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Thompson Laboratory for Regenerative Orthopaedics

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Mizzou's TLRO Team Shines at Premier Orthopaedic Conference



The Thompson Lab Team stood out at the Orthopaedic Research Society's 2019 Annual Meeting. Faculty and students presented 53 peer-reviewed scientific abstracts at this prestigious international meeting, which is the world's largest and most highly respected conference for research in orthopaedics.

Current Projects

- Mizzou Sports Science Initiative
- Fracture Risk in Adolescence
- DoD Meniscal Allograft Comparison Study
- Mizzou Knee Arthrometer Testing System
- Bone Quality after Bariatric Surgery
- Partial Thickness Rotator Cuff Tear Repair
- Biomarkers for IVD Disease
- Updating Skeletal Maturity Methods
- Canine Total Hip Arthroplasty
- BioJoint® Flex Knee Rehab System
- Motion Analysis for Risk of Injury
- Sex Differences in ACL Graft Healing

Last Quarter's "Top 5"

- 1. TLRO undergraduate student, Muhammad Salim, wins Bioengineering Award
- 2. TLRO Intern, Evan Bradley, receives scholarship to attend Washington University
- **3.** Dr. Duren featured in MU's Office of Undergraduate Research Newsletter
- **4.** Members of Camdenton High School's Science Research Program visit the TLRO
- **5.** Mel Boeyer & Dr. Duren presented work at Special Symposium honoring Owen Lovejoy

Recent Pubs

- 1. Stoker AM, et al. Metabolic responses of osteochondral allografts to re-warming. J Orthop Res 2019
- 2. Ahner CA, et al. Protein biomarkers in serum and urine for hip dysplasia in a canine model. J Orthop Res 2019
- 3. Thomas DM, et al. Biomechanical properties of bioabsorbable fixation for osteochondral shell allografts, J Knee Surg 2019
- Smith PA, et al. Role of the ALL and ITB for pivot shift and comparison of ALR versus modified Lemaire reconstructions.
 Arthroscopy 2019
- 5. Kuroki K, et al. Histologic assessment of ligament vascularity and synovitis in dogs with CCLD. Am J Vet Res 2019
- 6. Tarafder S, et al. Effect of dose and release rate of CTGF and TGFb3 on avascular meniscal healing. J Orthop Res 2019
- 7. Keeney JA, et al. Incisional negative pressure wound therapy devices following hip and knee arthroplasty. J Arthroplasty 2019
- 8. Albuquerque JB, et al. Onlay reconstruction of the PCL: Comparison of unicortical and bicortical tibial fixation. J Knee Surg 2019
- 9. Oladeji LO, et al. Cooled radiofrequency ablation for treatment of OA-related knee pain. J Knee Surg 2019
- 10. Cook JL and Stannard JP. Current use of biologics in clinical orthopaedics. GCMS J 2018
- 11. Boeyer ME, et al. Early maturity as the new normal: A century-long study of bone age. Clin Orthop Rel Res 2018
- 12. Tarafder S, et al. Engineered healing of avascular meniscus tears by stem cell recruitment. Nature Sci Reports 2018