Student Awards

THE HENRY STRONG DENISON SCHOLARSHIP
The Henry Strong Denison Fund for Medical Research in memory of Henry Strong Denison, M.D., 1908, is used for the specific purpose of aiding in the training for research of young people deemed by the Medical Faculty to be especially gifted for a career in medical investigation.
Awarded to
Hansen Chang Bow, 2011-2012
Richa Gupta, 2010-2011
Jacob James Ruzevick, 2012-2013

THE SOL GOLDMAN AWARD
The Sol Goldman Award is given annually to a Johns Hopkins medical student who is recognized by the faculty of the Department of Medicine, Division of Geriatric Medicine and Gerontology, for excellence in geriatrics and for exceptional sensitivity to older patients. This award is made possible by an endowment given by the family of Sol Goldman to perpetuate an interest in and commitment to geriatric medicine and gerontology among medical students.
Awarded to
Kelly Lauren Sloane, 2013-2014

THE PAUL EHRLICH RESEARCH AWARDS
The Paul Ehrlich Awards were established to honor Dr. Paul Ehrlich with funding originally granted by Dr. Emanuel Libman. The awards, which recognize student research contributions, are presented each year at Young Investigators’ Day.
Awarded to
Elizabeth Eileen Gerber, 2011-2012
Benjamin Chwan Wen Lin, 2012-2013
Hitin Dilip Patel, 2013-2014

THE MICHAEL A. SHANOFF RESEARCH AWARD
The award is made annually to a student for significant research contribution in the medical sciences. The award is made possible by a bequest from the family and friends of the late Dr. Michael A. Shanoff, who earned his undergraduate degree and M.D. and Ph.D. degrees from the Johns Hopkins University.
Awarded to
Sharol Bachas, 2012-2013
Raymond Cheong, 2011-2012
Ya-Chi Ho, 2013-2014
Jennifer Tong Wang, 2013-2014

THE ALICIA SHOWALTER REYNOLDS RESEARCH AWARD
This award was created by the School of Medicine Dean’s Office in 1996, to honor the memory of Alicia Showalter Reynolds, a Ph.D. student in the Department of Pharmacology and Molecular Sciences from 1992 until her untimely death in 1996. It is given in recognition of contributions to research undertaken by a Ph.D. candidate in the School of Medicine.
Awarded to
Julia Lynn Bachman, 2012-2013

THE DAVID ISRAEL MACHT RESEARCH AWARD
The David Israel Macht Research Award was established in 1983 by the family of Dr. Macht to commemorate the centenary of his birth. Dr. Macht was a member of the faculty of the Departments of Pharmacology and Medicine in the early part of this century and was a pioneer investigator in the field of opiate alkaloids. The Award is intended to recognize excellence in investigation by a student in the School of Medicine.
Awarded to
Seth Wayne Dickey, 2013-2014
Yali Zhang, 2012-2013

THE BAE GYO JUNG AWARD
The Bae Gyo Jung Research Award was established in 2006 by friends and family in memory of Bae Gyo Jung, who was a predoctoral student in the department of Biological Chemistry.
Awarded to
Nwe-Nwe Aye-Han, 2012-2013
Yanhui Lu, 2013-2014

THE W. BARRY WOOD STUDENT RESEARCH AWARD
The W. Barry Wood Student Research Award recognizes present commitment and future promise in research.
Awarded to
Anne Marie van Beuningeng, 2011-2012

THE HAROLD LAMPORT BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH PRIZE
The memory of Dr. Harold Lamport, a distinguished investigator, is honored by this prize established by the Lamport Foundation. The prize recognizes research contributions.
Awarded to
Ian Hsu, 2010-2011
Jacob James Ruzevick, 2011-2012
Student Awards

THE EXCELLENCE IN MEDICAL STUDENT RESEARCH AWARD
This award is given annually to students whose efforts in basic biomedical, clinical, or public health research is noteworthy and found deserving of special recognition.

