

# ASSA SAGES 2015 : Prizes and awards

### Solly Marks Scholarship:

Helicobacter Pylori resistance patterns and standard drug efficacy at Groote Schuur Hospital

Dr Shiraaz Gabriel

#### Abbott Award:

Determining the immune mechanism of patients with severe acute pancreatitis that develop a second hit **Dr John Thomson** 

# Gastro Foundation Scholarship:

Is CD73 expression in tissue granulomas of value in distinguishing intestinal tuberculosis from Crohn's disease in a South African cohort? **Dr Gill Watermeyer** 

#### **Best Oral Clinical 1<sup>st</sup> Prize:**

Risk Factors for Colorectal Cancer in Zimbabwe **Dr Leolin Katsidzira** 

#### Best Oral Clinical 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize:

Adverse Gastrointestinal Effects Of Over the Counter Nsaids: A Cost Study in Two Gauteng Public Hospitals **Dr Theshni Govender** 

#### Best Oral Scientific 1<sup>st</sup> Prize:

Gut Microbiota Profiles, Butyrate Concentrations and Butyrate Transporter Expression in Irritable Bowel Syndrome **Dr Ernst Fredericks** 

#### Best Oral Scientific 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize:

Adipose Tissue Inflammatory Gene Signatures in Non-Alcoholic Steatohepatitis Mrs Johannie du Plessis

#### **Best Poster Medical:**

Prevalence of liver fibrosis using Fibroscan in HIV/HBV co-infected and HBV monoinfected patients attending a clinic in the Western Cape, South Africa **Mr Tongai Maponga** 

#### Best Poster Surgical:

Surgeon performed interventional radiology: A necessity for establishing a HPB service in a developing country

## Dr Magenthran Govender

**Best Presentation by a Fellow : Gastro Foundation** Evolution of IBD-Related Costs Over Two Years of Follow Up: Increase of Anti-TNF? Therapy Related Costs with a Decline of Hospitalization Costs Dr Mirthe van der Valk