GET STARTED YOUR RESEARCH RIGHT AWAY

Research fair is only a few months away and abstracts are due February 13th!

“Research is difficult and my research won’t matter.”
Think again!

Q: Do you have an idea or concern of your interest?
A: Your interest matters! Start reading up on previous research through PubMed, Cochrane Library, etc. There are many resources and guidelines available in Facebook, LECOM-SRG.

Q: Are LECOM faculty and SRG members available to help?
A: No problem! Contact one of our SRG members and they will guide you to the faculty who is in the area of your interest. All LECOM faculty are very enthusiastic to help.

Inaugural Research Fair

The LECOM School of Dental Medicine (SDM) Student Research Group is hosting its’ Inaugural LECOM SDM Research Fair on Monday March 30th of 2015 in Bradenton, FL. This event will be an inter-professional forum among Dental, Medical, and Pharmacy students and faculty where all participants will have the opportunity to establish a collaborative network through research with the purpose of addressing the needs of individual patients and society as a whole. We have invited students of all three programs as well as faculty members to participate in the Research Fair through poster and table clinic presentations. Abstract submissions and registration will open on January 13th, 2015 the deadline will be February 13th at 11:59 pm.

Students are encouraged to consider their PBL presentations for the table clinics. Each student will be assigned a PBL room for 2 hours and will have start times every 30 minutes to present their project to interested attendees.
All presenters will be eligible for cash awards within either the table clinic or poster session. Presenters are not required to be members of the LECOM SRG to participate in the table clinic or poster session. Award recipients will be recommended to represent LECOM SDM and present their research at a national conference that matches their research topic.

The Research Fair will also be featuring an Exhibitor Forum which will allow companies to interact one on one with students and faculty from all three of the inter-professional schools of LECOM. The SDM fully supports this event and will make room in the schedule to enable LECOM’s 350 students, staff, and faculty members to attend. This is an excellent opportunity for research discussions, networking, and marketing, all in one place!

**LECOM-SRG Keynote speaker**

“Peter E. Dawson, D.D.S. is considered to be one of the most influential clinicians and teachers in the history of dentistry. He authored the bestselling dental text, Evaluation, Diagnosis and Treatment of Occlusal Problems, which is published in 13 languages. His latest book is entitled Functional Occlusion: From TMJ to Smile Design. He is the founder of the “Concept of Complete Dentistry Seminar Series (SM)” as well as The Dawson Academy. In addition to numerous awards and special recognitions, Dr. Dawson is the past president and life member of the American Equilibration Society, a past president of the American Academy of Restorative Dentistry and the American Academy of Esthetic Dentistry.”


**Research Fair Dates to Remember**

- **January 13th**
  - Abstract Submissions & Registration Opens

- **February 13th**
  - Abstract Submissions Due

- **March 13th**
  - Poster Submissions Due

- **March 30th**
  - Inaugural Research Fair!

**Who are the LECOM-SRG board members?**

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