

Year	Honorable Mention Clinical Research Thesis Awards
1998	Kenneth M. Grundfast, MD <i>Eardrum Retraction Pockets and Acquired Cholesteatoma in Children</i>
1999	Randal Paniello, MD <i>Laryngeal Reinnervation with Hypoglossal Nerve</i>
2000	Seth I. Rosenberg, MD <i>The Natural History of Acoustic Neuromas</i>
2001	Mark S. Courey, MD <i>Homologous Collagen Substances for Vocal Fold Augmentation</i>
2002	Christopher J. Linstrom, MD <i>Objective Facial Motion Analysis in Patients with Facial Nerve Dysfunction</i>
2003	Phillip K. Pellitteri, DO <i>Directed Parathyroid Exploration: Evolution and Evaluation of this Approach in a Single Institution Review of 346 Patients</i> James C. Alex, MD <i>The Application of Sentinel Node Radiolocalization to Solid Tumors of the Head and Neck--A Ten Year Experience</i>
2004	Donald T. Weed, MD <i>MUC4 and ErbB2 Expression in Squamous Cell Carcinoma of the Upper Aerodigestive Tract: Correlation with Clinical Outcomes</i>
2005	George T. Hashisaki, MD <i>Acute Bacterial Meningitis: Implications for Sensorineural Hearing Loss</i> Judith C. McCaffrey, MD <i>Aerodigestive Tract Invasion by Well-Differentiated Thyroid Carcinoma: Diagnosis, Management, Prognosis, and Biology</i>
2006	Neil Bhattacharyya, MD <i>Clinical and Symptom Criteria for the Accurate Diagnosis of Chronic Rhinosinusitis</i>

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2007	<p>Joel A. Ernster, MD <i>Rising Incidence of Oropharyngeal Squamous Cell Carcinoma in Colorado and the United States and the Potential Role of Oncogenic Human Papilloma Virus</i></p> <p>Natasha Mirza, MD <i>Gustatory Impairment in Patients Undergoing Radiation Therapy for Head and Neck Cancer</i></p>
2008	<p>Marshall E. Smith, MD <i>Mitomycin C and the Endoscopic Treatment of Laryngotracheal Stenosis: Are Two Applications Better Than One?</i></p>
2009	<p>Stephen F. Conley, MD FACS <i>Outcomes of Tonsillectomy in Neurologically Impaired Children</i></p> <p>David R. Friedland, MD PhD <i>Audiometric Pattern as a Predictor of Cardiovascular Status: Development of a Model for Assessment of Risk</i></p>
2010	<p>Peter C. Belafsky, MD PhD <i>Manual Control of the Upper Esophageal Sphincter</i></p> <p>Seth M. Cohen, MD MPH <i>Impact of Dysphonia in a Primary Care Population: An Epidemiological Investigation</i></p> <p>Jeffrey H. Spiegel, MD <i>Facial Determinants of Female Gender and Feminizing Forehead Cranioplasty</i></p>
2011	<p>Carol R. Bradford, MD FACS <i>Biomarkers in Advanced Larynx Cancer</i></p> <p>Gregory J. Wiet, MD FACS <i>Virtual Temporal Bone Dissection System: Development and Testing</i></p>
2012	<p>Bruce H. Haughey, MBChB FACS <i>Survival and Prognostic Factors Unique to Surgically Treated p16 Oropharyngeal Cancer</i></p>

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2013	<p>Amy Y. Chen, MD FACS <i>Temporal Trends in Oropharyngeal Cancer Treatment and Survival: 1998-2009</i></p> <p>Sam J. Daniel, MD MSC <i>Outcomes of an Innovative Ambulatory Minimally Invasive Botulinum Toxin Injection Technique in a Cohort of Drooling Children</i></p> <p>Tanya K. Meyer, MD BS <i>Voice Disorders in the Workplace: Productivity in Spasmodic Dysphonia and the Impact of Botulinum Toxin</i></p>
2014	<p>Andrew R. Scott, MD FACS <i>Regional Variations in the Presentation and Surgical Management of Pierre Robin Sequence</i></p>
2015	<p>Oliver F. Adunka, MD <i>Round Window Electrocochleography before and after Cochlear Implant Electrode Insertion</i></p> <p>Hamid R. Djalilian, MD <i>Development of a Novel Completely-in-the-Canal Direct-Drive Hearing Device</i></p> <p>Brett A. Miles, MD DDS FACS <i>Feasibility of Intraoperative Margin Control Utilizing High Resolution Microendoscopy Optical Imaging for Head and Neck Squamous Cell Carcinoma</i></p>
2016	No Award
2017	<p>Daniel H. Coelho, MD FACS <i>MRI Surveillance of Vestibular Schwannomas without Contrast Enhancement: Clinical and Economic Evaluation</i></p>
2018	<p>Paul C. Bryson, MD FACS <i>Oropharyngeal Symptoms Following Suspension Laryngoscopy: Procedural Factors and the Impact of Submucosal Perfusion Using Capillaroscopy</i></p>
2019	<p>Hadi Seikaly, MD <i>Occlusion Driven and Digitally Based Jaw Reconstruction with Immediate Osseointegrated Implant Installation</i></p>

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2020	Reena Dhanda Patil, MD MBA <i>Hypoglossal Nerve Stimulation: Outcomes in Veterans with Common Comorbid Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder</i>
2021	Cecelia E. Schmalbach, MD MSc FACS <i>Impact of Immunosuppression on Cutaneous Head and Neck Squamous Cell Carcinoma</i>