Drs Kaiser, Klimentidis, & Kennedy – Winners, 2\textsuperscript{nd} Annual UAB SOPH Research Day

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Three NIH-funded T32 postdoctoral fellows in the Section on Statistical Genetics in the Department of Biostatistics at UAB received the top three awards in the fellows category of the SOPH Research Day poster session. The event took place on Mon 4/5/2010 in UAB’s Blazer Hall in Birmingham.

1. 1\textsuperscript{st} place - Kathryn Kaiser PhD: “Is all fat created equal?: Assessing self-reported obesity risk between racial groups.”
2. 2\textsuperscript{nd} place - Yann Klimentidis PhD: “Signatures of natural selection at genetic regions associated with obesity and type-2 diabetes.”
3. 3\textsuperscript{rd} place - Richard Kennedy MD PhD: “Utility of CSF amyloid-β42 biomarker in Alzheimer’s clinical trials”

Held each spring, the School of Public Health’s, Research Day features a poster display, with judging and presentation of awards for outstanding research poster in three categories; Faculty, Students and Post Doctoral. This is an annual opportunity for faculty, students, and others involved in research at the School of Public Health to showcase their work for UAB colleagues and others across the metropolitan area interested in the newest thinking in public health.

SOPH Research Day website:: https://www.soph.uab.edu/researchday/winners2010

Go to Kathryn Kaiser PhD web page, Yann Klimentidis PhD web page Richard Kennedy MD PhD web page.