UAB HEERSINK SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Carey Phillips Travel Fellowship

In 2024, we awarded 4 MS3 and MS4 students a total of \$6,000 in funds to travel abroad and within the US. Students traveled to Cambridge, England, New Orleans, LA, Washington DC, and Phoenix, AZ.

Medical Student Enrichment Program

We made our annual donation to MSEP, which provides younger medical students scholarships, enabling them to engage in valuable service and training experiences across the globe. See attached 2023-2024 informational report.

Argus Awards

Awards were presented on November 22nd at The Fennec in Birmingham.

2024 winners:

Best Clinical Educator on Birmingham Campus:

- Dr. Hussein Abdullatif Best Clinical Department:
- Internal Medicine

News: 2022 and 2023

The Caduceus Club was able to award Carey Phillips Travel Fellowships this year. We are always impressed with the intellectual caliber and ambition of our recipients. This year was no exception! Our recipients presented an abstracts and publications at conferences around the country. Topics included syphilis screening in the Emergency Department and Disruptive



Winter 2024



Behavior: Impact on DEI in Radiology. Two of our recipients attended the

American College of Radiology Annual Meeting which included a day spent in exclusive presentations and meetings with policymakers on Capitol Hill. One student will be studying at Cambridge Judge Business



School for his MPhil in Management to further his leadership skills. This student also founded The Compassion Closet - a program that ensures every patient is discharged with dignity by providing new,



weather appropriate clothing to trauma and Emergency Department patients whose clothing is cut off, soiled or damaged. We look forward to watching all of them excel in their careers.

We are hopeful to see more of our members in person in 2025!







2024 Argus Award Winners

Membership

If you are interested in joining the Caduceus Club, know someone that might be interested in joining, reactivating your membership, or becoming a Board member, please contact us. The Caduceus Club is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization and your contribution is tax deductible.

Membership levels:

Regular: \$200/annually

Senior (over 70 yrs old): \$100/annually Lifetime (1 time payment, no annual dues):

30yrs+: \$4000 40yrs+: \$3000 50yrs+: \$2000 60yrs+: \$1000

If you prefer to pay dues or donate online, visit our updated website:

caduceusclub.com (click donations)

Carey Phillips Travel Fellowship

In an effort to rebuild our Travel Fellowship fund and to increase membership, our current project has been reaching out to former Travel Fellowship recipients. Since it's creation in 1968, we have given over \$400,000 and helped send hundreds of students all over the world. If you would like to contribute to this effort, please contact us.

<u>Current Board Members:</u> Dr. Wynne Crawford - President, Dr. George Smith - Treasurer, Dr. Roy Hager, Elaine Chambless, Dr. Stewart Waddell, Dr. Greg Driskill, Dr. Lisa Driskill, Dr. Cynthia Brown, and Dr. Rick deShazo.

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