



Two hundred and twenty-seven programs have received Osteopathic Recognition and 16% are ACGME programs that had no previous interaction with AOA accreditation. Two perceived barriers for Osteopathic Recognition is the performance of scholarly work and faculty development. Scholarship within programs have been addressed in the previously developed Scholar

series (Scholar7, Scholar4, Scholar Specific) available on the Ohio Osteopathic Association (OOA) website and are **FREE**. These have been widely used and successful throughout the country. Free CME is available for all Scholar programs.

The scholar series are co-sponsored by the **American Academy of Osteopathy**, the **Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine** and the **University Hospitals Osteopathic Consortium** to create osteopathic faculty development programs that are easily accessible, clinically applicable and time conserving products. We have produced such a product called **Scholar Teacher**. Scholar Teacher provides multiple professionally prepared short videos that highlight how to teach a specific body region with an osteopathic perspective. The first of the Scholar Teacher series is focused on the Thoracic Cage where thoracic landmarks (muscular, skeletal), assessment of rib dysfunction and treatment are presented. They may be viewed individually at a faculty meeting and the entire Scholar Teacher series may be utilized as a faculty development curriculum viewed as a group or singularly. Additionally, the faculty may receive free AOA 1a CME for Scholar Teacher with a completed questionnaire. The most attractive component of this series is that it is **FREE** so that all our programs may receive Osteopathic Recognition.

The Scholar Teacher videos are divided into six sections:

1. **Introduction** (basic teaching principles, mini modules, panel)
2. **Faculty Development Introduction** (mini module lab)
3. **Faculty Development Landmarks** (mini module labs 1-2, skill prompts 1-2)
4. **Thoracic Cage Assessment** (mini module labs 3-4, skill prompts 3-4)
5. **Thoracic Cage Treatment** (mini module lab 5-8, skill prompt 5-8)
6. **Becoming the Teacher** (vignette 1-4)



Scholar Teacher authors are Robert W. Hostoffer, Jr., DO; Michael P. Rowane, DO; and Paul Evans, DO. Stay tuned, more Scholar Teacher programs are in development and will be available in the near future on the OOA website. These programs are also available through other osteopathic organizations including the AAO and LECOM.

To go to site to access Scholar Teacher paste this into your browser.

<http://www.ooanet.org/aws/OOSA/pt/sp/scholar7>

As of October 14, 2019, Scholar Teacher is approved by the American Osteopathic Association for 3.25 AOA Category 1-A CME credits. To receive the free credit you must sign-in and view the video series (and complete the test) at <https://aoaonlinelearning.osteopathic.org/>.