



Virtual

# 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Research Forum

SEMCME is grateful to all residents participating and for your continued efforts during the pandemic. We believe it is important to acknowledge the full scope of the work you do and so we are pleased to be able to hold this virtual competition.

## Forum Details

### **Purpose**

To recognize outstanding research by residents and highlight the importance of research as a component of the graduate medical education training experience.

### **Methods**

This year, there will be two opportunities for residents to present at the virtual 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Research Forum:

- Voice-over PowerPoint Presentation (VOPP) – A prerecorded voice-over PowerPoint presentation uploaded to YouTube;
- Live Stream Slide Presentation (LSSP) – A selected number of research projects to be presented at the virtual Research Forum on May 26, 2021.

### **Judging**

The criteria used to judge both the VOPP competition and the LSSP competition focus on four areas:

- Introduction and Background
- Methodology
- Discussion and Interpretation
- Presentation

More detailed criteria appear on the score sheet. Research experts from SE Michigan universities and hospitals will judge both competitions.

### **Eligibility Requirements for Residents**

The abstracts presented at the Research Forum are the best of those presented at research day competitions in the SEMCME member institutions. Residents in good standing in member institution programs are eligible to present research abstracts in the Forum. **Fellows are not eligible to participate in the Forum.**

Each full member SEMCME institution may submit **one abstract for the live stream slide presentation** AND up to **three abstracts for the voice-over competition uploaded to YouTube**. Program Member and Associate SEMCME Member hospitals are also eligible to participate in the Forum. They may submit the one paper from each department (specialty) that coincides with their SEMCME membership. This will be in the form of a YouTube voice-over slide presentation. **Case reports will not be accepted.**

### **Important Dates**

**Friday, May 14:** *Deadline for presentation materials:*

•Voice-over PowerPoint Presentation (VOPP) includes information sheet, YouTube link for voice-over presentation, and one page abstract. Live Stream Slide Presentation (LSSP) includes information sheet, one page abstract, and PowerPoint.

**Wednesday, May 19 – Sunday, May 23:** *Judging of VOPP presentations & abstracts.*

**Monday, May 24:** Registration deadline for audience & presenter participation in *Live Stream Slide Presentations Research Forum & Keynote Address.*

**Wednesday, May 26:** *43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Research Forum & Allen Silbergleit Keynote Address. Awards ceremony for both VOPP and LSSP following the Keynote. Tentative time is from 8:00 am - 12:30 pm. More details forthcoming.*

## General Participation Requirements

Program Directors whose residents are presenting in the Forum will be responsible for assuring the following:

- The presenter should be the principal investigator of the project, should have personally done (or supervised) the work being presented, and should have contributed substantially to the design and implementation of the project. Faculty sponsors or other staff members may not substitute for resident presenters
- In accordance with the ethical guidelines of major medical journals such as *Academic Medicine* and the *New England Journal of Medicine*, it is not appropriate for a person who did not participate in the project to accept credit for the work and to compete in the 2021 SEMCME Research Forum
- The work presented by the resident may be based on prior inquiry, but the **majority** of the project must have been done in the current training program. The resident can only make one presentation in each year. The resident may compete in more than one year during his/her training and is eligible to win a prize in each year of participation. The resident may report on a single topic in successive years, but each succeeding presentation should reflect a substantial difference from the previous presentation(s)

## Information Sheet, Abstract, and Presentation Requirements

Residents competing in the VOPP competition are required to submit their information sheet, YouTube link for voice-over presentation, and one page abstract. Residents chosen by their hospital to participate in the Live Stream Slide Presentation (LSSP) are required to submit their information sheet, one page abstract, and PPT. These materials must be emailed no later than 5:00 pm on **Friday, May 14, 2021** to Ginger Keiffer at [gkeiffer@med.wayne.edu](mailto:gkeiffer@med.wayne.edu).

### Information Sheet

This form should be completed, listing all requested information. The presenter's Program Director or Research Director must sign the certification (electronic signature acceptable). The presenter should be listed as the first or principal author with other resident co-authors following. **Note: Attending physician and other faculty who participated in the research should be listed as "Sponsoring Faculty Persons" NOT as co-authors.**

### Abstract

#### Format

- Limited to one page (including graphs, charts, etc)
- Double-spaced, minimum of 10 point font
- Left justified and left margin set at 1"

#### Title

- Place at top of abstract, title is bold, capitalized and left justified, with top margin set at .08"
- Include all authors (resident and faculty). The resident presenter's name should be listed first and underlined followed by resident co-authors. Sponsoring faculty should be listed last and designated by an asterisk following their names. Please use the following format:

#### EXAMPLE

**CHOLESTEROL, APOLIPOPROTEINS, AND  
THE RISK OF MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION**

(One blank line here)

Walter Freed, M.D.; Ulga M. Johnson, M.D.;  
Gordon R. Lang, M.D.; Franklin D. Schwartz, M.D.\*  
Upton Community Medical Center

#### Body/Text Suggested Outline

- Introduction
- Methods & Design
- Results
- Discussion/Conclusion

## **Presentation Format - Voice-over PowerPoint (VOPP)**

Each presenter in the VOPP competition will create a voice-over PowerPoint presentation of your research project noting the following requirements:

- Voice-over PowerPoint must be limited to **6 minutes**.
- The slide presentation should consist of no more than **12 slides** that describe your research:
- Rehearse and convey what you want your audience to know when you are done
  - ✓ Aims of the project and why it is important
  - ✓ Research Methodology
  - ✓ Clear results and impact of the project
  - ✓ Predict questions from Judges
- Other tips can be found here
- For instructions on how to create the voice-over PowerPoint, please [watch this video](#), it is less than 2 minutes!

The presenter will upload his/her voice-over PowerPoint presentation to YouTube.com. Below are additional helpful hints:

- Instructional video: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VWVUKRVf\\_kg](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VWVUKRVf_kg)
- Please be sure to select "public" (not private or unlisted) under "Visibility" heading

Submit the URL of your YouTube video to Ginger Keiffer at [gkeiffer@med.wayne.edu](mailto:gkeiffer@med.wayne.edu) by 5:00 pm on **May 14**. SEMCME will assign and notify your three judges to score the presentation starting on May 19 through May 23.

Note: With general questions contact Ginger Keiffer at [gkeiffer@med.wayne.edu](mailto:gkeiffer@med.wayne.edu). Technical questions can be sent to Carly Ackerman at [cakerman@med.wayne.edu](mailto:cakerman@med.wayne.edu)

## **Presentation Format – Live Stream Slide Presentation (LSSP)**

Each slide presenter will be limited to a ten (10) minute presentation followed by a five (5) minute question and answer period. Questions will be first taken by the judges. Questions from the audience will be taken at the discretion of the moderator. Presenters must be prepared and ready for presentation at their assigned time. The final schedule for presentations will be distributed the week of May 17, 2021.

Residents are required to submit a copy of their PowerPoint presentation to SEMCME by 5:00 pm on Friday, May 14, 2021. The presentation will be available for use at the Forum.

## **Awards**

Awards ceremony will take place at the conclusion of the Live Stream Slide Competition. All presenters (LSSP & VOPP) will be recognized and the following awards will be presented:



### **Live Stream Slide Presentation Presentation:**

First Prize: \$500 & David Pieper, PhD Medallion  
Second Prize: \$250  
Third Prize: \$150

### **Voice-over PowerPoint Presentation:**

First Prize: \$350 & Donald Dawson Medallion  
Second Prize: \$200  
Third Prize: \$100  
Judges Commendation (3): \$50