Honors & Awards 2019

Welcome
David J. Sullivan, Jr., MD
Professor, Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology
Chair, Honors & Awards Committee

Ellen J. MacKenzie, PhD ’79, ScM ’75
Dean

Award Presentations
Schoolwide & Departmental Awards
Presented by: David Sullivan

Schoolwide Faculty and Student Practice Awards
Presented by: Josh Sharfstein
Vice Dean for Public Health Practice and Community Engagement
&
Paulani Mui
Assistant Director, Office of Public Health Practice and Training

SOURCE (Student Outreach Resource Center) Community Service Awards
Presented by: Tony Bridges
Student Outreach Resource Assistant Director

Alumni Association Awards
Presented by: Brett McCone
Vice President, Rate Setting, Maryland Hospital Association

Student Assembly Awards
Presented by: Alisa Boyko, President-Elect, Student Assembly

Reception
Feinstone Hall
Hiromu Tsuchiya came to the United States from Japan in 1911. Penniless, he worked his way through the School’s parasitology program. After graduating in 1930, he taught at Washington University’s Medical School for 50 years.

At his death in 1971, Dr. Tsuchiya bequeathed part of his estate to provide financial aid to students at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health. Income from this fund goes toward general funds for student aid, disbursed through the School’s Financial Aid Office. The income supports students not eligible for other aid through the School.

While there is no single student named as the Hiromu Tsuchiya scholarship recipient, we take this opportunity to honor his legacy and to acknowledge all students at the School who give so much of themselves to serve humankind through public health research and practice.
NEW AWARDS

**Arole-Taylor Underserved Community Health Fellowship Fund**
This fund will provide support for students to conduct research and/or carry out fieldwork in an underserved community in order to advance primary health care/community health, which will empower populations to improve the health status of the most vulnerable members of their community.

**Recipients:** Rashel Rabinovich  
Marwa Ramadan

**Christine Awori Hayanga Scholarship**
This scholarship will be used as a current use gift for a term scholarship to support a full-time Master of Public Health student who is a doctor from an African country.

**Recipients:** Beatrix Atieno
Centennial Scholars
In honor of the School’s 100th anniversary, the Centennial Scholars Program provides immediate impact funding to recruit the best and the brightest public health students to the Bloomberg School. The Centennial Scholars Fund supports students from all ten academic departments and the MPH Program.

Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Recipients: Reham Aljumaah
             Wenxuan Guo
             Weixin Li
             Amber Martin
             Haleigh Prather
             Nathaniel Rogers
             Mengrui Wang
             Yujiao Zhang

Biostatistics
Recipient: Elizabeth Sarker

Epidemiology
Recipients: Chinenye Ugoji

Environmental Health and Engineering
Recipients: Lindsay Adams
             Maliha Choudhury
             Rohan Kuruvilla
             Hanchi Wu

Health Policy and Management
Recipients: Abigail Baum
             Linda Chyr

International Health
Recipient: Sarah Al Dahir
             Kirsty Sievwright

Master of Public Health
Recipient: Joseph Yoon

Population, Family and Reproductive Health
Recipient: Alexis Campbell
SCHOOLWIDE AWARDS

P. D. Agarwal Scholarship
Support full-time MPH scholarships for international students at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health in Baltimore, MD. Two partial scholarships will be given every year to MPH Students—one from India and another from other SAARC Countries. These students must be current citizen of one of these countries namely Pakistan, Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Nepal, Maldives, Bhutan, Sri Lanka.

Recipients: Viraj Ambalam
Aniket Ganesh Kini

Aoyama-Kita Scholarship
Dr. Hideyasu Aoyama was one of Dr. Anna Baetjer's students in the 1960s. He returned to his native home of Japan and became the chair of all departments of preventive medicine for all medical schools in the country. He is the president of Kochi Women’s University. Etsuko Kita, MD, PhD, completed a post-doctoral fellowship in the School’s Department of International Health in the 1990s. She is president of the Japanese Red Cross Kyushu International College of Nursing. This fund provides scholarships for public health physicians from Japan, Korea, and Malaysia who will pursue careers in public health practice in those countries, and/or who demonstrate an avid research interest in public health issues affecting those countries.

Recipient: Pyoenggyun Choe

J. Howard Beard Fellowship
This fellowship was established in 1989 by the family, friends, and colleagues of J. Howard Beard, MD, MS, who dedicated his career to improving the health of the people of Maryland. He turned the Anne Arundel County Health Department into a model agency, and his management and innovative programs have been cited with approval in a variety of public health publications, including those used to introduce students to public health and administration. The fellowship supports beginning MPH students who are graduates of the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine or enrolled in the joint MD/MPH program. Preference is given to candidates interested in careers in local or state public health work.

Recipient: Jenny Wen

The David & Patricia Bernstein Scholarship
Income from this fund supports graduate students at the School, with a preference given to students pursuing an MPH degree.

Recipient: Sarah Kennedy

The David and Elinor Bodian Scholarship Fund
The David and Elinor Bodian Foundation established this award to honor the late Dr. David Bodian, who served on the School’s faculty from 1942 to 1947, and his wife Elinor. Dr. Bodian’s seminal research on the behavior of the poliovirus contributed to the development of the polio vaccine and to worldwide progress in combating this crippling disease. Elinor Bodian graduated from the Art as Applied to Medicine Program at the School of Medicine. The fund provides annual support to a doctoral student in any department at the School whose dissertation research is at a critical juncture.

Recipient: Andrea Carcelen
Harry Liu
SCHOOLWIDE AWARDS

Cele & Pete Borcuk Endowment
Income from this fund supports nurses and nursing students studying public health at the School.

Recipients: M. Ellen Dupont
Jennifer Jensen
Desiree LaGrappe

Dr. Leroy Burney MPH Field Experience Award
Dr. Burney was a prominent American physician and public health official and also an alumnus of JHSPH (M.S., 1931). He was appointed the eighth Surgeon General of the United States from 1956 to 1961. The fund will support students in the Masters in Public Health Program at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health who submit a one-page essay on a public health issue critical to the United States and/or the World.

Recipients:
Enoch Abbey
Rosemary Acosta Wright
Kelly Buchanan-Gelb
Sonia Dhawan
Camille Hage
Lisa Hoffman
Allison Jeffery
Zaina Kiragu
Jadmin Mostel

Carr Humanitarian Scholarship Fund
To support full-time MPH students at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health in Baltimore, MD.

Recipient: Mary Hernando

Chao & Wong Scholarship
This scholarship will be used to support outstanding international MPH students. Selection preference is for students from lower and middle-income countries who demonstrate a commitment to returning to their home countries directly after completing the MPH.

Recipient: Beatrix Atieno

CLF-Lerner Fellowship
The Center for a Livable Future Lerner Fellowship program was established in 2003 to support doctoral students at Johns Hopkins University who are committed to the discovery and/or application of knowledge about public health challenges associated with the current food system, and/or about the creation of a healthier, more equitable, and more resilient food system. Each CLF-Lerner Fellowship award provides up to one year of financial support to be used for tuition, stipend, and/or research expenses related to individual needs. Johns Hopkins students from all divisions within the University are eligible to receive support during any stage of their doctoral programs. The fellowship program also provides enrichment opportunities such as a journal club, trainings, and meetings with leaders in the field.

Recipients:
Caitlin Ceryes
Lacey Gaechter
Darriel Harris
Amelie Hecht
Gabriel Innes
Kayla Iuliano
Anna Kharmats
Anastasia Lambrou

Sara Lupolt
Quinn Marshall
Dania Orta-Aleman
Ava Richardson
Sonia Sarkar
Sameer Siddiqi
Marie Spiker
SCHOOLWIDE AWARDS

The Dean’s Alumni Advisory Council Scholarship
Created by members of the Dean's Alumni Advisory Council, this fund provides tuition support to deserving incoming or continuing students whose careers in public health will be dedicated to the global defense of human life through the prevention of disease, disability, and premature death.
Recipient: Muhammad Asghar
Ryan Nugrah

Endowed Scholarship in the Health of Mothers and Children
This fund was established to provide annual support to one or more graduate students whose interests, research and career plans are focused on improving the health and saving the lives of mothers and children.
Recipient: Amy Huang
Seema Subedi

Endowed Student Support Fund
Established in 2000, this fund supports students undertaking research projects in injury control or population control in developing countries. Preference will be given to those students conducting research in China, India, Indonesia and Brazil.
Recipient: Carolina Cardona Cabrera

The Eskridge Family Student Support Fund for International Students
From 1931 to 1938 Lydia Eskridge was a student and research assistant to Dr. Robert Hegner, head of parasitology at the School. Her research focused on dysentery, malaria, hookworm and mosquitoes. She went on to become a parasitologist with a team of Hopkins scientists at a therapeutic institute in New York City, connected with the William R. Warner pharmaceutical company, later known as Warner Lambert. The Eskridge Family Student Support Fund for International Students reflects the lifelong commitment of Lydia Eskridge Arden to public health.
Recipient: Emma Ghazarya
Jordan Levi Rodriguez Hernandez
Seema Subedi

