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The CCA is delighted to announce that Dr. Kent Stuber has been named the recipient of the 2008 CCA Young Investigator Award.

This award recognizes young researchers working in the field of chiropractic and is given for a paper submitted for this competition that has not yet been published, or for a *recently* published paper. The investigator has not had his/her degree longer than two years before submitting the work. The award has a prize of \$2,000.

Dr. Stuber was nominated by Dr. Allan Gotlib, JCCA Editor, Dr. Frank Mangoni, Chair of the CCA Research Committee and Dr. Jeff Warren, Governor from Alberta. Dr. Stuber published a very significant paper in the JCCA in 2007 entitled:

Specificity, sensitivity, and predictive values of clinical tests of the sacroiliac joint: a systematic review of the literature. JCCA 2007; 51(1):30-41.

This was undertaken while Dr. Stuber was completing his Master's Degree in Health and Social Care Research at the University of Sheffield, School of Health and Related Research (ScHARR), Sheffield, UK. He graduated with distinction in January 2008. His dissertation topic was chiropractic care for low back pain during pregnancy. He also received ScHARR Training in Health bursaries from 2005 to 2007.

Currently, Dr. Stuber is project leader for the Canadian Chiropractic Examining Board's online Blueprint Validation Study pilot project. Additional ongoing work includes investigations of chiropractic care during pregnancy and for spinal stenosis. He has published papers in JCCA and also published in *Clinical Chiropractic*, *Chiropractic & Osteopathy*, and the *Journal of Chiropractic Humanities*. Most recently he published a paper in the *Journal of Manipulative & Physiological Therapeutics* entitled:

Stuber KJ, Smith DL. Chiropractic treatment of pregnancy-related low back pain: a systematic review of the evidence. *JMPT* 2008; 31(6): 447-454.

Dr. Stuber is a JCCA Editorial Board member and a peer reviewer for the Association of Chiropractic Colleges Research Agenda Conference.

Congratulations Dr. Stuber!!