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Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center – School Of Pharmacy Residency Program

The Graduate Pharmacy Education (Residency) Program at TTUHSC – SOP was established in 1997 and promotes excellence in patient care by providing education, development, and advanced training to practitioners, educators, and scholars. Residents support the SOP mission by expanding faculty practice and scholarship activities; as Assistant Instructors, residents are also actively integrated into the education of Pharm.D. students, serving as clerkship preceptors and small-group facilitators. The Residency Program, under the direction of Dr. Steven Pass, offers diverse training opportunities through 15 unique Pharmacy Practice and Specialty Resident programs located in Abilene, Amarillo, Dallas-Fort Worth and Lubbock. Presently, 29 residents are enrolled in this program. Since its formation, more than 250 residents have successfully completed residency training. Residents participate in a variety of learning opportunities as part of their program such as a longitudinal Clinician-Educator Teaching Certificate Program. The program has been evolving each year to enhance learning opportunities and encourage residents to pursue academic positions upon completion of the program.

Future Plans of the 2014-2015 Residents

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Trinity Mother Frances
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TTUHSC SOP 2015 Annual Research Days

Each year, the TTUHSC SOP residents from all campuses gather to discuss research, collaborate with other researchers within the SOP, and present our annual research projects. We would like to congratulate the following residents for achieving most outstanding poster presentations.

Outstanding Poster Presentation Awards

**Joshua Koontz
Courtney Givens
Maegan Patterson**

Editor's Note

We would like to take the opportunity to congratulate everyone on the completion of their 2014-2015 TTUHSC SOP Residency! Thank you to those who contributed to this newsletter over the past year. It has been a great privilege getting to know each of you. We wish all residents the best of luck in your future endeavors!