Louis Fink MPH Capstone Award
An annual award to the best MPH Capstone paper focused on the environmental causes of human neurological diseases, especially Parkinson's disease, and/or public policies to mitigate those causes. This year’s recipient, William Coe, won for his capstone paper: “Prenatal Near Roadway Air Pollution Exposure and Early Neurodevelopment in Young Mexican-American Children”
Recipient: Nicholas Luciano

Global Health Scholars
Established in 2006, this fund supports students in the Master of Public Health Program.
Recipient: Katherine Connolly
Priyanka Mysore
Francisco Rodriguez Garza
Tulika Singh
Ruth Freeman Memorial Fund
The late Dr. Freeman, a member of the faculty and coordinator of the nursing programs at the School, was elected to the National Nursing Hall of Fame in 1984. This award, established by her family, friends, and alumni, recognizes an outstanding graduating or continuing nurse doctoral student OR master's student.
Recipients: Jenna DiFilippo
Desiree LaGrappe
Xinyi Lang

The Reed Frost Scholarship
Funded each year by contributions from alumni around the world, this scholarship honors two giants of public health, Lowell J. Reed and Wade Hampton Frost. It is awarded to selected incoming MPH students who show exceptional ability and promise. Wade Hampton Frost, former faculty member, dean, and department chair at the School developed the methodological principles and techniques of epidemiology and is generally recognized as one of the founding fathers of the field in America. Lowell Reed, former faculty member, dean, department chair and president of The Johns Hopkins University, was instrumental in the growth of the discipline of biostatistics and was responsible for its evolution as an essential tool for public health work. The close collaborations between Reed and Frost promoted the ties that link biostatistics and epidemiology today, manifested in the Reed-Frost epidemic curve, still an essential tool for every public health practitioner.
Recipients: Madeleine O'Neill
Biswa Pradhan
Esmeralda Ruiz

The Howard C. and Jane R. Goodman Fund
Howard Goodman, MD, PhD, was a faculty member in the schools of Medicine and Public Health from 1977 until he retired in 1985. He had a long and distinguished career in medical science, including pioneering and leading the World Health Organization’s Tropical Diseases Research Program. This fund was established by his family and friends to provide tuition support to outstanding American and international students enrolled in the MPH program.
Recipient: Chelsey Russell

The Richard J. and Margaret Conn Himelfarb Student Support Fund
Income from this fund will support MPH and doctoral students at the Bloomberg School of Public Health, whose research focuses on autoimmunity or autoimmune disease, with preference given to the study of Type 1 diabetes and students who have or are currently working toward their medical degrees.
Recipient: Megan Wood

Richard E. Hoffman, MD, MPH Endowed Scholarship Fund
To support students interested in studying injury prevention, epidemiology, control, and policy as awarded by the Department of Health Policy and Management.
Recipients: Beatrix Atieno
Constance Lau
The Sibley and Catherine Hoobler Award for Excellence in Public Health and Medicine
As an alumnus of both the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine and the School of Public Health, Sibley Hoobler, ScD ’37, MD, combined teaching medical students, caring for patients, and pursuing clinical research. Mrs. Catherine Hoobler trained in dietetics at the University of Michigan, performed fieldwork in this subject for many years, and maintained a lifelong interest in nutrition. Dr. and Mrs. Hoobler established this award to encourage students to pursue studies in both the School of Public Health and the School of Medicine.
Recipient: Neha Ahmad

Lee M. and Maxwell C. Howard Scholarship Fund for International Students
Established by Dr. and Mrs. Lee Howard, this fund provides scholarships for international students. Dr. Howard was a graduate of the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine and the School of Public Health, and devoted his career to global public health efforts. Most notably, Dr. Howard served as Director of the Office for Health for the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) for 28 years. Among his many honors was his induction to the Hopkins Society of Scholars.
Recipient: Hazem Ayesh

The John C. Hume Fund for Academic Excellence and Promise in an MPH Student
The late John C. Hume, MD, DrPH, was dean of the Johns Hopkins School of Hygiene and Public Health from 1967 to 1977 and a member of the faculty for 40 years. This award, established by alumni, friends, and faculty, honors Dr. Hume’s commitment to excellence in the MPH program.
Recipient: Michelle Wiener

Keith Kuhlemeier Centennial Scholarship
This Scholarship supports students seeking master’s degrees in public health.
Recipient: Rachel Alinsky
Edward Sutanto

Wendy Klag Center for Autism and Developmental Disabilities Internship
This fund was established with contributions from family and friends in memory of Wendy Schagen Klag, late wife of Dean Michael J. Klag. Wendy was a volunteer and devoted parent who was admired for her gentle way with children. Income from this fund will support masters and doctoral students and post-doctoral fellows at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health who are working on issues related to the health and well-being of children. Da-Yea Song, an MHS student in the Department of Population, Family, and Reproductive Health, served her internship with the Maryland Center for Developmental Disabilities.
Recipient: Ndeye Marieme Ndiaye

Wendy Klag Center Competitive Research Grant
Students receiving these awards will be designated as Wendy Klag Scholars, continuing a tradition of scholarship already in place through the Wendy Klag Memorial Fund. Calliope Holinge, a doctoral student in the Department of Mental Health, won funding for her project, “Microbiome Composition and Structure of Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder.”
Recipient: Madhura Kulkarni
SCHOOLWIDE AWARDS

The Cynthia and Robert Lawrence Scholarship
Robert Lawrence, MD, Director of the Center for A Livable Future, and his wife, Cynthia, established this scholarship in 2000. Income from this fund will be used to provide tuition assistance to a masters or doctoral student(s) and/or post-doctoral fellow(s) at the School of Public Health whose public health interests have a direct bearing on the priorities and focus of the Center for a Livable Future. Scholars will be selected by the Center director on the basis of academic excellence, future promise and financial need.

**Recipients:** Emily Cumbie-Drake
Allyn Rosenberger

The Lillian Hiss–Ethel Crosby Scholarship Fund
This award was established to honor Lillian Hiss and Ethel Crosby, nurses who dedicated their careers to public health nursing at the Catonsville Health Clinic. In 1971, the Clinic was sold, and the proceeds were donated to the School to offer support to graduate students with nursing backgrounds.

**Recipient:** Xinyi Liang

Carol Eliasberg Martin Scholarship
This fund was established in 1998 by the Eliasberg Family Foundation in memory of Carol Eliasberg Martin, MHS ’82 who died in 1997 after a long battle with cancer. This fund provides annual support to an outstanding doctoral student or postdoctoral fellow whose work holds promise for preventing cancers that affect women, with a focus on breast and ovarian cancer.

**Recipients:** Taylor Holroyd
Maneet Kaur

The Dr. Cynthia Maung Endowed Scholarship Fund
This fund supports medical students completing the 3rd or 4th year of their medical training to attend the Bloomberg School of Public Health to complete a Master of Public Health degree. Funds will be awarded to students who show an exceptional level of financial need as determined by the Office of Financial Aid and who would otherwise not be able to attend Johns Hopkins. Named in honor of Dr. Cynthia Maung, founder of the Mae Tao Clinic in the Thai-Burma border city of Mae Sot, these students will have demonstrated, like Dr. Maung, a life dedicated to improving public health, whatever the cost or situation. Maung’s passion for treating those directly affected by war serves as further inspiration for the creation of this fund. Preference will be given to medical students at the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine completing the 3rd or 4th years of their medical training.

**Recipients:** Jenny Wen

The Janice Eddy Mickey Endowment
This scholarship was established in 1997 by the family of Janice Eddy Mickey, DrPH ’68. Dr. Mickey was instrumental in the creation of the Patients’ Bill of Rights through her thesis work at Johns Hopkins. The fund supports students who plan to devote their lives to improving health and human rights worldwide.

**Recipient:** Jeffrey Herman
SCHOOLWIDE AWARDS

**Minority Health Award**
The Minority Health Award was established in 1991 as a permanent endowment by alumni and friends of the School. It recognizes students with a demonstrated commitment to minority health issues.

**Recipient:** Chelsey Russell

**Procter & Gamble Fellowships**
Established by Procter & Gamble in 2003, this fund supports masters, doctoral and post-doctoral students committed to advancing the health and well-being of women and children through the provision of clean water and improved nutrition.

