2023 ARGUS AWARDS NOMINEES

BEST MS1 COURSE

Patient, Doctor, and Society, Module Director(s): Caroline Harada, MD, Medicine and KeAndrea Titer, MD, Medicine

Introduction to Clinical Medicine, Course Director(s): Stan Massie, MD, Medicine; Jessica Schmitt, MD, Pediatrics; Marissa Dean, MD, Neurology

Fundamentals of Medicine, Module Director(s): Laura Fraser, PhD, Cell, Developmental & Integrative Biology

Cardiovascular, Module Director(s): Silvio Litovsky, MD, Pathology and Harish Doppalapudi, MD, Medicine

Pulmonary, Module Director(s): Pilar Acosta Lara, MD, Medicine and Mukesh Patel, MD, Medicine

Gastrointestinal, Module Director(s): Cathy Fuller, PhD, Cell, Developmental & Integrative Biology and Amanda Cartee, MD, Medicine

Renal, Module Director(s): Mark Bevensee, PhD, Cell, Developmental & Integrative Biology and Eric Judd, MD, Medicine

Best Block Leader: Fundamentals of Medicine

- Martin Young, PhD, Medicine
- Laura Fraser, PhD, Cell, Developmental & Integrative Biology
- Teresa Wilborn, PharmD, PhD, Pharmacology & Toxicology
- Peter Anderson, DVM, PhD, Pathology and Heather Bruns, PhD, Microbiology
- Mukesh Patel, MD, Medicine and Jeremey Walker, MD, Medicine

Best Educator: Patient, Doctor & Society

- Jessica Chambliss, PhD, MPH, School of Public Health
- Caroline Harada, MD, Medicine
- KeAndrea Titer, MD, Medicine

Best Educator: Fundamentals of Medicine

- Mukesh Patel, MD, Medicine
- Jeremey Walker, MD, Medicine
- Teresa Wilborn, PharmD, PhD, Pharmacology & Toxicology
- Martin Young, PhD, Medicine

Best Educator: Cardiovascular

- Harish Doppalapudi, MD, Medicine
- Silvio Litovsky, MD, Pathology
- Robb Romp, MD, Pediatrics

Best Educator: Pulmonary

- James Johnson, MD, Medicine
- Kevin Leon, MD, Medicine
- Mukesh Patel, MD, Medicine

Best Educator: Gastrointestinal

- Cathy Fuller, PhD, Cell, Developmental & Integrative Biology
- Amanda Cartee, MD, Medicine
- Bradley Barger, PhD, Cell, Developmental & Integrative Biology

Best Educator: Renal

- Eric Judd, MD, Medicine
- Ashita Tolwani, MD, Medicine

BEST MS2 COURSE

Neurosciences, Module Director(s): Robin Lester, PhD, Neurobiology; Victor Sung, MD, Neurology; Michael Lyerly, MD, Neurology; Scott Pruett, MD, PhD, Psychiatry and Behavioral Neurobiology; Taylor Preston, MD, Psychiatry and Behavioral Neurobiology; Kenneth Fallon, MD, Pathology; Teresa Wilborn, PharmD, PhD, Pharmacology & Toxicology; William Brooks, PhD, Cell, Developmental & Integrative Biology

Musculoskeletal & Skin, Module Director(s): William Brooks, PhD, Cell, Developmental & Integrative Biology; Samir Dalvi, MD, Medicine; Carly Elston, MD, Dermatology

Endocrine Systems, Module Director(s): Shawn Galin, PhD, Medicine and Hussein Abdullatif, MD, Pediatrics

Reproductive Systems, Module Director(s): Tracey Wilson, MD, FACS, FPMRS, Urology and Obstetrics & Gynecology and Shweta Patel, MD, MS, Obstetrics & Gynecology

Hematology-Oncology, Module Director(s): Diana Morlote, MD, Pathology, Jori May, MD, Medicine; Frida Rosenblum, MD, Pathology

Best Educator: Neurosciences

- Michael Lyerly, MD, Neurology
- Boone Rountree, DO, Psychiatry and Behavioral Neurobiology
- Inga Kadisha, PhD, Cell, Development, & Integrative Biology
- Victor Sung, MD, Neurology

Best Educator: Musculoskeletal & Skin

- William Brooks, PhD, Cell, Developmental & Integrative Biology
- Samir Dalvi, MD, Medicine
- Inga Kadisha, PhD, Cell, Development, & Integrative Biology

Best Educator: Endocrine Systems

- Hussein Abdullatif, MD, Pediatrics
- Shawn Galin, PhD, Medicine
- Frida Rosenblum, MD, Pathology

Best Educator: Reproductive Systems

- Shweta Patel, MD, Obstetrics & Gynecology
- Teresa Wilborn, PharmD, PhD, Pharmacology & Toxicology

Best Educator: Hematology/Oncology

- Jori May, MD, Medicine
- Frida Rosenblum, MD, Pathology

Best Educator, Preparation for Residency

- Kevin Leon, MD, Medicine
- William Sasser, MD, Pediatrics
- Winter Williams, MD, Medicine

Best Clinical Department, Birmingham Campus

Family Medicine	Pediatrics	
Internal Medicine	Psychiatry	
Neurology	Surgery	
Obstetrics & Gynecology		

Best Clinical Educator, Birmingham Campus

- Jessica Fazendin, MD, Surgery
- Alonso Heudebert, MD, Medicine
- Swetha Pinninti, MD, Pediatrics
- John Rinker, MD, Neurology
- Victor Sung, MD, Neurology
- Chang Wu, MD, Pediatrics
- Lisa Willett, MD, Medicine

Best Clinical Department, Huntsville Campus

Family Medicine	Pediatrics	
Medicine	Psychiatry	
Neurology	Surgery	
Obstetrics & Gynecology		

Best Clinical Educator, Huntsville Campus

- Jesse Faulk, MD, Medicine
- Joseph Fiore, MD, Obstetrics & Gynecology
- Rony Najjar, MD, Surgery

Best Clinical Department, Montgomery Campus

Family MedicinePediatricsMedicinePsychiatryNeurologySurgeryObstetrics & Gynecology

Best Clinical Educator, Montgomery Campus

- Robert Engles, MD, Surgery
- Hassan Kesserwani, MD, Neurology
- Gregory Waller, MD, Obstetrics & Gynecology
- Valerie Waddell, MD, Obstetrics & Gynecology

Best Clinical Department, Tuscaloosa Campus

Family Medicine	Pediatrics
Internal Medicine	Psychiatry
Neurology	Surgery
Obstetrics & Gynecology	

Best Clinical Educator, Tuscaloosa Campus

- Tyler Eads, MD, Surgery
- Catherine Ikard, MD, Neurology
- Greer Stewart, MD, FACP, Medicine
- Heather Taylor, MD, Pediatrics

The following are awarded via a nomination/selection process, and will be announced during the ceremony:

- ICM CSS Award
- The Dale J. Benos Award for Educational Excellence
- Excellence in Career Advising
- Best Resident Educator, Birmingham Campus
- Best Resident Educator, Huntsville Campus
- Best Resident Educator, Montgomery Campus
- Best Resident Educator, Tuscaloosa Campus
- Best Community-Based Educator, Birmingham
- Best Community-Based Educator, Huntsville
- Best Community-Based Educator, Montgomery
- Best Community-Based Educator, Tuscaloosa