



ADELAIDE MEDICAL STUDENTS' FOUNDATION



2013 Annual Report

INTRODUCTION

The Adelaide Medical Students' Foundation (AMSF) is an independent charity governed by medical students and graduates. It exists solely to serve and support University of Adelaide medical students.

In the formative years since its creation in 2009, much focus has been on establishing administrative and marketing systems. The last years has seen the creation of a new awards stream in addition to holding another successful event for AMSS Past Presidents. In 2013, the Foundation has generated \$21,394 of donations, including over \$15000 for the establishment of the new Dr. Kildea Prize.

We invite you to review our progress and growth over the past year.



GOVERNANCE

We thank the members of the 2013 AMSF Board for their collective efforts and in particular Mr Jared Fairbank and Mr Ha Lu who have reached the end of their respective terms.

The AMSF has grown its assets by 24.9% over the 2012-13 financial year. This growth was attributed to returns on investments, our reunion dinner, the annual AMSS contribution and donations.

Congratulations and welcome to the AMSF Board for 2014!

Emeritus Professor Derek Frewin AO (Patron Director)

Prof Randall Faull (Graduate Director)

A/Prof Helen Marshall (Graduate Director)

Dr Matthew Hutchinson (Graduate Director)

Miss Lisa Raven (Student Director)

Miss Nicola Claudius (Student Director)

Mr Ben Wingrove (AMSS Executive Director)

Mr Ben Ielasi (Financial Director)

2013 AWARDS

Intern Teaching Awards

The Intern Teaching Awards recognise interns who have made an outstanding contribution to medical students' learning. The four recipients were presented their awards at the MBBS Declaration Ceremony on 2 December 2013.

Dr Abiram Nair from Modbury Hospital who was nominated for his welcoming nature on General Medicine as well as being an enthusiastic teacher, responsible team player, caring senior and friend.

Dr Clare Keogh from the Royal Adelaide Hospital for taking every opportunity to ask questions of students, provide explanations and ensure students feel comfortable on their General Medicine team.

Dr Kate Madsen from the Lyell McEwin Hospital for her enthusiasm in teaching and involving students in the team right from her very first rotation as an intern in General Medicine.

Dr Rocito Ho from the Queen Elizabeth Hospital for her supportiveness and willingness to support students' integration particularly on her surgical nomination.



Recognition Award

The Recognition Award acknowledges medical students who have made exemplary efforts outside the normal sphere of academic study.

This inaugural recipients of this award were Johanna Warren and Brydie Purbrick for their leadership role in Indigenous health and for expanding the medical program to include Indigenous placements allowing a unique opportunity to all future medical students.



TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIPS

The AMSF annually awards three \$1000 scholarships each year to assist senior medical students undertaking overseas electives.



Afsana Hasan worked with former graduate Dr David Mills in Papua New Guinea where she had the opportunity to see and manage a wide variety of tropical infectious diseases and severe surgical cases.

Michael Weightman traveled to the USA to undertake a placement at McLean Hospital, which is Harvard University's largest psychiatric facility, to explore his interest in psychiatry.



Sebastian Koblar was able to improve his Spanish while volunteering at a medical clinical in Alotenango, a small rural town in Guatemala.



Congratulations to the recipients of the 2013 Travel Scholarships. We wish them all the best on their elective over the coming year.

Jack Richards - Department of Orthopaedics; Tygerberg Hospital, South Africa

Jennifer Sim - Gastroenterology, Haukeland University Hospital, Norway

Edward Miller - General Surgery, Tribhuvan Teaching Hospital, Kathmandu, Nepal



AMSS PAST PRESIDENTS DINNER



On Friday 28 June 2013, the AMSF hosted 45 AMSS Past Presidents, Patron's Plate recipients, AMA Medalists and well wishers for an intimate 3-course dinner and drinks at Chloe's Restaurant.

This reunion dinner was to celebrate the achievements of the AMSS, both past and present whilst reconnecting with friends from years past. We thank all the guests who attended this wonderful evening.



BENEVOLENT FUND

The Benevolent Fund provides financial assistance to medical students who are in financial need or wish to undertake professional development. Over the year the Benevolent Fund has provided financial assistance to 8 students including those below.