**Recipients:**
- Alexandra Bellows
- Elizabeth Graham
- Kaitlyn Harper

**The Ruth Rice Puffer Fund for International Student Support**
Ruth Rice Puffer made many contributions to public health. She came to the School in 1937 to work with Dr. Wade Hampton Frost. Following her tenure with Dr. Frost, she spent her career working on tuberculosis and childhood mortality in various countries. This fund was established by Carol Lewis, MPH ’68 in 1998 to recognize Dr. Puffer’s many contributions to public health and is supported by Dr. Puffer’s friends and family. The fund supports a master’s student studying at the School who is not a United States citizen.

**Recipient:** Angelica Lopez Hernandez

**The R. Bradley Sack Family Scholarship Award**
Established in 2000 by R. Bradley Sack, MD, MS, ScD ’68, the award supports outstanding doctoral students studying infectious disease in the developing world. Dr. Sack has served on the faculty at the School for over 30 years and has consulted and worked all over the world on problems related to infectious diseases.

**Recipients:** Laura Beres

**Edyth H. Schoenrich Student Scholarship Fund**
Dr. Edyth Schoenrich has been part of Johns Hopkins since 1948, when she arrived as an intern, fresh from the University of Chicago Medical School. At the Bloomberg School of Public Health, she had held appointments as full professor, senior associate dean of academic affairs and associate director of the MPH program. In each role, she has demonstrated her native intelligence, commitment to excellence, outspoken courage, and compassion for students. This fund was established in Edyth's honor by her sister, Marion Donohue, to support deserving students at the School. Many friends, family and alumni have also contributed to the Fund.

**Recipients:**
- Nirali Bora
- Carey Carpenter
- Heather Flynn
SCHOOLWIDE AWARDS

The Ernest Lyman and Helen Ross Stebbins Scholarship
This scholarship was established in 1988 by alumni, friends, and members of the Stebbins family to memorialize Ernest Stebbins, MD, MPH, and his devotion to students at the School. Dr. Stebbins was Dean from 1946 to 1967, and served on the faculty from 1946 to 1972. A pioneer in the field of preventive medicine, he was also renowned as an outstanding physician, epidemiologist, health commissioner, and professor. He was a charter member, and later president, of the American Board of Preventive Medicine. The Stebbins award is given to students who focus on professional practice.

Recipient: Edward Sutanto

Y.C. Yang Student Scholarship
This award is given to outstanding international MPH students.

Recipient: Ikponmwosa Osaghae

Dr. Chun Hui Yen & Wang Pei Yen Scholarship Fund
This fund honors the memory of Dr. Yen and his wife, acknowledging in particular Dr. Yen's commitment to public health through his service as a professor at the Peking Union Medical College, his service as Minister of Health for Taiwan and his longstanding association with the Johns Hopkins University. This fund provides annual scholarship support to a student from Taiwan or China who has demonstrated academic excellence and financial need. Preference will be given to students pursuing a MPH degree who have expressed an interest in disease control or health systems.

Recipient: Chao Huang

The Watt/Hansell Award
The Watt/Hansell Endowment was established in 1994 by James Watt, MD, DrPH ’36 and Myron Wegman, MD, MPH ’38. The late Dr. Watt was the first of four generations of Watt/Hansell Hopkins graduates to combine medical studies with training in public health. James Watt was a Diplomat of the American Board of Preventive Medicine. His crusade to promote public health led to the creation of the Watt/Hansell Endowment, which supports the cross-training of students in the schools of Public Health and Medicine.

Recipient: James Senter
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

The Brian D. Crawford and Family Research Scholarship
To support doctoral students in the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology.
Recipient: Alisa Boyko
               Daniel De Angelis
               Joseph Fischer
               Harry Liu

The Elsa Orent Keiles Fellowship in Biochemistry
This fellowship was established in 1996 with a bequest from the estate of Elsa Orent Keiles, ScD ’25, a graduate of the Department of Chemical Hygiene (now Biochemistry and Molecular Biology). In keeping with Dr. Keiles’ research interests, the award provides tuition support for graduate students with demonstrated financial need in the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology.
Recipient: TJ Koehler

Biostatistics

The Helen Abbey Fund
This fund was established by friends, faculty, colleagues, and former students of the late Helen Abbey, ScD ’51, to celebrate her long and fruitful tenure in the Department of Biostatistics. The award provides support for second-year (and later) Biostatistics doctoral candidates who have a commitment to teaching and will be a teaching assistant to students in Biostatistics.
Recipient: Bonnie Smith

The June Culley Scholarship in Biostatistics
Dr. June E. Culley received a MPH degree from the School in 1970 and earned a doctorate in Health Services Administration in 1981. She was a risk manager for the VA Medical Center at Fort Howard, Maryland. The scholarship, established in 2002 through Dr. Culley’s estate, provides support to deserving students from the Department of Biostatistics.
Recipient: Zhicheng Ji

Louis I. Dublin and Thomas D. Dublin Fund for the Advancement of Epidemiology and Biostatistics
Thomas D. Dublin, MD, DrPH ’41, trained as an epidemiologist at the School. His father, Dr. Louis I. Dublin, was a distinguished biostatistician. Their two public health disciplines have long been united by a tradition of collaboration as exemplified by the notable partnership of Lowell Reed and Wade Hampton Frost, and that continued legacy of cooperation is honored with the creation of this fund. This fund will support graduate student education at the junction of Biostatistics and Epidemiology at the School.
Recipients: Pei-Lun Kuo
                Haoyu Zhang
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

The David B. Duncan Centennial Scholarship
This fund supports students in the Department of Biostatistics, with preference given to international students from regions with a pressing need for statistical expertise or students pursuing studies or research in global education and global health.
Recipient: Elizabeth Sarker

Jane and Steve Dykacz Endowment Fund in Medical Statistics
This fund was created in July 1998 to honor Jane and Steve Dykacz by their daughter Janice. This fund provides an award to a faculty or student whose research fosters biostatistical research and practice in order to advance our understanding of human health and disease. The Jane and Steve Dykacz Endowment Fund also supports students whose research advances the practice of statistics applied to public health and medicine, including the translation of statistical methods and tools.
Recipient: Lamar Hunt

Kocherlakota Award in Biostatistics
Established in 2010, this award honors the 46 successful years of marriage and careers in Biostatistics by Drs. Kathleen and Subrahmanian Kocherlakota until his passing in 2009. Co-authors of *Multivariate Analysis: A Selected and Abstracted Bibliography, 1957-1972*, authors of numerous peer-reviewed articles and papers, and professors of statistics at the University of Manitoba, the life and work of Drs. Kocherlakota was dedicated to increasing and sharing knowledge with students from around the globe. The award is presented each year to the most outstanding master's level student in the Department of Biostatistics, as evidenced by the score on the first year comprehensive exam.
Recipient: Xinye Li

Margaret Merrell Fund
This fund has been awarded since 1995 in memory of faculty member Dr. Margaret Merrell ScD, '50. Founded by friends, colleagues, and former students, the fund supports outstanding doctoral students for their work in Biostatistics.
Recipients: Zhicheng Ji

The Charles Rohde Centennial Endowed Scholarship
This scholarship supports students in the Department of Biostatistics.
Recipient: Bonnie Smith
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS
Environmental Health and Engineering

The Randy E. Bass Award
The Randy E. Bass Award in the Division of Occupational and Environmental Health, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, was endowed in 1996 through Dr. Bass’s estate. Dr. Bass received his MPH from the School in 1988 and completed the full requirements of the Occupational Medicine Residency in June of 1989. Having received the Secretary’s Exceptional Achievement Award from the U.S. Department of Labor, Dr. Bass served as a team member in developing final environmental cadmium standards. He was active in the Occupational Medicine Residency teaching and training programs, and in the teaching of undergraduates. This award benefits a student who demonstrates the same dedication to the field that Randy did during his short career.
Recipient: Romarius Longmire

Alice J. Gifford Fund for Occupational and Environmental Health Nursing
The Alice Gifford Fund in the Division of Occupational and Environmental Health, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, honors Alice Gifford, PhD, RN, FAAN, and emeritus Associate Professor at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, who in 1977 founded the Occupational Health Nursing Program in the multidisciplinary Education and Research Center, which is funded by the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health. The program continues to support nurses in masters’ and doctoral study. Always a strong advocate of graduate education, Alice promoted the field of occupational and environmental health nursing and served as a mentor to students, graduates, and faculty.
Recipient: Pavithra Jaisankar
            Meredith Zoltick

The Charlotte Goldstein Memorial Scholarship
Established by Dr. Issac Block, this scholarship is used to support a student of the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health’s Mid-Atlantic Health Leadership Institute who is currently employed by the Department of Mental Health and Hygiene.
Recipient: Casey Scott

The Environmental Health Engineering Student Development Fund
This fund was established by alumni and faculty of the Division of Environmental Health Engineering to support student development, educational goals, and objectives of the (then) industrial hygiene program at the discretion of the director of the (now) occupational and environmental hygiene program.
Recipient: Andrew Brown
            Drew Cantor
            Kavita Mizin
            Benjamin Williams
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

Kazuyoshi Kawata Fund in Sanitary Engineering and Science
This fund will provide support for students with a focus in sanitary engineering and science in the Department of Environmental Health Sciences. Dr. Kawata served on the faculty at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health from 1966-1989. He is regarded as an international expert, professional engineer, educator and consultant in environmental engineering and environmental health.

