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2025 HINMAN STUDENT RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

October 31 – November 2

at the Historic Peabody Hotel, Memphis, TN

YOU'RE INVITED TO THE

The University of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Dentistry

HINMAN STUDENT RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

co-sponsored by the Hinman Dental Society
with participation of Procter & Gamble Company,
and the Tennessee Dental Association Foundation

Friday afternoon, Saturday, and Sunday morning
October 31 – November 2, 2025
at the historic Peabody Hotel in Memphis, Tennessee

We look forward to welcoming you to the Hinman Student Research Symposium in Memphis. This is your invitation to be part of a Symposium featuring poster and oral presentations by students and graduate trainees participating in Dental Research. Abstracts of the presentations will be printed and distributed nationally.

The program consists of competitive scientific sessions with awards for the best presentations, a banquet with a nationally acclaimed speaker, and opportunities for getting acquainted with fellow dental students.

The Symposium begins on Friday at noon with registration and poster setup followed by a reception and the welcoming banquet. The Symposium continues on Saturday with morning and afternoon scientific sessions and many opportunities for fun and making new friends. On Sunday morning, the scientific sessions will continue and conclude with the presentation of awards.

Memphis offers many opportunities for exploration from Elvis Presley's Graceland Mansion Tour, Beale Street, the "Home of the Blues", the Pyramid, Sun Studios, and boat tours on the river, to the lesser-known but worthwhile National Civil Rights Museum, the Pink Palace Museum, Brooks Art Gallery, Dixon Gardens, and the unique Ornamental Metal Museum with a spectacular view of the mighty Mississippi. Tree-shaded parks and neighborhoods, good food, and warm Southern hospitality await you.

Late October/early November in Memphis is the peak of the fall color season with some of the best weather of the year—sunny and warm in the daytime and pleasantly cool in the evening.

Because everyone who participates contributes to recognizing student efforts in research, the Symposium won't be complete without you.

ANSWERS TO YOUR QUESTIONS:

Who? Dental students and graduate trainees participating in research are eligible to attend and present their studies in oral and poster sessions. Please complete the abstract and registration form and submit it to **HinmanSymposium@uthsc.edu**

All dental schools in the US and Canada are encouraged to register for the symposium. **There is a registration fee of \$50.00 (USD) per student.** Each student will share a room with another student of the same gender, from their school or another school.. Additional students from each school are encouraged to attend, provided that their institution covers their travel and hotel accommodation (2-night stay) at the Symposium Headquarters Hotel at the guaranteed conference rate. The symposium will pay for two-nights hotel accommodations for 1 (one) student from each institution.

The Symposium will provide the following for up to three participants per school: the Welcoming Banquet, Breakfast for two days, Lunch on Saturday.

Please contact us for more details if you would like to pay additional fees to have a single room or if your university/school wishes to send 4 or more students.

What? The University of Tennessee College of Dentistry is the host for the Symposium, which is co-sponsored by the Hinman Dental Society and supported by the Procter & Gamble Company, and the Tennessee Dental Association Foundation. The program consists of scientific sessions with oral and poster presentations by dental students, a reception, the welcoming banquet with a nationally-known speaker, awards, and award ceremony.

When? Most students will arrive in Memphis on the morning or early afternoon of Friday, October 31. Registration and poster setup begins at noon. The reception begins at 6:00 pm, and the banquet begins at 7:00 pm. Scientific sessions will be held Saturday morning and afternoon, November 1. On Sunday morning, November 2, the scientific sessions continue and conclude with the awards presentation. Most students will return home Sunday by noon or early afternoon.

Where? All sessions will be held at the historic Peabody Hotel—the South's Grand Hotel—in downtown Memphis, Tennessee. Memphis is served by major airlines and by Amtrak. Memphis is easily reached by major highways including I-55 and I-40.

Why? The purpose of the Symposium is to honor student efforts in Dental Research. Students will meet and exchange information with other students from all parts of the nation and receive recognition for their efforts in research in a rich atmosphere of "Southern Hospitality".

PROGRAM

Friday, October 31, 2025

12:00 – 5:00 pm	Registration and poster setup
5:00 – 6:00 pm	Guests Arrival & Check-in
6:00 – 7:00 pm	Reception
7:00 – 9:00 pm	Welcoming Banquet and Speaker

Saturday, November 1, 2025

7:30 am	Continental breakfast
7:30 – 9:00 am	Late arrival registration
8:00 am	Scientific Session I
10:15 am	Coffee break
10:30 am	Scientific Session II
12:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm	Scientific Session III
3:00 – 6:00 pm	Tour of Graceland

Sunday, November 2, 2025

7:30 am	Continental breakfast
8:00 am	Scientific Session IV
9:30 am	Coffee break
9:45 am	Closing Ceremonies and Awards Presentation

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