Tom O'Neill attended the AMSA National Leadership Development Seminar in Canberra and was able to participate in advocacy tutorials relating to his passion for refugee health.

Maverick Lee also attended the AMSA National Leadership Development Seminar and has since been involved in the creation of a new subcommittee focussing on the mental health and wellbeing of students.

Victoria Cox attended the March General Assembly of the International Federation of Medical Students Association in Baltimore, USA and is now collaborating with Canadian medical students on a policy promoting culturally safe teaching and awareness of Indigenous Health.

Deeva Vather travelled to Canada to present her research on refugee screening with supervisor Dr Benson at the North American Refugee Conference

The Benevolent Fund continues to assist students presenting research at various locations both domestically and internationally.



THE DR KILDEA PRIZE

The Dr. Kildea Prize is awarded to the student judged to have best performance in clinical skills and clinical reasoning across the first two years of the Medical Program, being awarded at the beginning of 3rd year.

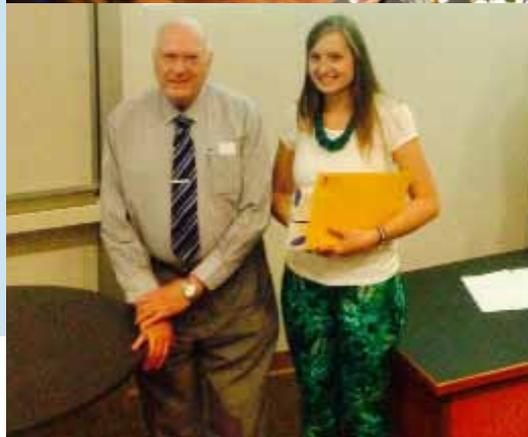
This perpetual prize has been established thanks to the generous donations received from graduates in conjunction with the Dr. Kildea Farewell Dinner. It recognises Dr Hugh Kildea's significant contributions to medical education at the University.

We wish to formally thank those listed below for their donations towards establishing this prize.

- Professor Alastair Burt
- Dr Hugh Kildea
- Dr Helena Ward
- Dr Roger Sexton
- Dr Ross Roberts-Thomson
- Dr Andrew Shepherd
- Dr Nelson Granchi
- Dr Mark Hassall
- Dr Tom Paxton
- Dr Anne Lindon
- Dr Nick Smith
- Dr Edward Gibson
- Dr Michael Cilento
- Dr Sam Kirchner
- Dr Leigh Warren
- Dr Lachlan Farmer
- Dr Simon Harley
- Dr Kristen Pierides
- Dr Ken Lim
- Dr Madeleine Gill
- Dr Ned Kinnear
- Dr Thu Tran
- Dr Sean Jolly
- Dr Thomas Crowhurst
- Mr Grant Crowhurst
- Mrs Daphne Crowhurst
- Mr Ha Lu



The AMSF wishes to congratulate Anne Collinson as the inaugural recipient of the Kildea Prize.



DONATIONS

The AMSF would like to thank the following individuals and groups who have made tax-deductible donations in 2013. Your support is much appreciated!

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Christine Lai
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in addition to all those who have contributed to the establishment of the Dr. Kildea Prize.

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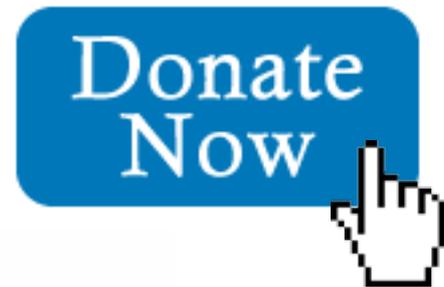
The AMSF gratefully acknowledges the financial advice, banking assistance and generous donation provided by the team of ANZ Rundle Mall in 2013. This is yet another example of the close relationship which the team at ANZ Rundle Mall has with the University of Adelaide as they remain committed to the Adelaide.



SUPPORT US

You can foster the growth of current and future University of Adelaide medical students by making a once-off or recurring tax-deductable donation to the AMSF. We gratefully receive financial donations of any size and your support would be most appreciated!

Donations are used to fund student scholarships, bursaries and prizes, and will also be put towards the AMSF dream of helping to fund large infrastructure projects such as dedicated student libraries or anatomy labs.



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