Awarded to
Sarah Wallace Cater, 2012-2013
Heather Ga-Hyung Lyu, 2010-2011
Stuart Leighton Mitchell, 2011-2012
Kurun Partap Singh Oberoi, 2010-2011
John Pang, 2010-2011
Sharon Ruth Weeks, 2011-2012

THE HARVEY CUSHING MEDICAL STUDENT HUNTERIAN RESEARCH AWARD
This award is presented by the Department of Neurosurgery to a medical student who has demonstrated aptitude, dedication and achievement in neurosurgical research and who shows promise for a career in neurosurgery.

Awarded to
Hansen Chang Bow, 2013-2014
Jacob James Ruzevick, 2013-2014
Patricia Leigh Zadnik, 2013-2014

SYLVAN SHANE PRIZE IN ANESTHESIOLOGY AND CRITICAL CARE MEDICINE
This prize, established by Dr. Sylvan Shane, a former member of the faculty in Anesthesiology and Critical Care Medicine, recognizes an outstanding medical student making a career choice in Anesthesiology.

Awarded to
Matthew Scott Vandiver, 2013-2014

THE FRANK H. NETTER, M.D. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP IN MEDICAL ART
The medical illustrator, Frank H. Netter M.D., is known world-wide for his ability to distill complex medical subject matter into clear, effective teaching images. Dr. Netter was not only a skilled draftsman, but knowledgeable in anatomy, physiology, and pathology through his medical training. Family and friends established this scholarship to recognize a student in Art as Applied to Medicine who displays a similar balance of medical and scientific knowledge with the artistic skills that he exhibited throughout his career. Winners of this award have excelled in their academic courses; displayed exceptional art expression; and most importantly utilized both resources to create well-designed and effective didactic illustrations.

Awarded to
Veronica Falconieri, 2013-2014
Michael Geoffrey Silver, 2013-2014

ALPHA OMEGA ALPHA
Honor Medical Society
The Alpha Chapter of Maryland was established at the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine in 1906. Medical students with outstanding records are elected to membership in their senior year. The following members of the graduating class have been elected to membership in Alpha Omega Alpha:

Andrew Herbert Bissonette
Joani Marie Christensen
Eben Clattenburg
Avani Satish Dholakia
Paul DeMouilly Gilbert
Rebecca Susan Greene
Ian Hsu
Thomas Vincent Johnson, III
Timothy Matthew Markman
Marcus Raymond Mesmer
Joseph Edward Molenda
Kathryn Marie Morton
Daniele Helena Rochlin
Paul Joseph Sampognaro
Emily Anne Silverman
Ellie Stella Sousanidis
Martha Alazar Tesfahun
Aaron Tyler Wild
Harold Yihao Wu
Xun Zhou
Erin Nicole Zingarelli

PHI BETA KAPPA
Honor Society
In recognition of excellent academic performance during their studies in the School of Medicine the following students have been elected to Phi Beta Kappa:

Julia Lynn Bachman
Yen-Ling Chiu
Ya-Chi Ho
Chang-Hee Lee
Yin Liu
Shih-Hsiu Wang
Xiaojuing Wu
Erin Nicole Zingarelli
WARFIELD T. LONGCOPE PRIZE IN CLINICAL MEDICINE
The award established in honor of Dr. Longcope, Director of the Department of Medicine from 1922 to 1946, recognizes that graduating student entering the field of medicine whose performance in clinical medicine exemplifies in outstanding fashion the academic excellence and the human qualities that mark the true physician.
Awarded to
Richa Gupta, 2013-2014

HELEN AND HAROLD HARRISON AWARD
The Harrison Award recognizes the remarkable achievements of Doctors Helen and Harold Harrison. The award was established by Dr. Harrison's house officers and colleagues during his many years as chief of Pediatrics at the Baltimore City Hospitals. This award recognizes outstanding proficiency in pediatrics.
Awarded to
Ellie Stella Souganidis, 2013-2014

WILLIAM STEWART HALSTED AWARD IN SURGERY
This award established in honor of Dr. Halsted, the first professor and director of the Department of Surgery, recognizes that graduating student entering the field of surgery whose proficiency in the discipline is deemed outstanding by the faculty of the Sections of Surgical Sciences.
Awarded to
Seyed Alireza Rabi, 2013-2014

