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#### HONORS AND AWARDS

- Stanford University Child Health Research Institute Postdoctoral Award, Stanford University (2014-2015)
- Dissertation of the Year Award, Florida Atlantic University (2012-2013)
- Student poster competition award winner (top 3 out of 40) at College of Medicine Research Day, Florida Atlantic University (2012)
- Student Government Travel Award for Society for Neuroscience annual meeting, Florida Atlantic University (2011)
- Student poster competition award winner (top 3 out of 60) at College of Science Research Day, Florida Atlantic University (2011)
- Dean's List for Academic Excellence, University of Ankara, Turkey (2006)

#### LINKS

- Parker Lab: <http://parkerlab.stanford.edu/>

### Publications

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