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DALLAS--Research by medical students at UT Southwestern will be presented at the 19th Medical Student Research Forum Tuesday, Dec. 2 at The University of Texas Health Science Center at Dallas campus at 7 p.m.

The eight presentations represent the winners selected from 28 student projects this year, says Dr. Rupert Billingham, chairman of the Department of Cell Biology at the school and faculty sponsor for the competition.

Speaking to the attending faculty and students will be Dr. Charles C. Sprague, UTHSCD president, who will reflect on his days as a medical student.

Winners are Jeff Baron, second-year student, Department of Internal Medicine, "Genetic Control of Estrogen Synthesis;" M. Lanette Howell, fourth-year student, Department of Biochemistry, "The Biosynthesis of Deoxycorticosterone (DOC) Sulfate in Human Fetal Kidney;" David C. Martin, M.D., who is a candidate for a Ph.D. in the UT Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences M.D./Ph.D. program at the health science center, Department of Internal Medicine, "Studies of the Effects of C3a Anaphylatoxin on Mast Cells;" and Robin Molsberry, second-year medical student, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology and Biochemistry, "hCG Receptors in Human Fetal Testes."

Also, Valerie L. Ng, first-year medical student, Department of Microbiology, "Analysis of Murine Leukemia Virus 'ENV' Gene Products;" Debra Simmons, third-year medical student, Department of Neurology, "Abnormal 2-D Gel Patterns of h, J and L Proteins in Joseph Disease Brain;" Clayton A. Smith, first-year medical student, Department of Cell Biology, "Characterization of Plasmid Mediated Drug Resistance in Unique Shigella Flexneria;" Amy Y. Ts'o, first-year medical student, Department of Biochemistry, "Synthesis of complementary DNA for the Entire Length of Pancreatic Proelastase mRNA."

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