



Surgeon Education

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Ingram Lecture Features Distinguished Guest Professor Gerald R. Williams, M.D.

The **2013 Alvin J. Ingram Memorial Lecture** was held May 10, 2013 at Campbell Clinic. This year's Distinguished Professor was **Dr. Gerald R. Williams**, Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery, Jefferson Medical College and the Director of the Shoulder and Elbow Center at the Rothman Institute in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

The festivities began with an address by Dr. Williams to members of the Memphis Orthopaedic Society, held the night before the Ingram Lecture. Approximately 35 area surgeons, including Campbell Foundation alumni and Campbell Clinic staff, were in attendance to hear Dr. Williams' keynote address, "Shoulder Arthroplasty: The Last 40 Years."

The educational events continued on Friday, with an address by Dr. Williams entitled "Intraoperative Nerve Monitoring in Shoulder

Surgery." Much discussion followed among the staff and residents in attendance. Following Dr. Williams' address, each of the residents from the Class of 2013 presented the results of his research. Following the presentations, Dr. Williams, along with a panel of surgeons from Campbell Clinic selected the winner of the Hugh Smith Research Presentation Award (see article below).

The day's festivities culminated in a reception and dinner with Dr. Williams, Clinic staff, graduating residents, fellows and their families, who embraced the opportunity to reflect on the past and contemplate future endeavors.



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Survey of Campbell Alumni Leads to Award-Winning Research: 2013 Hugh Smith Research Presentation Award



Dr. Joshua Miller, Class of 2013, has won the **2013 Hugh Smith Research Presentation Award**, for his presentation, "Business and Practice Management Knowledge Deficiencies in Graduating Orthopaedic Residents," conferred at this year's Ingram Lecture.

Dr. Miller's research relied heavily on input from Campbell alumni. For his research, Dr. Miller conducted an eleven-question survey of 332 residents and

fellows who completed their training at The Campbell Foundation between 1970 and 2008. Dr. Miller's survey ascertained the type (hospital employed, academic, private) and management (physician, non-physician) of the respondents' current practice, and asked them to rate their understanding of nine different business management topics at the completion of residency as well as its level of importance in their current practice on a 10 point scale. The topics included marketing, business operations, human resources, contract negotiations, malpractice issues, coding and billing, medical records management, accounting, and economic analytical tools. Dr. Miller had a 53% response rate (**thank you very much!**) and reported significant perceived deficiencies in business information among those surveyed.

The training program at The Campbell Foundation strives to equip our graduates with the skills they will need to serve orthopaedic patients – medical knowledge and orthopaedic surgical skills, but also to prepare them to thrive in their practices. To help us continue to expand our training efforts, please consider a financial gift of support today!

Dr. Hugh Smith served the Campbell Clinic from the completion of his residency here in 1936 until his retirement in 1978. Dr. Smith had a definite belief in the transformative power of research to reshape orthopaedic patient care. The Hugh Smith Research Award was established in his memory to recognize outstanding achievement in orthopaedic research among residents at The Campbell Foundation.

"I began my career with Richards Manufacturing (now Smith & Nephew) in 1982. Dr. Hugh Smith – who had, by that time, retired from clinical practice- served as the company's Chief Medical Officer, and his office was immediately adjacent to my cubicle in the Engineering Department. I often smiled at the pile of cigarette butts in the large ash tray on his desk, and also the brown stains on the ceiling tiles above his desk. I later heard stories of him lighting a cigarette before surgery, scrubbing up, nailing a hip, and then returning to the scrub sink to take one last drag from the nearly extinguished butt. I don't doubt the accuracy of that story. I recall Dr. Smith being extremely patient with a young engineer that thought she knew everything, but in reality knew very little about orthopaedic surgery. I learned a great deal from him."
- Karen Watson, Executive Director of Development, Campbell Foundation

Prestigious EPOS Traveling Fellows Visit Campbell Foundation

Memphis, Tennessee continues to be a must-stop destination for prestigious traveling orthopaedic fellows. This spring, the European Pediatric Orthopaedic Society's Traveling Fellows visited Memphis on a 4-city tour of the U.S. on their way to the annual meeting of the Pediatric Orthopaedic Society of North America. The visit featured extensive educational exchange along with much fellowship and barbeque.



Coming Events: Class of 2013 Graduation

Do you remember the anxious excitement you felt as you approached the end of your orthopaedic residency training program here? Anticipation about your future plans – either for further training or as you embarked upon the start of your professional career? If so, then you can imagine the environment here in Memphis during June.

On Monday, June 24, eight bright, young orthopaedic surgeons will join the alumni ranks, and we will be

proud to identify them as Campbell Foundation-trained. Watch for more information in the June 2013 issue of *Campbell News*.

If you would like to honor or memorialize a favorite instructor, or honor this year's graduating class, please send your gift to The Campbell Foundation today. Please contact Jennifer Strain, 901.759.5490, jstrain@campbell-foundation.org or online <http://www.campbell-foundation.org/make-a-contribution/give-now/>