

# Six Medical Students Are Awarded Research Fellowships as Part of T35 Training Grant

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The NIH funded T35 training grant entitled “Research in Infectious Diseases, Microbiology and Immunology for Medical Students” awarded fellowships for the summer of 2016 to six first year medical students. The goal of the program is to introduce research experience to medical students early in their training with an eye toward training the next generation of physician scientists.

The summer fellowship includes several elements:

- A 10 week mentored research project
- A weekly seminar series
- A career development program with interactive small group sessions with faculty
- Training in the responsible conduct of research
- Oral and poster presentations of research following the program

The six T35 scholars are listed below and include 5 students from UB and one student from University of New England College of Osteopathic Medicine. Dr. Timothy Murphy (University at Buffalo) and Dr. Kelvin Lee (Roswell Park Cancer Institute) are Co- Principal Investigators of the program, which is in its fifth year.

T35 Scholar	Medical School	Mentor	Mentor’s Institution
Alexander Manzella	University at Buffalo	Brahm Segal MD Professor of Medicine	Roswell Park Cancer Institute
Andrew Sauvageau	University at Buffalo	Anthony Campagnari PhD Professor of Microbiology & Immunology	University at Buffalo
Denise Polaski	University at Buffalo	Amy Jacobs PhD Research Associate Professor of Microbiology and Immunology	University at Buffalo
Tara Hogan	University at Buffalo	John Crane MD PhD Professor of Medicine	University at Buffalo
Amanda Sherman	University at Buffalo	Thomas Russo MD Professor of Medicine, Chief, Division of Infectious Diseases	University at Buffalo

Daniel Greenberg	University of New England College of Osteopathic Medicine	Elizabeth Repasky PhD Professor of Immunology	Roswell Park Cancer Institute
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T35 scholars present their work along with other summer students at Buffalo Translational Consortium institutions at the CTRC.