

Biophysical Journal Selects Four Poster Award Winners at the "Modeling of Biomolecular Systems Interactions, Dynamics, and Allostery" Meeting

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Rockville, MD—The 9000-member Biophysical Society is pleased to announce winners of the *Biophysical Journal* Outstanding Poster Awards given at the "Modeling of Biomolecular Systems Interactions, Dynamics, and Allostery: Bridging Experiments and Computations" thematic meeting on September 14. The meeting, co-sponsored by the Biophysical Society along with Koc University and the University of Pittsburgh, was held in Istanbul, Turkey, and brought together 163 scientists from around the world currently working in this research area. Two students and two postdocs were selected as winners for their outstanding poster presentations.

The winners in the student category are:

Gozde Eskici, University of Pennsylvania, for her poster *Simulated Amyloid Fibril Nucleation in Reverse Micelles*, and

Elif Korkmaz, University of Wisconsin-Madison, for her poster *Molecular Dynamics and X-Ray Crystallography Reveal the Role of the Skip Regions in Human Cardiac Muscle Protein Myosin*.

The winners in the postdoctoral category are:

Seyit Kale, University of Chicago, for his poster *Multi-layered*, *Iterative Protocols for Quantum Chemical Calculations*, and

Kristen Marino, University College, London, for her poster *Allosteric Communication* within the *B-Raf Dimer: The Effect of the V600E Mutation and Inhibitor Binding*.

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