

MEDICAL STUDENT AWARD OPPORTUNITY

DR. PETER CRUSE MEMORIAL AWARD

2025

BEST SURGERY-RELATED RESEARCH

In recognition of Dr. Peter Cruse's outstanding leadership and dedication to the Department of Surgery and to the education of medical students, the Department of Surgery presents the annual "Peter Cruse Award" for the best surgery-related research project by a University of Calgary medical student.

ELIGIBILITY:

To be eligible for this award, you must meet **ALL 3** eligibility criteria

1. Must be a University of Calgary medical student
2. Must have completed a surgery-related research project
3. Must be available to present your research **IN PERSON** at the 43rd Annual Surgeons' Day – June 20, 2025.

PROCEDURES FOR SUBMISSIONS:

Submissions must include:

1. A standard research abstract (1 page max)
2. A supporting letter from your research preceptor (2 pages max) which should concisely explain the significance of the research and the role you (the medical student) played in developing and completing the project.

Submissions must be submitted to the Office of Surgical Research electronically to osr@ucalgary.ca **NO LATER THAN** Saturday, May 31st, 2025 23:59 MST

DUTIES OF AWARDEE:

10 minute in person podium presentation (6 minute presentation/ 4 minutes for Q&A) at Surgeons' Day on June 20th, 2025.

AWARD DETAILS:

- Department recognition as the Best Surgery-Related Research by a Medical Student Oral Presentation at Surgeons' Day.
- Presentation of Award and a \$250 University of Calgary Bookstore gift certificate will be presented at the 43rd Annual Surgeons' Day on June 20, 2025.