Recipient: Kelsey Babik

The Dr. C. W. Kruse Memorial Fund
Dr. Krusé served as chair of the Departments of Sanitary Engineering (1962-1963) and Environmental Health Sciences (1966-1976). This award, established by his colleagues, friends, and former students, recognizes academic achievement.

Recipient: Kelsey Babik

The David Leslie Swift Fund in Environmental Health Engineering
This fund was established in 1998 by Suzanne Swift in honor of her late husband David Leslie Swift, PhD. Dr. Swift was a faculty member at the School from 1966 to 1997. His research career was distinguished and diverse, and his work on the health effects of particulate matter and air pollutants made him a pioneer in his field. This fund supports exceptional masters, doctoral, or postdoctoral students in the Division of Environmental Health Engineering of the Department of Environmental Health Sciences.

Recipient: Kelsey Babik

The Winifred S. Hayes Doctoral Scholarship Fund in Occupational and Environmental Health Nursing
The gift will be used to support traditional education-related costs of tuition, stipend, health care and/or research funding needs for a student pursuing a PhD in Nursing in either the Epidemiology Dept. or within the Occupational and Environmental Health Nursing (OEHN) Program.

Recipient: Caitlin Ceryes

Epidemiology

Miriam E. Brailey Fund
Jonathan Samet, MD, MS, former chair of the Department of Epidemiology, established this fund in honor of Dr. Brailey, who received her MD in Medicine in 1930 and her doctorate degree in Epidemiology in 1931. Dr. Brailey was one of the first doctoral students in the Department of Epidemiology, and she also joined the Epidemiology faculty after graduation as its first female faculty member, and taught with Wade Hampton Frost, the founding chair. The scholarship supports graduate training and research in epidemiology.

Recipients: Yvonne Commodore-Mensah
Maneet Kaur
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

The Trudy Bush Fund
Established by friends and colleagues of Dr. Trudy Bush, this fund supports a student pursuing an MHS degree in the Department of Epidemiology with a specialization in women's health. Trudy Bush, PhD, MHS ’80, who died suddenly in March 2001, was an internationally recognized expert in the field of women's health, particularly in the areas of menopause, hormone replacement therapy, and cardiovascular disease in women. She was a faculty member in the Department of Epidemiology for eight years and remained an adjunct professor after moving to the University of Maryland School of Medicine.

Recipient: Liuye Huang

The Jean Coombs Fund
The Jean Coombs Fund, established through a bequest from the estate of Jean Coombs, PhD ’78, funds doctoral dissertation research by students in the Department of Epidemiology who are focusing on cancer or childhood diseases.

Recipient: Pritesh Karia

The Dyar Memorial Fund
The Dyar Memorial Fund was established in 1994 through the estate of Dr. Robert Dyar, MPH ’37, DrPH ’38. This award provides tuition support to graduate students in the Department of Epidemiology who do not yet have an MD degree.

Recipient: Pablo Martinez Amezcua

Lin Wang

The Charlotte Ferencz Scholarship in the Department of Epidemiology
Charlotte Ferencz, MD, MPH, who established this fund in 2000, has devoted her professional life to unraveling the enormously complex issues posed by congenital heart disease. This scholarship supports students' research projects in the field of maternal and child health epidemiology. The intention of the scholarship is to have the research, which may be part of the faculty's work, lead to the recipients doctoral or master's thesis.

Recipients: Ananya Kumar

Tiange Liu

Nancy Fink Fund for Scholarship and Service
Established in 2010 by friends, colleagues and family in memory of Nancy E. Fink, who was a senior scientist in the Department of Epidemiology. Nancy was recognized for her remarkable empathy and nurturing approach to mentorship, research and teaching. The fund supports students pursuing a master's degree (MHS, ScM) in the Department of Epidemiology, with preference given to master's degree students in clinical or cardiovascular epidemiology who aspire to become experts in the conduct and coordination of epidemiologic studies.

Recipients: Xuejuan Ning
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

Ellen B. Gold Fund for Epidemiology Scholarship
Dr. Gold is a professor and chair of the Department of Public Health Sciences at UC Davis. She studies lifestyle and ovarian function in midlife women, neurotoxicity of organophosphates in children of migrant farm workers, smoking effects on maternal folate and reproductive outcomes, smoking and adverse reproductive health in women, and epidemiology of brain tumors in children. Gold received her PhD in epidemiology from the Bloomberg School of Public Health. Income from the fund supports academically outstanding graduate students in the Department of Epidemiology.

Recipient: Kruthika Raman Iyer
Riaz Qureshi
Zhi Yu

Leon Gordis Centennial Scholarship
This fund, created in honor of long-time faculty member Leon Gordis, MD, DrPH ’68, MPH ’66”, will be used to enhance and expand the teaching opportunities for doctoral students in the Department of Epidemiology.

Recipient: Pablo Martinez Amezcua

Abe Lilienfeld Scholarship Fund
Abraham Lilienfeld, MD, MPH, is known as the “father of contemporary chronic disease epidemiology.” He was a major contributor to the 1964 Smoking and Health report issued by the 9th U.S. Surgeon General, Dr. Luther Terry, establishing that tobacco smoking was a serious threat to health. Dr. Lilienfeld was internationally recognized as an expert in cancer research and as a pioneer in developing epidemiological methods for the study of chronic diseases. He received his MPH degree in 1949 from the Johns Hopkins School of Hygiene and Public Health, and joined the faculty of the School as a lecturer in 1950. The scholarship supports exceptional doctoral or master’s students concentrating in the discipline of epidemiology.

Recipient: Lubaina Arsiwala
Stephanie Irwin

The Mary B. Meyer Memorial Fund
Mary Bradley Meyer, a faculty member in the Department of Epidemiology, was noted for her landmark studies on the effects of maternal smoking and x-ray exposure on pregnant women. This fellowship, established in 1981 by her family, friends, colleagues, and former students, supports doctoral and post-doctoral students in Epidemiology whose research focuses on the epidemiology of reproduction and infant/child health.

Recipient: Neia Prata Menezes

The Harvey M. Meyerhoff Fellowship in Cancer Prevention
This fund was established in 2003 by the Joseph Meyerhoff Family Charitable Funds. Harvey M. (Bud) Meyerhoff, a former chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Johns Hopkins Hospital and Health System, has served many years on the boards of both the Health System and the University. He is a well known Baltimore civic leader and philanthropist. Income from the fund supports fellowships in cancer prevention in the Department of Epidemiology.

Recipient: Zhengyi Deng
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

Dr. and Mrs. Roscoe M. Moore Jr., Scholarship in the Department of Epidemiology
Dr. and Mrs. Roscoe M. Moore Jr., established the award in 2000 in honor of Dr. Moore’s parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe M. Moore Sr., of Richmond, Virginia. The scholarship supports a doctoral student, with preference given to graduates of historically black colleges and universities. Dr. Moore is an assistant surgeon general in the U.S. Public Health Service, and associate director for Development Support and African Affairs in the office of International and Refugee Health.

Recipient: Neia Prata Menezes

The Dorothy and Arthur Samet Student Support Fund in Epidemiology
A student fund established in 1996 by Drs. Jonathan Samet and Thomas Dublin was renamed in 2005 and further endowed by Dr. Samet in honor of his parents Dorothy and Arthur. It supports students in the Department of Epidemiology.

Recipients: Bennett Gosiker
         Olive Tang

The Charlotte Silverman Fund in the Department of Epidemiology
Dr. Charlotte Silverman, MPH ’42, DrPH ’48, an Epidemiology alumna, had a long career in epidemiology at the state and federal levels. She established this fund in 1996 to support outstanding students and junior faculty in Epidemiology whose focus is on epidemiology and policy.

Recipients: Daniel Antiporta Penaloza
         Emily Hu
         Kathryn Leifheit

Anna Huffstutler Stiles Scholarship
Created by Dr H. M. "Mac" Stiles in memory of his mother, Anna Huffstutler Stiles, this scholarship will support graduate students in the Department of Epidemiology.

Recipient: Moira Differding

General Preventive Medicine Residency

David Paton Scholarship in Preventive Medicine
Established in 2001, this fund supports a General Preventive Medicine resident at the Bloomberg School of Public Health. David Paton, MD, is a retired ophthalmologist who received his medical degree from the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine and did his residency at the Wilmer Institute. Since his retirement to Long Island, he has been on the boards of the East Hampton Health Care Foundation, the Southampton Hospital and other similar boards. Dr. Paton strongly supports the concept of preventive medicine.