EMILY SIMMS HALLER PRIZE
The Emily Simms Haller Prize in Obstetrics was established in 1993 to honor outstanding medical students for their work in obstetrics. Dr. Haller used the Hopkins Hospital Clinics and Labor and Delivery Suite as a site for regular medical student education. Dr. Haller is beloved by decades of students for her teaching and is recognized for her clinical excellence. She is a wife and mother of Hopkins' physicians. The prize was created by colleagues, friends, and family.
Awarded to
Martha Alazar Tesfalu, 2013-2014

SOCIETY FOR ACADEMIC EMERGENCY MEDICINE AWARD
This award recognizes a senior medical student who has demonstrated excellence in the specialty of emergency medicine.
Awarded to
Eben Clattenburg, 2013-2014

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF NEUROLOGY PRIZE FOR EXCELLENCE IN NEUROLOGY
This prize is awarded by the American Academy of Neurology annually to a graduating medical student who exemplifies outstanding scientific achievement and clinical acumen in Neurology or Neuroscience and outstanding personal qualities of integrity, compassion, and leadership.
Awarded to
Paul Joseph Sampognaro, 2013-2014

THE NOVEY PRIZE IN PSYCHOLOGICAL MEDICINE
This prize recognizes that graduating student with an outstanding academic record in Psychiatry who has written the best paper on the connection between medical illnesses and mental life.
Awarded to
Lakshmi Krishnan, 2013-2014

THE STEPHEN J. RYAN, M.D. PRIZE IN OPHTHALMOLOGY
Stephen J. Ryan, a graduate of the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Class of 1965, established this prize in honor of his dedication to medical excellence and his affiliation with the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine and the Wilmer Eye Institute. This prize is awarded to a graduating Johns Hopkins medical student with an outstanding academic record who is entering the field of Ophthalmology.
Awarded to
Thomas Vincent Johnson, III, 2013-2014

DAVID E. ROGERS AWARD
This award was established by the Johns Hopkins Health System, in honor of David E. Rogers, Dean of the School of Medicine from 1968-1971. The award is presented annually to two students who have exemplified the highest standards of professionalism, medical ethics, and community leadership.
Awarded to be announced
Teaching Awards

GEORGE J. STUART AWARD
The Stuart Award was established in 1969 following the bequest of a grateful patient, George J. Stuart of Washington, D.C. Dr. Stuart stipulated that the income from his bequest be presented to an outstanding clinical teacher in the School of Medicine. The selection is made by the senior students.
Awarded to
Thomas E. Finucane, 2013-2014
Department of Medicine

W. BARRY WOOD, JR. AWARD
The W. Barry Wood, Jr. Award for Excellence in Teaching is awarded annually to the teachers voted by the students in the preclinical years to have been most inspirational and/or effective.
Awarded to
Khalil Georges Ghanem, 2010-2011
Department of Medicine
Isabel Christine Green, 2011-2012
Department of Gynecology and Obstetrics

HOUSE STAFF AWARD
The House Staff Teaching Award, established by the Johns Hopkins Medical Student Society, is awarded annually for excellence in clinical teaching by a member of the house staff. Its purpose is to recognize an individual's contributions, but also to emphasize the importance that the students attach to the concept of house officers as teachers.
Awarded to
Matthew Eugene Peters, 2013-2014
Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences

GRADUATE STUDENT TEACHING AWARD
The Graduate Student Teaching Award, established in 1986 by the Graduate Student Association, recognizes excellence in teaching at the graduate level.
Awarded to
Carolyn E. Machamer, 2013-2014
Department of Cell Biology

THE JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AWARD
This award, established in 1992 by the Johns Hopkins University Alumni Association, recognizes the critical importance of teaching at Johns Hopkins.
Awarded to
Margaret S. Chisolm, 2013-2014
Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences

PROFESSORS’ AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING
The Professors' Award for Excellence in Teaching was established in 1981 by the Advisory Board of the Medical Faculty and is intended to honor each year members of the faculty whose teaching is judged to have had a profound effect on students in the School of Medicine.
Awarded to
Edward Kevin Kasper
Department of Medicine for teaching in the pre-clinical sciences.
Henry E. Fessler
Department of Medicine for teaching in the clinical sciences.