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Seniors Honored at Awards Program

Marshall Permutt, Birmingham, Ala., was awarded the Borden Undergraduate Research Prize Sunday at the Senior Awards Night. Permutt received the prize, which carries a \$500 award, for his studies on the immunochemistry of lysine vasopressin and other posterior pituitary hormones. Permutt will intern at Yale University in Grace-New Haven Hospital.

Eighty-three seniors were honored at the awards program at the Medical School Auditorium with special recognition made to the parents and wives of the students. Speaker at the assembly was Dr. Carl A. Moyer.

The Dr. Richard Brookings Medical School prize went to Peter Schwartz of Chicago. Schwartz, who will continue his studies at Monash University, Clayton, Victoria, Australia, in September, was cited for his studies on diffusion of blood water in normal tissues and mammary carcinomas in mice. The Dr. Robert Carter Medical School prize was awarded to Phillip Hoffsten of Wheaton, Ill., for his research on mitochondria in rat liver. Hoffsten will intern at Vanderbilt University Hospital. The two prizes are awarded annually for meritorious research or other performance carried on by students in the School of Medicine. They are made possible through residual funds specified in the will of Mr. Robert S. Brookings.

Richard Myers, Dexter, Mo., was named recipient of the AOA prize for maintaining the highest four-year academic average. The Missouri State Medical Association annual award to an honor graduate went to G. Leland Melson, Lincoln, Nebraska.

The Medical Fund Society prize for excellence in the study of internal medicine went to Joseph Avruch, Brooklyn. The corresponding prize in surgery was awarded to Albert Krause, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

The Sidney I. Schwab Book prize in psychiatry was divided between Dennis Cantwell, St. Louis, and James Morrison, Beaverton, Oregon. The Schwab prize in neurology went to Robert Telfer, Wilmette, Ill. Telfer also received the Dr. Jacques J. Bornfenbrenner Memorial award for study in infectious diseases.

Five students were named to receive the C.V. Mosby Co. Book awards for high general scholastic standing and research achievement. They were William Bridson, Wichita; John Brunner, N. Kansas City, Mo.; Neil Crane, St. Louis; Alan Hendin, St. Louis, and Edward Massin, Port Arthur, Texas. The Lange Medical Publications book awards for general excellence went to Dennis Cantwell and Carl Kardinal, Downey, California.

Promotions Announced For 29 Faculty Members

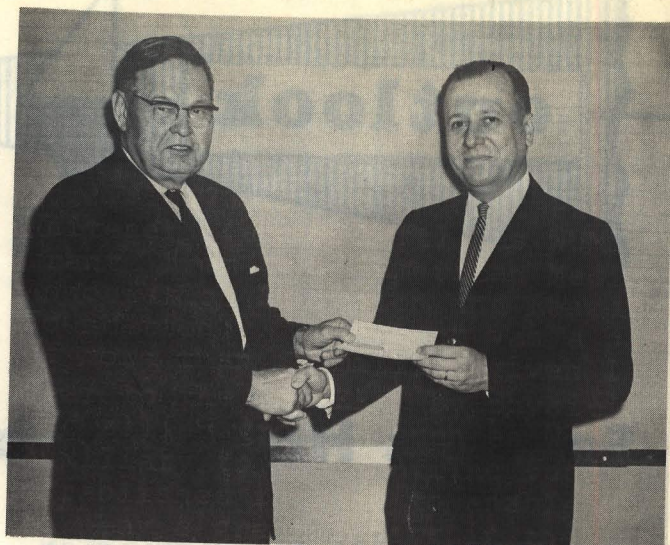
Eight medical faculty members have been promoted to full professor effective July 1. They are Drs. Neal S. Bricker, David M. Kipnis and Gerald T. Perkoff, medicine; Morton D. Pareira, surgery; Melvin A. Roblee and Samuel Soule, clinical obstetrics and gynecology; Hugh Chaplin, medicine and preventive medicine, and Alfred Sherman, obstetrics and gynecology.

Promotions to associate professor include Drs. William Cole, surgery; William Maxwell Cowan, anatomy; Stephen C. Kinsky and David McDougal, Jr., pharmacology; H.T. Narahara, biological chemistry; Malcolm H. Stroud, otolaryngology; Jessie L. Ternberg, surgery, and Teresa Vietti, pediatrics.

