

Women's Dermatologic Society
2009 Academic Research Grant Award Recipients



- 1. April W. Armstrong, MD**
Assistant Professor, University of California, Davis
Title of Grant: Outcomes Evaluation of an Online Care Model for the Management of Atopic Dermatitis
- 2. Sulochana Bhandarkar, MD**
Resident, Emory University
Title of Grant: Role of Hypoxia Inducible Factor 2 in Melanoma Growth *In Vivo*
- 3. Andreas Boker, MD**
Resident, University of Texas Southwestern
Title of Grant: The Effect of Automated Text Message Reminders on Acne Patient Compliance with Topical Medications
- 4. Leslie Castelo-Soccio, MD, PhD**
Resident, University of Pennsylvania
Title of Grant: Understanding Molecular Mechanisms Underlying the Formation of the Blue Nevus
- 5. Laura K. DeLong, MD, MPH**
Resident, Emory University
Title of Grant: Are Dermatologists Causing an Iatrogenic Vitamin D Deficiency Among Patients With Skin Cancer?
- 6. Adam Friedman, MD**
Resident, Albert Einstein College of Medicine
Title of Grant: Investigation of Novel Nitric Oxide Releasing Nanoparticles as a Therapeutic Strategy for Wound Healing
- 7. Carolyn Lee, MD, PhD**
Resident, Stanford University
Title of Grant: Characterization of Ras-Driven Human Epidermal Neoplasia
- 8. Joyce Teng, MD**
Assistant Professor, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Title of Grant: A Novel Study Model for Genetic Skin Diseases Using Patient-Specific Induced Pluripotent Stem Cells
- 9. Julia Tzu, MD**
Resident, University of Miami
Title of Grant: Role of Laminin 511 in Basal Cell Carcinoma Development
- 10. Jane Yoo, MD**
Instructor, University of Washington
Title of Grant: Investigating the Regulatory Function of Matrix Metalloproteinase-28 (Epilysin) in Atopic Dermatitis