

CARO ASM 2015 Award Winners

Open Awards

Best Abstract in Science and Applied Technology

This award will be given to the abstract found to be the most relevant to the practice of radiation oncology in the field of science/applied technology.

Winner: Michael Lock #47

DOES DYNAMIC CONTRAST ENHANCED CT AID GROSS TUMOUR VOLUME
DELINEATION OF LIVER CANCERS

Best Abstract in Clinical and Population-based Oncology

This award will be given for the abstracts found to be the most relevant to the practice of radiation oncology in the field of clinical/population-based oncology.

Winner: Hussam Hijazi #91

STEREOTACTIC BODY RADIOTHERAPY FOR INOPERABLE LIVER TUMORS:
RESULTS FROM A SINGLE INSTITUTIONAL EXPERIENCE ON SBRT

Best Abstract in Supportive Care

This award for oral or poster presentation is an initiative of the Symptom Control Advisory Group and will be presented to the abstract with the highest score in the domain of supportive care in oncology.

Winner: George Rodrigues #59

A PHASE II MULTI-INSTITUTIONAL CLINICAL TRIAL ASSESSING FRACTIONATED
SIMULTANEOUS IN-FIELD BOOST RADIOTHERAPY FOR BRAIN
OLIGOMETASTASES

Best Abstract in Survivorship

- This award for oral or poster presentation will be presented to the abstract with the highest score in the domain of survivorship.
- The project must have primary focus on supportive care needs assessment/intervention or models of care delivery that focus on the post-treatment phase of survivorship.

Winner: Jessica Conway #34

A POPULATION-BASED ANALYSIS OF SECONDARY BREAST CANCER RISK
ACCORDING TO RADIATION VOLUME IN WOMEN WITH HODGKIN LYMPHOMA

CUREUS Poster Award

The Cureus Award will be announced after the meeting and posted on the website.

Resident Awards

- The candidate must currently be registered in a radiation oncology resident training program in Canada or be in her/his first year after Board/RCPSC certification.
- The research work must have been completed during his/her residency.
- Only one paper may be submitted for the oral awards session.

Jean Roy Award

In order to honour the memory of his commitment to resident education, the CARO Education Committee has created the Jean Roy Memorial Award to acknowledge a resident who shows the qualities of creativity, capacity to innovate, and leadership in the fields of education, administration or clinical application of new technologies

Winner: Danielle Rodin

Best Resident Oral Presentation

Winner: Sarah Hamilton #37

VISUAL OUTCOMES AND LOCAL CONTROL AFTER FRACTIONATED STEREOTACTIC RADIOTHERAPY FOR OPTIC NERVE SHEATH MENINGIOMA

Best Resident Poster Presentation

Winner: Pierre-Yves McLaughlin #202

OUTREACH ACTIVITIES BY RADIOTHERAPY CENTRES IN ONTARIO

Best Resident Oral Presentation in Brachytherapy

Winner: Theodora Koulis #6

3D MRI BASED BRACHYTHERAPY FOR CERVICAL CANCER IMPROVED HIGH-RISK CTV COVERAGE

Book Prize Categories: (Chapters Gift Certificate \$50)

Of the four Book Prizes awarded, one will be selected from all oral presentations by Radiation Oncology Residents (including Resident Oral Competition and main paper sessions) and three from posters. Evaluation of the abstracts will follow criteria similar to those for the Best Oral and Best Poster Awards.

Clinical Care and Epidemiology: studies related to health policy, clinical diagnosis, prognosis, management and outcome

Winner: Kim Paulson #193

MULTIDISCIPLINARY SURVIVAL PREDICTION FOR PATIENTS WITH ADVANCED CANCER

Biology and Technology: studies that address basic science of radiation oncology, radiation planning and delivery, technology, medical physics, or process issues

Winner: Andrea Lo #183

EVALUATION OF A NOVEL QUANTITATIVE DIGITAL PATHOLOGY (QDP) TECHNIQUE AS A TOOL FOR PREDICTING PROSTATE CANCER RECURRENCE

Quality assurance: studies that address clinical practice performance, care delivery or system improvement

Winner: Michael Peacock #101

LDR PROSTATE BRACHYTHERAPY REIMPLANT PROCEDURE FOLLOWING SUBOPTIMAL DOSIMETRY: LONG-TERM BIOCHEMICAL CONTROL RATES AND URINARY TOXICITY

CanMEDS non-medical expert: studies that address CanMEDS-related subject areas outside of the medical expert domain, i.e. issues in Communication, Collaboration, Management, Advocacy, Scholarship, or Professionalism.

Winner: Amandeep Taggar #38

ASSESSING GUIDELINE ADHERENCE: REFERRAL PATTERNS OF POST-PROSTATECTOMY PATIENTS TO RADIATION ONCOLOGISTS

CARO Associate Member Awards

Radiation/Medical Physics

Winner: Quinn Matthews #46

REAL-TIME INTERACTIVE TREATMENT PLANNING FOR HEAD AND NECK VMAT

Radiation Therapy

Winner: Tracey Rose #7

QOL COMPARISON OF ACUTE SIDE EFFECTS FROM A HIGH DOSE RATE VS. LOW DOSE RATE PROSTATE BRACHYTHERAPY BOOST COMBINED WITH EXTERNAL BEAM RADIOTHERAPY

Best Fellow Oral Presentation

- The candidate must currently be registered in a radiation oncology fellowship training program in Canada or be in her/his first year after fellowship completion.
- The research work must have been completed during his/her fellowship.

Winner: Julia Skliarenko #42

IMPROVING THE EFFICIENCY OF MRI-GUIDED BRACHYTHERAPY FOR CERVICAL CANCER: IS DAILY PLAN ADAPTATION REQUIRED?