

Award Winner Information Sheet



Your Name: Jessica Immonen

Your Institution: University Nevada Las Vegas School of Dental Medicine

Did you win a Poster or Platform presentation? Poster

Title of winning presentation: Biomechanics of Bruxism Determine Sites of Severe TMJ Osteoarthritis.

Your current position: Associate Professor

Your Undergraduate and previous graduate training (if any): B.S. Biology- University of Dayton, M.S. and Ph.D. Anatomy-Pennsylvania State University College of Medicine

Your hometown: Cleveland, Ohio

Hobbies and or Special Interests: Hiking, cooking, swimming, tennis, gardening and excited to get back to more traveling now that my son is almost one and my daughter is older.

What would you like to see yourself doing 10 years from now? My family and I absolutely adore the city of Las Vegas and UNLV. If all goes according to plan UNLV will stay my professional home and I will take on more leadership roles at the institution while continuing to teach anatomy. I hope to maintain involvement in the national anatomical societies to mentor young anatomist, especially women.