Med students win awards at student research forum

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Four second-year medical students from the University of Nevada School of Medicine walked away with awards at the Western Student Medical Research Committee's 1992 Student Forum.

The Student Forum, which is part of the American Federation for Clinical Research (AFCR), is a regional meeting held annually and includes students from all the medical schools in the west.

Alan Kelly earned the Subspecialty Award for Health Care Research, Tim Sauter received the Subspecialty Award in Hematology, Ken Truelson earned the AFCR Outstanding Presentation in Infectious Disease, and Mark Mansfield won the AFCR Outstanding Presentation in Gastroenterology.

Faculty mentors for the student researchers are: Philip H. Goodman, M.D., associate professor, internal medicine; Esmail Zanjani, Ph.D., professor, internal medicine; Thomas Kozel, Ph.D., professor and chairman, microbiology; and Gale H. Starich, Ph.D., assistant professor, internal medicine and physiology.