullivan, Risk Factors Associated with Abuse of Prescription Opioids in Women: Results of a National Survey.)

Clinician-Educator Awards

National Award for Career Achievements in Medical Education

Stephen J. McPhee, MD, UCSF Medical School

National Awards for Scholarship in Medical Education

Christopher Smith, MD, Harvard Medical School

Scott D. Stern, MD, University of Chicago Pritzker School of Med.

Sondra Zabar, MD, New York University School of Medicine

Regional Awards

California Regional Resident Presentation Of The Year

Jason Williams, MD, MPH, Stanford University

Racial/Ethnic Variation in Perceptions of Medical Information

Southern Regional Resident Presentation Of The Year

Krista Bowers, MD, University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio

Physician Interaction Style And Hemoglobin A1c: Does It Make A Difference?

New England Regional Resident Presentation Of The Year

Kevin M. Baran, MD, MPH, Yale University School of Medicine

Positive Deviance: A New Process for Improving Professional Performance for Quality and Safety in the Health Care Setting

Northwest Regional Resident Presentation Of The Year

Justen Rudolph, MD, Providence Portland Medical Center

Increasing Access to Glucose Monitoring Improves Diabetic Care In an Uninsured Population

Mid-Atlantic Regional Resident Presentation Of The Year

Chetan Shenoy, MD

Guthrie/Robert Packer Hospital

When a Tremor is Not Benign

Midwest Regional Resident Presentation Of The Year

Charles D. Marshall, MD, University of Cincinnati School of Medicine

Best Resident for a vignette

Grants

Lawrence S. Linn Award

Carla A. Zelaya, MSc, Bloomberg School of Public Health

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Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, *Boston, MA*

From the Heart Foundation, *Moses Lake, WA*

Bowling Green State University

Krui Lim, MD, Director of medical education and Research, Program director of Women' health in HIV/AIDS, *Cambodia*

Mahosot Hosital, *Vietiane, Lao*

Bugando Medical Centre, *Tanzania, Africa*

Social Health Clinic, *Phenom Pehn, Cambodia*

Shaukat Khanum Memorial Cancer Hospital and Research Centre, *Lahore, Pakistan*

Universities of Belgrade, Skopje and Sarajevo

Presentation Awards

Mack Lipkin Sr. Associate Awards:

Ingrid Binswanger, University of Washington

Release From Prison: A High-Risk Time For Death?

Andrea Kronman, Boston University School of Medicine
Primary Care Visits Reduce Hospital Utilization Of Medicare Beneficiaries At The End Of Life

Sarah Cutrona, Harvard Medical School
Free Pharmaceutical Samples: Characteristics Of US Recipients In 2002

Milton Hamolsky Junior Faculty Awards:

Ashish Jha, Harvard Medical School
Where Do Elderly Black Americans Receive Hospital Care? Racial Concentration In Hospital Care And The Performance Of Hospitals That Care For Blacks

Thomas Sequist, Brigham and Women's Hospital
Missed Opportunities In The Management Of Early Acute Ischemic Heart Disease In The Primary Care Setting

Vineet Arora, University of Chicago
Measuring Quality Of Care For Hospitalized Vulnerable Elders: Use Of Acove Quality Indicators