Recipient: Anna Choe

GlaxoSmithKline Preventive Medicine Residency Scholarship
The GlaxoSmithKline Preventive Medicine Residency Scholarship was established in 1995 with a gift from SmithKline Beecham. The scholarship offers support to a first-year preventive medicine resident.

Recipient: Selvi Rajagopal
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

Ruth B. and J. Douglas Colman Scholarship
This fund was established in 2001 by the daughters of J. Douglas and Ruth B. Colman. Mr. Colman was one of the founders of Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Maryland. This fund honors Mr. and Mrs. Colman's dedication to high quality health care for all. The Ruth B. and J. Douglas Colman Scholarship provides support to an outstanding student in the preventive medicine residency whose focus is on health policy.

Recipient: Jamar Slocum

The General Preventive Medicine Residency Endowment
The General Preventive Medicine Residency Endowment was established in 1994 by graduates of the Preventive Medicine Residency. This fund provides tuition and stipend support for first-year General Preventive Medicine residents.

Recipient: Dela Taghipour

Health, Behavior and Society

HBS Distinguished Research Awards
The Health, Behavior and Society Distinguished Research awards are presented to students to support special research or training opportunities and dissertation research. Awards are made on a competitive basis, with consideration given to the relevance of the research or training to the Department's mission.

Recipients: Jennifer Brown
Beata Debinski
Darriel Harris
Naira Kalra
Catherine Tomko
Samantha Tsang
Tuo-Yen Tseng
Daniel Woznica

Health Policy and Management

The Marilyn Bergner Award in Health Services Research
Dr. Bergner was a faculty member in the Department of Health Policy and Management from 1986 to 1992. A leader in health services research, she developed the Sickness Impact Profile, a patient questionnaire which measures the level of every-day functioning during the course of illness. This award was established by her husband, Dr. Lawrence Bergner, her colleagues, friends, and students. It supports doctoral students in the health services research track in the Department of Health Policy and Management.

Recipient: Zachary Predmore
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

The June Culley Scholarship in Health Policy and Management
Dr. June E. Culley received an MPH degree from the School in 1970 and earned a doctorate in Health Services Administration in 1981. She was a risk manager for the VA Medical Center at Fort Howard, Maryland. The Scholarship, established in 2002 through Dr. Culley's estate, provides support to deserving students from the Department of Health Policy and Management.

Recipients: Kathryn Heley

Charles D. Flagle Fund
The Charles D. Flagle Award was established in 1994 by alumni, colleagues, and friends of Charles Flagle, DrEng, in honor of his long dedication to teaching and health services research. Dr. Flagle, professor emeritus of Health Policy and Management, served on the faculty of the School for more than 30 years. From 1967 to 1968, he served as special assistant to the U.S. Surgeon General for Applied Health Technology, and in 1978 was elected to the Institute of Medicine of the National Academy of Sciences. Dr. Flagle's later work related to technological advances and their translation into clinical services and improved public health. This fund supports a doctoral student from Health Policy and Management whose work is in the area of health services research, including technology assessment and medical informatics.

Recipient: Sarah Gensheimer

Pearl and Jeremiah German Scholarship in Gerontology
Scholarship funds will be used to provide tuition assistance and/or stipend support to students at the doctoral level with a declared interest in gerontology, who are enrolled in the Department of Health Policy and Management at the Bloomberg School of Public Health or affiliated with the Welch Center for Prevention, Epidemiology and Clinical Research.

Recipient: Julia Burgdorf

The John C. Hume Doctoral Award
Admired for his humor and wisdom, the late Dr. John Hume served as Dean, faculty member, and mentor to many generations of public health professionals. This award, established by faculty, friends, and alumni, honors Dr. Hume's commitment to excellence in doctoral research in public health. This award is granted each year to a continuing student whose research will make a significant impact on the field.

Recipient: Molly Francis

The Victor P. Raymond Memorial Fund
This award was established in 1994 by friends and family members of the late Dr. Victor Raymond, ScD ’87, a graduate of the Department of Health Policy and Management. Dr. Raymond was influential in one of the most dynamic arenas for public policy development, the U.S. Congress. He spent more than 12 years working on health care research and policy analysis, federal health program management, and legislative affairs. The award supports a continuing doctoral student in the Department whose work has relevance at the national and/or state level.

Recipient: Kellan Baker
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

Alison Snow Jones Prize
The Alison Snow Jones Prize was established in honor of Alison Snow Jones, former faculty member and alumna of HPM who passed away in January 2011. The Prize honors excellence in the thesis or publication of a Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health doctoral student. It will be awarded by the Department of Health Policy and Management to an outstanding student with work in any of the following topics: health economics, the intersection between ethics and health economics, intimate partner violence, and in women's health. Across the breadth of her academic work, she always strove to serve as a bridge between the academic world and the world beyond the institution she served in order to make a positive change. The award honors excellence in the thesis or publication of a Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School doctoral student.
Recipient: Caroline Hanson

The Barbara Starfield Scholarship
The Barbara Starfield Scholarship Fund supports doctoral students at the School who focus their studies in health services research or health policy, with priority given to those interested in the organization, delivery, and outcomes of primary care and in understanding the impact of equity on health.
Recipient: Ezinne Eze-Ajoku

The John P. Young Memorial Fund
This fund was established in 1988 by former students, colleagues, friends, and family members of John P. Young, DEng ’62, professor of Health Policy and Management. The fund is a lasting memorial to a professor who was known for his dedication to the students and the School, especially in the area of management sciences. The fund supports an annual award to an outstanding student in the Department of Health Policy and Management's MHA program.
Recipient: Jordan Wuest

International Health

Baker, Reinke, Taylor Scholarship in International Health
Established in 2004, this scholarship commemorates over 100 combined years of dedicated public health service by Drs. Timothy D. Baker, William Reinke and Carl E. Taylor. The efforts of these three men were instrumental in establishing the field of international health as a distinct discipline. This fund supports graduate students in the Department of International Health at the Bloomberg School of Public Health. Preference will be given to students working in the following areas: organization of health delivery systems, community-based health care or injury control in less developed countries.
Recipient: Quinn Marshall
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

Timothy D. Baker Endowed Scholarship Fund in International Health
Timothy D. Baker joined the school as a faculty member in the Department of Public Health Administration and as an assistant dean. In 1961, he founded the School's Division of International Health and served as acting director. Over the next five years, he was instrumental in building the Division into the Department of International Health. Among his many contributions, he helped created the fields of manpower planning and injury control in developing countries. He was also a beloved teacher and advisor. This fund, created upon Dr. Baker's death, provides support for PhD or DrPH candidates in the Department of International Health. This fund provides annual support for PhD and DrPH candidates, with exceptions to include post-doctoral students at the discretion of the Department Chair. Funds may be used for tuition and/or living expenses with equal preference given to students focusing on (or planning to focus on) Injury Control and those with other interests in International Health.

Recipient: Eva Leidman

Dr. Henry K. and Lola Beye Scholarship
This fund was established in 2001 through the estate of Lola Beye, widow of Henry Beye, MD. Dr. Beye received his MPH degree from the School in 1942 and was an authority on tropical diseases. He spent many years at the U.S. Public Health Service where he was the director of the Middle America Research Unit. He conducted intensive studies on elephantiasis, hemorrhagic fever, filariasis and schistosomiasis. During his career, he worked in such countries as Bolivia, British Guinea, Thailand, and Panama, where he died suddenly on April 11, 1964 of a heart attack. Mrs. Beye, a nurse, often worked in the field with Dr. Beye. This fund supports an outstanding student who has completed a medical degree and is pursuing a graduate degree in the Department of International Health. It is meant to support an outstanding student whose interests reflect those of Dr. Beye. Therefore, we particularly encourage applications from doctoral students working in tropical medicine.

Recipient: Sarah Elaraby

Georgeda Buchbinder Fund
Dr. Georgeda Buchbinder received her MPH from the School of Public Health in 1984. She then moved to Hawaii and began a public health career by teaching population science and international health. Her career was progressing extraordinarily well when she was diagnosed with cancer. This fund was established by friends and colleagues after her death to celebrate her all-too-brief career in public health. This fund annually supports students, junior faculty, or other priority projects in international health at the discretion of the chairman of the Department of International Health.

Recipient: Laura Beres
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

The Bacon Field Chow Memorial Fellowship
This fellowship was established in 1997 by Mrs. Idella Chow in memory of her husband, Bacon Field Chow, who served on the faculty of the Department of Biochemistry from 1949 until his death in 1973. Dr. Chow was internationally recognized for his studies on the effects of maternal diet on a mother’s offspring. The fellowship supports outstanding doctoral students working in the area of human nutrition research.