New assistant professors will be Drs. Charles R. Gulick, Herman Hutto, Frank B. Long, Jr., Laurence Maze, Jr., Norman Muschany, James Pennoyer, and Carol F. Williams, clinical obstetrics and gynecology; William Bridgers, medicine and preventive medicine; Girgis Mikhail, obstetrics and gynecology; Mary L. Parker, medicine (research); James C. Sisk, clinical medicine; Robert Utiger, medicine, and Elizabeth H. Withers, occupational therapy.

Three Reappointed to AMA Councils

Three WU faculty members have been reappointed to AMA Councils. They are Dr. Sol Sherry, professor of medicine, to the Council on Experimental Drugs and Therapeutics; Dr. Robert Shank, professor of preventive medicine, to the Council on Foods and Nutrition, and Dr. Richard Sutter, lecturer in rehabilitation medicine and industrial medicine in the department of preventive medicine, to the Council on Occupational Health.



AMA-ERF Grant

Dr. John C. Herweg, associate dean, recently accepted a check for \$18,739.70 from Dr. Paul R. Whitener (above left) as WUMS's grant from the American Medical Association Education and Research Foundation. The grant was a part of more than \$1 million given last year to the AMA-ERF by physicians and allied groups such as Woman's Auxiliary to the AMA. The Fund was established in 1951 to enable MD's to play a greater part in the financial support of the nation's medical schools.

Additional AOA Members Elected

Five seniors have been elected to membership in Alpha Omega Alpha. They are Dennis P. Cantwell, St. Louis, Aaron Feldman, Sheboygan, Wis., Alan Hendin, St. Louis; Albert Krause, Muskogee, Okla., and Fletcher, Ott, Culver, Ind.

Seven senior and two junior students were elected in April. Seniors elected were Joseph Avruch, William Bridson, John Brunner, Neil Crane, Edward Massin, Leland Melson and Marshall Permutt. Juniors were Stephen Corrie and William Wood.

Senior members elected last year are Peter Schwartz and Richard Myers.

FROM THE DEPARTMENTS.....

Child Psychiatry

The St. Louis Section of the National Council of Jewish Women recently awarded WUSM a fellowship grant in child psychiatry. The Council Fellow who will train in the specialty for the next two years is *Dr. Doris Gilpin*, a resident in psychiatry at VA Hospital, St. Louis.

The 2300 members of the Saint Louis section raised the necessary \$13,000 through tributes to support the two-year residency program in child psychiatry. Mrs. Richard Wolfheim, project chairman, and Mrs. Roswell Messing, Jr., Council president, presented the award to *Dr. E. James Anthony*, professor of child psychiatry, at the group's annual luncheon in May.

Microbiology

Dr. Herman N. Eisen, professor and head of the department of microbiology, has been elected to membership in the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. The Academy, America's second oldest learned society, was founded in Boston in 1780 by John Adams.

Dr. Eisen has been head of the department since 1961 and a member of the WUSM faculty since 1955.

Psychiatry

Dr. Edwin Gildea, Wallace Re-nard Professor of Psychiatry, and his wife, *Dr. Margaret Gildea*, associate professor of clinical psychiatry, were recently honored by the St. Louis Association for Mental Health. The Gildeas were honored for their outstanding leadership and service to the cause of better mental health in Missouri.

Medicine

Two WU cardiologists were honored recently by the St. Louis Cardiologists Club. *Dr. Drew Luten*, associate professor of clinical medicine, and *Dr. Arthur Strauss*, assistant professor of clinical medicine, were presented with gifts in recognition of their loyalty and many years of service to the organization. They physicians are charter members of the Club, which was organized in 1938. They were also instrumental in the establishment of the St. Louis Heart Association.

Neurology

Dr. James O'Leary, professor and head of the department of neurology, has been unanimously elected an honorary foreign member of the Association of British Neurologists. Honorary membership is the highest honor the Association can confer on a non-resident.

Library

Dr. Estelle Brodman was one of 4 recipients of the Eliot Award of the Medical Library Association at their annual meeting in Phil., Pa.

The Eliot Award is given by the professional society for the publication which has done most for medical librarianship during the year. *Dr. Brodman* was cited for her "Guidelines for Medical School Libraries" which appeared in the Journal of Medical Education (Jan. '65), a publication of the Association of American Medical Colleges. The survey was conducted under the auspices of the AAMC. *Dr. Brodman* will conclude her one-year term as president of the Medical Library Association on June 3.

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