
Martin, Carrico Faculty Research Fellowships awarded by College

The American College of Surgeons Faculty Research Fellowships for 2009 were awarded by the Board of Regents in February. These two-year fellowships are offered to surgeons entering academic careers in surgery or a surgical specialty and carry awards of \$40,000 per year from July 1, 2009, through June 30, 2011.

Faculty Research Fellowships are sponsored by the Scholarship Endowment Fund of the College. The Franklin H. Martin, MD, FACS, Faculty Research Fellowship of the American College of Surgeons honors the founder of the College. The C. James Carrico, MD, FACS, Faculty Research Fellowship for the Study of Trauma and Critical Care honors the late Dr. Carrico.

The recipients of these fellowships are as follows:

Franklin H. Martin, MD, FACS, Faculty Research Fellow: **Tippi C. MacKenzie, MD**, assistant professor, University of



Dr. MacKenzie



Dr. Borschel

California–San Francisco.

Research project: In utero hematopoietic stem cell transplantation for tolerance induction.

C. James Carrico, MD, FACS Faculty Research Fellow: **Gregory H. Borschel, MD**, affiliate faculty, department of biomed-

ical engineering and assistant professor, division of plastic and reconstructive surgery, Washington University, St. Louis, MO.

Research project: Controlled growth factor delivery for motor nerve injury.

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In addition, the American College of Surgeons and the American Medical Association have created Web sites dedicated to this issue. Information is available at <http://www.facs.org/ahp/pqri/2009eprescribing.html> and <http://www.ama-assn.org/ama/pub/physician-resources/solutions-managing-your-practice/health-information-technology/hit-resources-activities/cms-electronic-prescribing.shtml>. 