Recipients: Alexandra Bellows
Kaitlyn Harper
Shannon King
Emma Lewis

The Clements-Mann Fellowship Fund in Vaccine Sciences
Mary Lou Clements-Mann, MD, MPH '79, professor of International Health, and her husband Jonathan Mann, MD, MPH, visiting professor of Health Policy and Management, died in September 1998 when Swiss Air Flight 111 to Geneva crashed into the North Atlantic. The Manns were at the forefront of the worldwide struggle against AIDS. Dr. Clements-Mann was an internationally known virologist and AIDS researcher who devoted most of her career to developing and testing vaccines to combat respiratory viruses, AIDS, and diarrheal diseases. As professor of International Health, she was the founding director of the Center for Immunization Research, where she worked with colleagues to develop the master's and doctoral programs in vaccine sciences. Dr. Jonathan Mann founded the World Health Organization’s AIDS program and was one of the first scientists to bring the international AIDS crisis to the world’s attention. The Clements-Mann Fellowship was established by family members, friends, and colleagues as a tribute to Mary Lou and Jonathan’s tireless devotion to vaccine development, research, and human rights. The fund supports outstanding graduate students working in vaccine sciences.

Recipient: Taylor Holroyd

The Diana Hess Memorial Fund
In 1983 the Diana Hess Memorial Fund was established with contributions from her family and friends. Diana Hess, a former Peace Corps volunteer in Kenya, was devoted to improving public health in Africa. The Hess Fund provides an annual scholarship to students in the Department of International Health. The award is based on academic and professional accomplishments. Preference is given to those planning to work in Africa, but this is not a requirement for receipt of the award.

Recipient: Alexandra Zimmer

Humanitarian Assistance Scholarship Fund
This fund provides support to masters’ and doctoral students who are committed to improving humanitarian response and health for refugees, displaced persons and populations affected by conflict and natural disasters.

Recipients: Kathleen Fallon
            Marwa Ramadan
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

The Elsa Orent Keiles Fellowship in Human Nutrition in International Health
This fellowship was established in 1996 with a bequest from the estate of Elsa Orent Keiles, ScD ’25, a graduate of the Department of Chemical Hygiene (now Biochemistry and Molecular Biology). In keeping with Dr. Keiles’ research interests, the award provides tuition support for graduate students with demonstrated financial need in the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology or the Program in Human Nutrition in the Department of International Health.

Recipients: Swetha Manohar
Quinn Marshall

Harry D. Krusé Fellowship in Nutrition
Harry D. Krusé, MD, ScD, collaborated with E.V. McCollum in the latter’s renowned vitamin research, and served with distinction for many years as a faculty member in the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. This fellowship, established in 1987 by the Krusé family, supports a continuing doctoral candidate in nutrition who has displayed outstanding achievement and promise.

Recipient: Farah Behbehani

The Richard H. Morrow Endowed Scholarship Fund in Health Systems
Dr. Richard Morrow was widely known for his expertise in quality assurance management methods for developing countries; the development of burden of disease measures and their use in health sector reform; and epidemiologic methods for field trials in developing countries. Before his death, Dr. Morrow and his wife, Helga, established a student scholarship fund to provide financial support to doctoral students whose focus is on creating new or better pathways to improving health among the world's underserved populations.

Recipient: Katherine Merrill

The Harry J. Prebluda Fellowship in Nutritional Biochemistry
This fellowship was established in 1990 by Mrs. Harry J. Prebluda and her children in memory of her late husband. Harry Prebluda earned his doctorate degree in Biochemistry at the School in 1937, and worked closely with E.V. McCollum. The fellowship fosters the careers of outstanding young scientists focusing on nutritional biochemistry and metabolism.

Recipient: Monica Pasqualino

John Snow, Inc. Award in International Health
John Snow, Inc.’s mission is to provide an extensive range of research and consulting services to the health care and service sectors. The International Division provides technical assistance designed to enhance the effectiveness and quality of public health programs. The John Snow, Inc. Award, an annual award created in 2001, provides financial assistance to outstanding, second-year students in the Department of International Health who are engaged in internships in the field.

Recipients: James Kumwenda
Sandra Londino
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

The Nancy Stephens Student Support Fund
Established in 1970 as the International Health Fund, this fund provides grants to masters’ or doctoral students in the Department of International Health who are completing their degrees. For 37 years Nancy Stephens was an immensely popular student coordinator in the Department of International Health. At her retirement in 2001, Dr. Robert Black, chairman of the Department, honored her by renaming this fund the Nancy Stephens Student Support Fund.

Recipients: Andrea Carcelen  
              Prakriti Shrestha

The Mary and Carl Taylor Fund
The Mary and Carl Taylor Fund was created in 1995 with contributions from faculty and alumni in honor of the Taylors’ commitment to the students of the School of Public Health and to improving international health through research and action. The fund provides support to a student working in the area of international bioethics.

Recipient: Jennifer Gerber

The Robert D. and Helen S. Wright Fund
This fund was established in 1983 with donations from family members and friends of former International Health faculty member Robert Wright, MD, MPH ’40. The Fund provides support for continuing doctoral students who expect to contribute to the improvement of public health in Africa, particularly in Nigeria.

Recipient: Onaopemipo Abiodun Olateju

Mental Health

Dr. Ali Kawi Doctoral Scholarship in Mental Health Research
Established in 2011, this fund will support outstanding students pursuing a doctoral degree in the Department of Mental Health continuing the legacy of Dr. Ali Kawi, a graduate of the Department, and his work in research and education in neuropsychiatric disorders, psychosomatic research and prenatal factors in reading disorders, and learning and mental health.

Recipient: Kate Perepezko

The Morton Kramer Fund for the Application of Biostatistics and Epidemiology in Research on the Prevention and Control of Mental Disorders
This fund was established by the late Morton Kramer, ScD ’39, an internationally renowned research scientist in the Department of Mental Health. The income from this fund provides an annual award to an outstanding doctoral student in the Department who has demonstrated excellence in application of biostatistical and epidemiological methods to the solution of problems in research dedicated to advancing our knowledge of the epidemiology and prevention of mental disorders.

Recipient: Kenneth Feder
The Paul V. Lemkau Scholarship Fund
As the first chair of the Department of Mental Health (1962-1975), Paul Lemkau, MD, instituted the study of mental health within a public health framework. This fund, established by friends, colleagues, and family members, is given to a Department of Mental Health student or fellow who has made a significant difference in the community life of the department.
Recipient: Kyle Moore

The Lucy Shum Memorial Scholarship Fund
Income from this fund will provide tuition support for a student in the Department of Mental Health at the Bloomberg School of Public Health who will work in the area of public health policy for mental health issues. The donors to this fund also wish to honor their Chinese heritage by encouraging students of Chinese origin to pursue the academic area which this fund supports, with preference given to students of Chinese origin.
Recipient: Yian Lin

Alberta Szalita Fund in Mental Health
This Fund annually supports a graduate student or junior faculty member in the Department of Mental Health at the discretion of the Chair of the department. Preference will be given to recipients who are clinically trained.
Recipient: Lindsey Webb

W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology

Frederik B. Bang Award
Frederik Bang, MD, served as chair of the Departments of Parasitology from 1953 to 1955 and Pathobiology from 1955 to 1981. His research was noted for translating the microscopic to the macroscopic. Dr. Bang was an extraordinarily creative scientist whose interests ranged from microscopy to animal ecology. By using the blood of the horseshoe crab, Dr. Bang and a colleague, Dr. Jack Levin, developed a procedure to identify and diagnose meningitis in septicemia, a blood poison illness that once struck 75,000 young people a year. His widow, the late Betsy Bang, and various family members and colleagues, established this fund in his memory to support a doctoral student engaged in research relevant to pathobiology.
Recipients: Quigly Dragotakes
Brendan Smith
Zachary Stolp

The A. Ralph and Sylvia E. Barr Fellowship in Vector Biology
During his extensive career in public health, Dr. Ralph Barr, with his wife Sylvia at his side, made many significant, and original contributions to the field of medical entomology and tropical medicine. Mrs. Barr established this fund in memory of her late husband to support a doctoral or postdoctoral student in the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology who is working with vectors of infectious diseases in the organisms' natural habitats.
Recipient: Mary Gebhardt
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

The Eleanor A. Bliss Honorary Fellowship
The Eleanor Bliss Honorary Fellowship, established in 1989 by Eleanor Bliss, ScD ’25, is awarded each year to a deserving doctoral student in the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology. Dr. Bliss, a 1925 bacteriology graduate, taught at the schools of Arts and Sciences, and Medicine, in addition to the School of Public Health. The award symbolizes the spirit of Dr. Bliss’s work in what was then the Department of Medical Zoology.
Recipient: Jasmine Raneses

