**OHSU Internal Medicine Residency**

**Scholarly Requirements**

You must complete at least two scholarly endeavors anytime throughout your three years of residency. One project must be from the "required" section, and the second project may be from the “required” or “additional options” lists.

1. Required (at least one of the following):
   1. Peer-reviewed publication or submission
      1. Does not include clinical image publication
      2. Does not include published conference abstracts
      3. Includes peer-reviewed advocacy and humanities publications
   2. Presenter or 1st author of a regional or national poster/e-poster/abstract
   3. Invited CME or oral presentations, including:
      1. Any OHSU grand rounds involving originally prepared presentations
      2. Oral presentations of at regional or national society meetings/conferences
      3. Other external conference lectures
   4. Externally disseminated curricular or QI initiative
   5. Book chapter
2. Additional Options
   1. A second work from the required list “A”
   2. Clinical image publication
   3. Published conference abstract
   4. Non-peer-reviewed publication
   5. Non-peer-reviewed advocacy writing, including:
      1. OpEd in non-medical literature/lay press
      2. Resolution and policy statement writing for professional societies
      3. Health policy document writing (ex. support documents for legislation or “take away”s for advocacy with legislatures)
   6. Internally disseminated curricular or QI initiative beyond anything required for residency program rotations
   7. Junior or Senior talk
   8. Podcast production or guest expert interviews

\*\*If you have a project not listed above that you think may qualify, please talk to your APD

**FAQ:**

1. May I do two projects from the “required” list to fulfill my residency scholarship expectations?

• Yes, you may do two required or one required and one other to fulfill the scholarly expectations.

1. If I present the same poster at multiple conferences does this count for multiple pieces scholarship?

• Although we encourage you to present your poster (or any work) at multiple venues (and add this to your CV), it does not count twice toward our scholarly expectations. However, converting and evolving a project to another form of presentation will count towards fulfilling the second scholarship requirement—example, turning a poster presented at the regional level delivered as an oral presentation at the national level.

1. What is a disseminated project?

• An externally disseminated project means that it is disseminated to the medical community at large and outside OHSU/OHSU Internal Medicine Residency rotation sites. There are many ways in which a project such as QI or curriculum can be disseminated such as MedEdPortal (AAMC) or through medical education publication venues.

• An internally disseminated project is a project shared without the broader OHSU internal medicine community (including off-hill rotation sites) or OHSU community (including other GME or UME programs).

1. What does a senior or “junior” talk involve?

• This is a 30-60 min talk (depending on scheduling availability) that would be given at noon conference time. You would need to discuss the topic with a chief or your APD for approval.

1. Is an Oregon ACP poster presentation required?

• An Oregon ACP poster is not required but (to date) all posters are accepted, so this is a fantastic launch pad for scholarship work during residency and is highly recommended to complete at least once during your three years of residency training.

1. Does the Kaiser ISP or the Global Health Botswana didactic talk count toward the scholarship expectations?

• These project do not count toward our scholarship expectations as they are standard rotation requirements. However, if you created a deliverable from your work on these projects that can be disseminated, then your work would count as an externally or internally disseminated curricular initiative. For example, can your talk be turned into a senior talk/noon conference, OHSU grand rounds, or other QI/curriculum project)? Please talk to your APD.

1. What does non-otherwise required content mean?

• This means that projects for which you do not have otherwise designated time to work on for this requirement during the workday. For example, projects done for the primary care track, curriculum or QI projects that are a part of the built in curriculum do not count because you are given time to work on these.

1. Do publications from medical school count?

• If the project required active work while in residency and was subsequently published during residency (between July of intern year and June of R3 year) then it would count toward the scholarship expectations.

1. What if my project has stalled, or I was unable to complete the project?

• If a project has stalled and will not be completed in a way that you think fulfills any of the requirements from the “required” or “additional options” list before graduation, please connect with your APD about ways to creatively channel the output of your work. For example, this could include presenting a senior/junior talk on the project, presenting a poster of partial results, or pursuing non-peer-reviewed publications.

1. Where do I start when looking for mentors and projects?

• Please visit the scholarship website for many scholarship resources: <https://www.ohsu.edu/school-of-medicine/medicine/scholarship>

• Ask one of the Chief Residents, your APD, Dr. Avi O’Glasser (our Asst PD who oversees scholarship, Dr. Alan Hunter (our Assoc PD who oversees scholarship), or the IM SPEAR group at [imscholarship@ohsu.edu](mailto:imscholarship@ohsu.edu)