

# Student Thesis-Dissertation Awards

The School of Medicine Graduate Studies Program invites applications/nominations for the following awards:

**Outstanding Master's Thesis Award** will be awarded for an outstanding Master's thesis by a School of Medicine graduate student who has graduated or defended their thesis by April 5, 2019.

**John A. Resko Ph.D. Dissertation Award** will be awarded for an outstanding Ph.D. dissertation by a School of Medicine graduate student who has graduated or defended their thesis by April 5, 2019.

**Applications must be received by Friday, April 5, 2019**

1. In a single PDF:
  - a. Cover page: Indicate student's name, mentor/advisor's name, degree program name, title of thesis or dissertation, and intent to attend graduation.
  - b. Student's curriculum vitae (including a list of all publications)
  - c. Student's statement (1 page or less). The student should concisely describe how their studies provide major new insights and also describe their role in the studies including a description of the student's contribution to: development of the concept or hypothesis, experimental design, development of new method's or materials, collection and interpretation of data, and preparation of the document.
2. Letters of recommendation from at least 2 faculty members. The letters should evaluate the importance of the studies within a broadly defined field, the contributions of the student, and should indicate the relationship of referee to student (i.e., advisor, committee member, and/or collaborator). Letters from faculty at other institutions are acceptable and can be very useful. It would be helpful if letters from outside referees indicate how knowledge of the thesis or dissertation project was obtained (published paper, scientific meeting, collaboration, personal discussion, etc.). Letters of reference may be included with the application or sent directly to the email address listed below.
3. Complete PDF copy of the thesis or dissertation (draft form will be accepted).

**Submit nominations to the OHSU GS Portal at  
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2019GSAwards>**

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