The Otis and Calista Causey Fellowship for Immunology
This fellowship was established in 1988 by alumna Calista Causey, ScD ’25. Dr. Causey, who served on the Department of Biochemistry faculty in the 1920s and 1930s, created the award to recognize outstanding doctoral students in the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology.
Recipient: Nina Grossman

Frances A. Coventry Fund
This fund was created in 1995 by the estate of Dr. Frances Coventry, who in 1924 received her doctorate degree from Department of Immunology and Infectious Diseases (now the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology). Income from this fund provides support for outstanding students at the Bloomberg School of Public Health.
Recipient: Madhura Kulkarni

Dr. J. Harold Drudge Scholarship
This fund was established in 2005 by gifts from the Estate of Harold Drudge and his daughter, Caran C. St. John. Dr. Drudge was a graduate of the School and worked on treatments for intestinal parasites at the University of Kentucky. Income from this fund provides support for parasitology students in the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology.
Recipient: Victoria Balta

Emergent BioSolutions Fellowship
This award is open to PhD and ScM candidates in the Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology engaged in or planning thesis research on a disease of global public health importance. Two awards are presented annually: one to an MMI PhD student entering his/her third year, and one to an ScM candidate entering his/her second year. PhD funding continues for three years; ScM funding is for one year.
Recipients: Rachel Evans

Martin Frobisher Fellowship Fund
The Martin Frobisher Fellowship Fund was established in 1990 by friends and colleagues in memory of Dr. Frobisher, ScD ’25, who taught pathology and microbiology at the School until the late 1930s. Dr. Frobisher was an exceptional teacher and mentor, and was recognized for his strong commitment to young people and to new approaches for educating future microbiologists. The award supports outstanding doctoral candidates in the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology.
Recipient: Quigly Dragotakes
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

Diane Griffin Scholarship
This scholarship provides support for students in the Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology, at the discretion of the Chair.
Recipient: Megan Wood

The Dr. Bettylee Hampil Fellowship
The Bettylee Hampil Fellowship was established in 1985 by Dr. Bettylee Hampil, a 1927 graduate of the Department of Immunology and Infectious Diseases (now the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology) and a pioneer researcher in virology. The award provides support to an outstanding doctoral candidate in the department.
Recipient: Harrison Powell

The Hegner, Cort, Root Memorial Scholarship Fund in Immunology & Infectious Disease
The Hegner, Cort, Root Honorary Fellowship was established in 1989 by Drs. Gilbert Otto, Lloyd Rozeboom, and Aurel Foster, and generously supported by many alumni, faculty, family, and friends to perpetuate the memory of Drs. Robert Hegner, William W. Cort, and Francis Root, three giants of the School's early years. This award supports a doctoral student in the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology.
Recipient: Jarrett Venezia

The Carlton and Estelle Herman Award in Parasitology, Vector Biology and Animal-Borne Diseases
Established by Carlton and Estelle Herman and their son Richard Herman, the award will be given annually to a doctoral student in the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology whose research work in parasitology, vector biology and animal-borne diseases demonstrates great promise and excellence.
Recipient: Rachel Evans

Richard J. Herman Endowed Scholarship
This scholarship supports promising doctoral students in the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology at the discretion of the Department Chair and with a preference for those whose research is in parasitology, vector biology and animal-borne diseases.
Recipient: Adriano Franco

The Dr. Harry J. Lawler Award Fund
This award was established in 1998 by Helen R. Lawler, widow of Harry J. Lawler, MD, ScD. Dr. Lawler enjoyed a long and distinguished career in pediatrics and psychiatry. The award recognizes the work of an outstanding student in Molecular Microbiology and Immunology and provides support for further study.
Recipient: Aliyah Silver
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

**The Dr. Lloyd and Mae Rozeboom Scholarship**
This award was created from the Lloyd E. Rozeboom Lectureship in Medical Entomology, established in 1993 with contributions from Dr. and Mrs. Rozeboom and their friends. Dr. Rozeboom received his ScD in medical entomology in 1934 and served on the faculty for more than 35 years. He was an internationally recognized authority on the transmission of mosquito-borne diseases and a beloved teacher. Both Dr. and Mrs. Rozeboom were known for their devotion to students. The scholarship supports students who are studying medical entomology/vector biology in the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology.

**Recipient:** Dorian Jackson

**Calvin and Helen Lang Student Scholarship**
The Calvin and Helen Lang Fund will support students in the W. Harry Feinstone Molecular Microbiology and Immunology Department who study mosquito-borne diseases and mosquitoes as models for diseases and natural processes, such as aging.

**Recipient:** Alysha Ellison

**Keerti V. Shah Fund**
Established by Keerti V. Shah, MD, MPH, professor in the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology, and his wife, Farida, income from this fund will support students working in the area of translational research in infectious diseases.

**Recipient:** Leon (Lee-Yang) Hsieh

**The Katharine E. Welsh Fellowship in Immunology & Infectious Disease**
The late Katharine Welsh, a protozoology student, established this fellowship in 1990. It provides support for an outstanding student in the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology. When Ms. Welsh was studying Immunology and Zoology in the late 1920s, she was only one of four pioneering women to do so. She pursued a career with the Baltimore City Health Department Laboratories that spanned more than 35 years. Ms. Welsh began as a junior bacteriologist and was acting director when she retired.

**Recipient:** Hannah Kalinoski

**The Ruth G. Wittler Student Scholarship Fund**
The scholarship was established in 2000 by the estate of Ruth G. Wittler, PhD, MPH, of Annapolis, Maryland, who received her doctorate degree in 1944, specializing in filterable viruses. Dr. Wittler was a retired microbiologist from Western Reserve University. She was interested in the Chesapeake Bay environment and active in the Bay Ridge Organization and the Ginger Cove Governance Committee. This scholarship supports students working in the laboratory sciences in the W. Harry Feinstone Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology.

**Recipient:** Jie (Angela) Chen

**The Jane Welsh Russell Fund for Innovative Research in Infectious Diseases**
This fund will provide annual support to a doctoral or post-doctoral student in the Dept. of MMI, or research funds to a jr. faculty member in the Dept. of MMI.

**Recipient:** Beejan Asady
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

Population, Family and Reproductive Health

The Cheryl Alexander Memorial Student Scholarship
Dr. Alexander, a noted researcher in adolescent behavior and health, was a longtime professor on the faculty. She was the first director of the Center for Adolescent Health Promotion and Disease Prevention. Under her guidance, the center became a major force in Baltimore and a national model. Income from this fund will support students in the Department of Population, Family and Reproductive Health at the Bloomberg School of Public Health whose focus is on adolescent health.

Recipients: Bianca Smith

The John and Alice Chenoweth-Pate Fellowship
The John and Alice Chenoweth Pate Fellowship in the Department of Population, Family and Reproductive Health was created by the late Dr. Alice Chenoweth Pate to honor her late husband, Dr. John Pate MPH '48. Dr. Alice Chenoweth Pate worked with Dr. Paul Harper in the early 1950s to organize the School's program in Maternal and Child Health. She was an integral part of the Children's Bureau, now known as the Maternal and Child Health Bureau, working closely with Dr. Martha May Eliot. As both a practitioner and administrator, Dr. Chenoweth Pate made significant contributions to the health and well-being of mothers and children in the U.S. The fund supports women health professionals wishing to pursue post-doctoral opportunities in maternal and child health at the School to increase their skills and knowledge in improving the health of mothers and children in the U.S.

Recipients: Carrie Wolfson

The Caroline Cochran Scholarship Fund in Population and Reproductive Health
Income from this fund provides tuition assistance to incoming or continuing graduate students interested in population and reproductive health.

Recipient: Sneha Lamba

The Donald Cornely Scholarship Fund in Maternal & Child Health
This scholarship was created by family and friends of Donald Cornely, MD, MPH ’58, as well as alumni of the former Department of Maternal and Child Health. It honors Dr. Cornely's many contributions to the department during his tenure as chair from 1970 to 1990, and supports doctoral students in the Department whose research has application in the field of maternal and child health.

Recipient: Radhika Raghunathan

The Edward J. Dehne Award in Population Dynamics
The late Edward Dehne, MD, MPH ’41, DrPH ’55, had a distinguished career in medicine and public health, with a concentration in occupational health. He served in the U.S. Army from 1941 through 1966, when he retired with the rank of colonel. Among his many assignments, he was commander of the Army Hygiene Agency and consultant to the Surgeon General in preventive and occupational medicine. Dr. Dehne created this award to encourage and support doctoral students pursuing population studies research in the Department of Population, Family and Reproductive Health.

Recipient: Sneha Lamba
The Endowed Fellowship in Family Planning and Reproductive Health
Established in 1996, this fund provides support to graduate students or post-doctoral fellows in the Department of Population, Family and Reproductive Health who are working in the area of family planning and reproductive health.

