2020-2021 Golden Stethoscope Nomination Nominated for: Best Phase 3 preceptor

Name of Nominee Dr. Jonathan Orsborn

Dear Selection Committee,

It is my pleasure to nominate Dr. Jonathan Orsborn for the Golden Stethoscope Best Phase 3 Preceptor award. Dr. Orsborn is not only an exceptional medical practitioner, but also a passionate, talented, and patient educator.

Throughout the last 3 years of getting the opportunity to work regularly with Dr. Orsborn, I have grown a tremendous amount as a future physician, in no small part thanks to his unwavering dedication to my learning. When I am on shift with him, regardless of the surrounding emergency department chaos, Dr. Orsborn takes the time to teach and answer questions. He is patient as I present patients and develop plans. He creates opportunities to teach me new skills. He is always willing to teach me a new ultrasound modality on a patient with an interesting exam.

On top of all of this, as I have advanced in my training, Dr. Orsborn has helped our working relationship evolve to allow me increased autonomy in my patient care. This has allowed me to continue pushing my comfort zone and has allowed me to stand out in my other rotations. Because of the trust placed in me by Dr. Orsborn, I am able to practice in a way that would have astounded me as a first year medical student.

To further emphasize Dr. Orsborn's commitment to his students, despite all of the changes and uncertainty this year while navigating COVID, Dr. Orsborn was more than happy to have me continue joining him for shifts. I always thoroughly enjoy the opportunity to work with him, and I leave every shift with a list of "pearls" that I learned during our 8 hours together.

I feel incredibly fortunate to have been matched with a preceptor who has taken such an interest in my learning and in my success. On top of his clinical teaching, Dr. Orsborn is also someone who has been foundational in terms of helping me envision and plan for my future career. I look up to him as a clinician, and as a person. I can not imagine a preceptor more deserving of this award than Dr. Orsborn.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Geoff Markowitz

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