ANNOUNCEMENT!

THE PTS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, DR. RAO IVATURY AND THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE:

THE WINNERS OF THE 2011 PTS/ITDI TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIP

This Travel Scholarship is sponsored by: Dr. Susan Briggs, The International Trauma and Disaster Institute (ITDI), and the Sociedad Panamericana de Trauma/Disaster Committee.

More than 120 international abstracts from 14 countries were submitted and evaluated by a PTS scientific panel of judges. Ultimately, the scholarship committee chose seven winners after careful consideration.

The PTS congratulates the authors of the following abstracts:

FREE PAPER SCHOLARSHIP

1) TITLE: Focusing on management of intracranial pressure variances may have more effect on long term outcome than cerebral perfusion pressure measurements.
AUTHORS & INSTITUTION: Jonathan M Saxe, MD – Wright State University, Miami Valley Hospital Department of Surgery. Cathryn L. Chadwick, MD – Wright State University, Miami Valley Hospital Department of Surgery
COUNTRY: USA

2) TITLE: Traumatismos transmediasinales por arma de fuego
AUTHORS & INSTITUTION: Guillermo Barrilaro*, Sandra Gatica, Enrique Ferrer, Patricio Saint- Genez , Jose Maria Gil Pomar
Hospital Intercional General De Agudos Dr Oscar Alende,Mar Del Plata
COUNTRY: Argentina

RESIDENT PAPER SCHOLARSHIP

3) TITLE: Trauma Course for an Aerial Medical Transport System in the Amazon Rainforest
AUTHORS & INSTITUTION: Francisco Mora 1-3*, Benjamin Nicholson 2-3-5, James Lovelady 2-3-5, Harinder Dhindsa 2-3-5, Victoria Mata 3-4, Debbie Kleiman 3-5, Theresa Chin 3-6, Ashley King 3-7, Rao Ivatury 3-4, Michel B. Aboutanos 3-4
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COUNTRY: USA

4) TITLE: Trauma Cardiaco Penetrante: Evaluacion De 246 Casos en un Centro De Referencia de Trauma en Bobota, Colombia, 1999-2009
AUTHORS & INSTITUTION: ANDRES ISAZA, DINIMO J BOLIVAR (*), MARCOS TARAZONA. HOSPITAL OCCIDENTE DE KENNEDY
COUNTRY: BOGOTA, COLOMBIA
5) TITLE: EVALUATION BETWEEN FOUR DIFFERENT TRACHEOSTOMY METHODS AT A LEVEL I URBAN TRAUMA CENTER
AUTHORS & INSTITUTION: Roberto C. Castillo, MHS, MS-IV1; Edgar B. Rodas, M.D., F.A.C.S.2; Joseph D. Catino, M.D.2; Michael W. Parra, M.D.2
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COUNTRY: USA

AUTHORS & INSTITUTION: Pablo Valsangiácomo (*), Luis Ruso.
COUNTRY: Uruguay

7) TITLE: Relation between prevention to trauma and family income on infant population of Curitiba, Brasil.
AUTHORS & INSTITUTION: Fernando Gioppo Blauth* (1), Allysson Calixto(1), Amanda Damazio(1), Marino Miloca Rodrigues(1), Claudio Jose Beltrao(1), Luiz Carlos Von Bahten(1). 1-PUCPR
COUNTRY: Brazil