

BRITISH ORTHODONTIC SOCIETY

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SCHOLARSHIP AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

Name: HOUSTON POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH SCHOLAR

Eligibility: Any member of the BOS on a three year orthodontic training programme, or who has completed a programme within the last 12 months. Applicants must be in good standing with the BOS and their appropriate professional bodies

Entry: A submitted thesis/dissertation on an orthodontic or allied subject

Entry details: The thesis/dissertation abstract should be submitted electronically with the completed application form (Word document).
After short listing, the successful candidates will be asked to submit their full thesis/dissertation as a pdf file.

A thesis/dissertation can only be submitted on one occasion for this prize.

Award Criteria: Thesis/dissertation demonstrates:

1. Clearly articulated research question
2. Well designed appropriate study methodology
3. Appropriate outcomes recorded and reported
4. Sound data analysis
5. Well presented and coherent discussion
6. Relevant conclusions
7. Likely impact on orthodontic knowledge/practice

Value: £1,200

Timing: Entries must be received by January 31st

Judges: Shortlisting, if necessary, will be based on the abstracts, and undertaken by the Chairman of Scholarship and Awards and another judge.

The shortlisted (maximum 5) theses will be judged by two further judges selected by Chairman of Scholarship and Awards to avoid conflict of interest.