DRS 2015 ANNUAL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

GOLD MEDALIST
Reza Shaker, MD

DODDS-DONNER LECTURE
Stephen F. Badylak, DVM, PhD, MD
A Regenerative Medicine Approach for Functional Esophageal Reconstruction

SCIENTIFIC ABSTRACT ORAL PRESENTATION WINNERS
FIRST PLACE
Susan Butler, PhD, CCC-SLP
Wake Forest Baptist Health
Aspiration as a Function of Bolus Type, Bolus Size, Bolus Delivery, and Age across the Healthy Adult Lifespan

SECOND PLACE
Michelle Troche, PhD, CCC-SLP
Columbia University
Airway Protective Mechanisms and Deep Brain Stimulation in Parkinson’s Disease

THIRD PLACE
Corinne Jones, MS, CCC-SLP
University of Wisconsin - Madison
Pharyngeal Pressure Gradient Phenotypes in Patients with Cricopharyngeal Prominence

SCIENTIFIC ABSTRACT POSTER WINNERS
FIRST PLACE
Sebastian H. Doeltgen, PhD, MSLT
Flinders University
Effects of the Mendelsohn Maneuver on Pharyngo-Oesophageal Pressure Patterns and Floor-Of-Mouth Contraction

SECOND PLACE
Nobukazu Tanaka, PhD
Osaka University Dental Hospital
Comparison of Chest Computed Tomography Findings in Cerebral Palsy Patients between Aspirators and Nonaspirators

THIRD PLACE
Danny Nunn, MS, CCC-SLP
Massachusetts General Hospital
Anesthesia and Increased Hypercarbic Drive Impair the Coordination between Breathing and Swallowing In Normal Healthy Young Adults
DRS NEW INVESTIGATOR AWARDS

FIRST PLACE
Sonja Suntrup, PhD
University of Muenster, Department of Neurology
*Electrical Pharyngeal Stimulation Increases Substance P Level in Saliva*

SECOND PLACE
Katlyn McGrattan, PhD
Nationwide Children’s Hospital
*Effect of Laser-Cut Slow-Flow Nipples on Preterm Feeding Performance*

THE AMERICAN BOARD OF SWALLOWING & SWALLOWING DISORDERS AWARD
Catriona M. Steele, PhD, MHSc, SLP(C), CCC-SLP, BCS-S, Reg. CASLPO, ASHA Fellow
Toronto Rehabilitation Institute - University Health Network
*Increased Variability in Tongue-palate Pressure Generation is Not a Hallmark of Aging*

HEAD AND NECK CANCER ALLIANCE AWARDS
Laurelie Wall, BSpPath(Hons)
Centre for Functioning and Health Research, Queensland Health & the University of Queensland
Poster Presentation: *Using Technology to deliver Prophylactic Swallowing Therapy for HNC Patients: Analysis of Consumer Perceptions*

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Thomas Marian, MD
University of Muenster, Department of Neurology
Oral Presentation: *Laryngopharyngeal Sensory Deficit in Patients with MCA-Infarction: Lateralization and Relation to Overall Dysphagia Severity*

NATIONAL FOUNDATION OF SWALLOWING DISORDERS AWARD
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SPRINGER PUBLISHING TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIPS
International Award: Lise Sproson, MSc, BMSci, MRCSLT
Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
*Randomised Control Pilot Trial Evaluating the AMPCARE ESP (Effective Swallowing Programme) For Treatment of Persistent Dysphagia Post Stroke*

Clinician Award: Allison Kobren, MS, CFY-SLP
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center
*Physiologic Swallow Measures and Swallow Safety Using the Mbsimp and Penetration/Aspiration Scale for Upright and Supine Swallows Via Videofluoroscopy (Vfs) In Healthy Subjects*

Out of Field Award: Alba Azola, MD
Johns Hopkins School of Medicine
*Evidence of Sensitivity Shifting In Upper Esophageal Sphincter Relaxation: A High Resolution Manometry Study*

Student Award: Stephanie Randall Watts, MS, CF-SLP
University of South Florida
*Presence of Huffing during Voluntary Cough is Associated with Penetration-Aspiration in Individuals with Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis*
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