

# SOUTHWESTERN NEWS

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## UT SOUTHWESTERN FACULTY RECEIVE HONORS

**DALLAS** – Nov. 19, 2003 – Faculty members from UT Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas recently were recognized for outstanding achievement in their fields.

**Dr. Rod Rohrich**, chairman of plastic surgery at UT Southwestern, recently received the 2003 Plastic Surgery Educational Foundation Scientific Essay Contest award in the clinical research-senior category for his essay titled “Nasal Reconstruction – Beyond Aesthetic Subunits.”

The article centers on Dr. Rohrich’s 15 years of work on an innovative method of performing nasal reconstruction.

The award is presented annually to an individual who is board-certified for more than five years, is nationally known and has provided an innovative technique or article that will benefit patients undergoing plastic surgery.

**Dr. Charles R. Rosenfeld**, professor of pediatrics and obstetrics and gynecology at UT Southwestern, has been elected as the District VII representative for the Section on Perinatal Pediatrics of the American Academy of Pediatrics and as a member of the executive committee of the Section for 2003-2005.

Dr. Rosenfeld will be the Section Program Chairman for the 2005 AAP National Conference and Exposition to be held in Washington, D.C.

**Lona Sandon**, assistant professor of clinical nutrition at UT Southwestern, recently was selected as a spokesperson for the American Dietetic Association.

Ms. Sandon, who will serve a three-year term, joins more than two dozen registered dietitians nationwide who conduct broadcast, electronic and print interviews on the latest nutrition research. Her areas of expertise include sports nutrition, disease prevention, weight management and obesity, and women’s nutritional concerns.

**Dr. Clifford L. Simmang**, director of colon and rectal surgery at UT Southwestern, recently was elected as a member of the Advisory Council for the Association of Program Directors for Colon and Rectal Surgery.

Dr. Simmang, associate professor of GI/endocrine surgery, will serve from October 2003 to October 2006.