Recipients: Celia Karp
Grace Sheehy
Mridula Shankar
Shannon Wood

Bernard and Jane Guyer Scholarship Fund
Dr. Bernard Guyer has dedicated four decades to improving the health of mothers, children and families worldwide. He joined the faculty in 1989 as professor and chair of the Department of Maternal and Child Health and later chaired the new Department of Population and Family Health Sciences from 1998-2003. Dr. Guyer has taught and mentored hundreds of students at the Bloomberg School of Public Health. This scholarship provides support to graduate students within the Department of Population, Family and Reproductive Health whose primary focus is maternal and child health. The funds cannot be used for programs involving abortion or embryonic stem cell research.

Recipient: Anne Smith

The C. Esther and Paul A. Harper Fund
Students, colleagues, and friends of Dr. Paul A. Harper, MD, MPH ’47, the first chair of the former Department of Population Dynamics, established this award at the time of Dr. Harper’s retirement. The fund supports students whose research focuses on population issues and students studying maternal and child health whose academic performance has been judged outstanding.

Recipient: Sara Riese

Young J. Kim Memorial Scholarship
Dr. Kim was devoted to teaching, research and mentoring, and was beloved by her students. The Young J. Kim Scholarship has been established by family, colleagues and friends to help support international masters and doctoral level students in the Department of Population, Family and Reproductive Health who will carry on Dr. Kim's legacy of academic excellence in demography and population research.

Recipient: Carolina Cardona Cabrera

Dr. Michael Koenig Memorial Fund
Established in 2010 by family and friends of Dr. Michael Koenig, this fund supports doctoral students in the Department of Population, Family and Reproductive Health who plan to travel internationally for their dissertation research.

Recipient: Jennifer Sherwood

The Carl Swan Shultz Endowment Fund
The Carl Swan Shultz Fellowship, created by Mrs. Carl Shultz to honor her late husband’s work in population research, provides support for meritorious doctoral students in reproductive health, family planning, demography, or reproductive biology. Dr. Shultz was a former U.S. Assistant Surgeon General and director of the Office of Population Affairs in the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. He played a major role in developing federal policy on family planning.

Recipient: Dana Sarnak
DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

The Jean and Sidney Silber Fund in Population, Family and Reproductive Health
Established by Jean and Sidney Silber through the Jean and Sidney Silber Foundation, Inc., this fund provides a stipend to a student at the Center for Adolescent Health Promotion and Disease Prevention interning and/or working on a research project in partnership with a community organization. The Silbers are friends of the School with an interest in population concerns in Baltimore.
Recipient: Asari Offiong

The Kann Trowbridge Fund
The Kann Trowbridge Fund was established in 1995 by Mr. and Mrs. Alexander B. Trowbridge and the S. Kann Sons Company Foundation. Income from this fund provides a fellowship to a U.S. student in the Department of Population, Family and Reproductive Health who has demonstrated outstanding academic achievement, financial need and is committed to promoting national efforts in family planning and reproductive health. The Fund may also be used to support important faculty research and education projects in family planning and reproductive health.
Recipient: Leah Horton
Neisha Opper

The Willian Endowment for Excellence in Science
Income from this fund supports U.S. doctoral students in the Department of Population, Family and Reproductive Health working in the field of maternal and child health whose work focuses on issues of health policy and management for women and children. The fund was established by alumna Mary Kaye Willian, DrPH ’82, MPH ’79, and friends in honor of Dr. Willian's parents, Irene V. and Raymond V. Willian.
Recipient: Leeya Correll

Fund in Recognition of Laurie Schwab Zabin for Population and Family Planning Students
The fund was established by alumni, faculty, family, and friends in honor of Laurie Schwab Zabin, professor of Population, Family and Reproductive Health and the founding director of the Bill & Melinda Gates Institute for Population and Reproductive Health. Dr. Zabin has devoted her career to research that addresses women's reproductive health and rights and to her belief that science should serve social change. The fund supports graduate students in PFRH who are focusing their studies on family planning and reproductive health. Preference will be given to students who are U.S. citizens planning to work in other countries, but the fund may also be used for U.S. students committed to work in disadvantaged areas of the United States.
Recipient: Lillian Collins
McKane Sharff
Faculty and Student Awards for Public Health Practice

These awards recognize faculty members and master’s and doctoral students for outstanding contributions in public health practice. Awards are given in three categories: excellence in international public health practice; excellence in U.S. public health practice (excluding Baltimore); and excellence in Baltimore-based public health practice (awarded jointly with SOURCE). Supported by the Office of Public Health Practice and Training.

Excellence in Baltimore Public Health Practice

Master’s Student: Emma Ghazaryan  
Faculty: Keeve Nachman

Excellence in U.S. Public Health Practice

Doctoral Student: Gia Naranjo-Rivera  
Master’s Student: Kristy McCarron  
Faculty: Keshia Pollack Porter

Excellence in International Public Health Practice

Master’s Student: Assanatou Bamogo  
Faculty: Duff Gillespie

SOURCE AWARDS

This community engagement and service-learning center serves the Johns Hopkins University schools of Medicine, Nursing and Public Health. This award recognizes students and groups who have made an outstanding contribution to local community-based organizations during the past academic school year.

JHSPH Student Excellence in Service  
Recipient: Petal Elder

JHSPH Student Group Excellence in Service  
Recipient: Anna Baetjer Society

Faculty Excellence in Service-Learning  
Recipient: Terrinicka Powell
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION AWARDS

The Johns Hopkins University Alumni Association Excellence in Teaching Awards
Each year the Johns Hopkins University Alumni Association honors professors for their outstanding abilities as teachers.

Recipients:  
Large-sized class: Caitlin Kennedy  
Medium-sized class: Joanne Katz  
Small-sized class: Kunihiro Matsushita  
Offsite/Online class: Janet Holbrook
Evan Mayo Wilson

STUDENT ASSEMBLY AWARDS

AMTRA Award (Advising, Mentoring, & Teaching Recognition)
The AMTRAs are given to faculty or instructors who demonstrate a commitment to teaching, advising and mentoring students and who make significant contributions to student quality of life. Recipients are chosen by the Awards Committee of the Student Assembly, based on nominations and testimonials by students.

Recipients:  
Tom Burke  
Carlos Castillo Salgado  
Frank Curriero  
Sydney Dy  
Jill Marstellar  
Alvaro Munoz  
Derek Ng  
Keshia Pollack Porter

Golden Apple Awards
The Golden Apple is awarded by the Student Assembly to faculty chosen for excellence in teaching, based on nominations and subsequent popular vote of the student body at large.

Recipients:  
Large-sized class: Caitlin Kennedy  
Medium-sized class: Joanne Katz  
Small-sized class: Kunihiro Matsushita  
Offsite/Online class: Janet Holbrook
Evan Mayo Wilson
STUDENT ASSEMBLY AWARDS

The following Student Assembly Awards are bestowed by the student body to acknowledge the recipients’ special contributions to student life:

**Staff Recognition Award**
**Recipients:** Mary Sewell  
Katie Phipps  
Cristina Salazar  
LaKeasha Wormley

**Student Recognition Award**
**Recipients:** Isabella Gomes  
Brooke Jarrett  
Olive Tang

**Teaching Assistant Recognition Award**
**Recipients:** Batel Blechter  
Victoria Ellsworth  
Hojoon Lee  
Jeffrey Nguyen  
George Mwinnyaa
Thanks to a unique and unprecedented gift from an anonymous donor, the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health established the Hopkins Sommer Scholars Program. Named at the donor’s request in honor of Dean Emeritus Alfred Sommer, Sommer Scholars are selected for their scholarly abilities and leadership potential to develop the next generation of public health leaders. The scholarship provides full tuition and a stipend.

2018-2019 Hopkins Sommer Scholars:

Daniel Arias
Emily Cumbie-Drake
Ahmed Elhussein
Javier Galvan
Banda Khalifa
Jenny Payne
Maia Ramarosandratana
Shamelle Richards
Hannah Rickman
Allyn Rosenberger
Rupali Sood
Seema Subedi
Sam Volkin
Michael Yong
## Honors & Awards Committee

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  *Chair, Honors and Awards Committee* |
| Brian Caffo           | Professor, Biostatistics                      |
| Elizabeth Letourneau  | Professor, Mental Health                      |
| Meghan Moran          | Assistant Professor, Health, Behavior and Society |
| Elizabeth Selvin      | Professor, Epidemiology                       |
| Jiou Wang             | Associate Professor, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology |
| Jennifer Moessbauer   | Academic Affairs Administrator                |
| Mehrnoosh Soori       | Student Representative                        |
| Hannah Breakstone     | Student Representative                        |