



Foundation News - Winter 2016

CSHP Foundation President Welcome

Welcome to the new and improved CSHP Foundation Newsletter. Inside you will find exciting information about the Foundation, Scholarships and a list of our generous and wonderful donors who help to support CSHP Foundation activities. A big "THANK YOU" to everyone who helps us in our mission to promote public health and safe use of medications through research and education. See below for a list of our donors.



Maria Serpa
President

The Foundation supports pharmacy education by administering two scholarships to deserving California pharmacy students. The Joseph H. Beckerman Memorial Scholarship and John J. Carbone Memorial Scholarships honor two pharmacy leaders who were committed to education, leadership and the pharmacy profession. We are excited to provide the inaugural John J. Carbone Memorial Scholarship at Seminar this year. John was the founding Foundation President, a Board member, former CSHP Board of Directors member and named CSHP Honorary Member in 2014. We honor his memory and legacy to education, leadership and the pharmacy profession.

Remembrances of John J. Carbone

John Carbone was dedicated to a life of service. Whether as a Boy Scout leader, volunteering with CSHP, or supporting and mentoring his team at Kaiser, John took tremendous pleasure in fostering the achievements of others. John was deeply patriotic and sincerely regretted that his health status prevented him from enlisting in the military. There is no replacing John, but encouraging others to follow in his footsteps can only benefit the profession and our society, as well as creating a legacy he would certainly recognize and appreciate. - Kevin Brown, PharmD, FCSHP

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Now is your chance to get more involved with the CSHP Research and Education Foundation by joining the Foundation Board of Directors. The Board term is three years and it is a fun, fulfilling way to make a difference to your profession. Foundation Board members represent the best in philanthropy and service.

John was a caring, committed professional throughout his career. He was a pleasure to work with and I enjoyed our shared involvement with CSHP and the CSHP Foundation. John brought a clear perspective and always kept the focus on how our pharmacy work would be of benefit to the patient. I truly miss his presence and professionalism. - Virginia White, PharmD, FCSHP

Johnny was highly respected and recognized for his leadership by countless Pharmacists, Residents, Students, and other Stakeholders up and down the state of California. He started his pharmacy career as a graduate of the UCSF School of Pharmacy where he made many friends for life. Johnny has been described by his peers at CSHP and at work as "Trustworthy", "Giving", "Honorable", "Devoted", "Caring", "Passionate", "Mentor", "Storyteller", and "Family Man". However when I think of Johnny, I appreciate him for his great integrity, and remember him as a manly man and as someone who always went the extra mile. -Lisa Gunther Lum, PharmD, FASHP, FCSHP

Help support us in these efforts by getting involved with the Foundation either by contributing to a scholarship fund or directly to the Foundation. If you would like to consider service as a Foundation Board member, contact foundation@cshp.org for more information.

If you are interested in serving on the Foundation Board and would like additional information, please feel free to contact us at foundation@cshp.org.

Our Mission

The CSHP Foundation's mission is to promote public health and the safe use of medication through research and education. The Foundation serves to promote public welfare through education and research in institutional pharmacy and related practices; to increase the cultural and diversity competence of health-system pharmacists; and to fund activities that support the mission and vision of the Foundation.

A Message from Nancy Korman, CSHP Foundation Past President

The CSHP Research and Education Foundation, a 501(c) (3) corporation, was created with the vision of supporting research and education that improves public health and welfare. The founding board members were composed of members of the CSHP board of directors with its first board meeting held in **2008**. Today's foundation board membership have practiced in a variety of settings, academia, hospital and health systems, and industry. Donors number about **150**.

As a pharmacist, the Foundation's mission, to promote public health and safe use of medications through research and education, seemed a wonderful way to combine my professional life with volunteering.

The fact that the Foundation administered the Joseph H. Beckerman Memorial scholarship was important to me since I had known the man in the years following his retirement. Always generous and open, Joe Beckerman was a warm and caring member of our profession who had achieved much. The scholarship established in his memory seeks to recognize and support student pharmacists interested in a career in

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Meet our Current Beckerman Scholar

Congratulations again to Sarah Brown, our most recent Beckerman Scholarship recipient. Sarah was also recipient of the UCSD Student Leadership Award in 2015.

health care pharmacy practice. A list of past recipients is found on the Beckerman section of the Foundation website.

Now, the Foundation is in the process of establishing a second scholarship honoring the memory of John J. Carbone, founding Foundation board member. Dr. Carbone's commitment to the Foundation and the Beckerman scholarship was steadfast. To quote in part, past Foundation board member Dr. Virginia White: *"John brought a clear perspective and always kept the focus on how our pharmacy work would be of benefit to the patient."*

Prior to joining the Board, I found the opportunity for the Foundation to serve as a conduit for research about the pharmacist's value exciting and full of possibilities. After considering the potential impact of SB493 and the health care needs of the aging population, the Foundation selected The Pharmacist's Role in the Interdisciplinary Care of the Aging Population as its focus for 2014-5. The Foundation partnered with an expert panel of pharmacists and eleven partners to conduct a multipronged assessment of what pharmacists currently do as part of the healthcare team for older adults. These findings were presented at Seminar 2014. This broad based assessment will enable the Foundation to set the stage for future partnerships that develop training and engagement of pharmacists as new models of care are designed for older adults, their family members and volunteer caregivers.

Over the years I have served on the foundation board, we have developed and sponsored continuing professional development program at the annual Seminar. Ideas come from CSHP member surveys and current topics. Programming sponsored and planned by the Foundation in conjunction with the CSHP CPE Committee includes the following topics: leadership, preceptor development, the changing paradigm of cancer care, cultural competency, and interdisciplinary care of the aging patient.

As Past- President, I encourage you to get involved with the Foundation either by contributing to one of our scholarship funds or directly to the Foundation. If you would like to consider service as a Foundation Board member, please contact foundation@cshp.org for more information.



Sarah Brown

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The CSHP Foundation would like to extend a **HUGE** Thank You to our donors over the last year for their commitment to our mission. A full listing of our donors is available on the CSHP Foundation website.

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Attention Students - Two \$1,500 Scholarships Available!

The CSHP Research and Education Foundation is accepting applications for the Joseph H. Beckerman Memorial Scholarship and John J. Carbone Memorial Scholarship Fund. These \$1,500 scholarships are awarded annually to a California pharmacy student who exhibits a desire for a career in health-system pharmacy. For a student to qualify, she or he must also demonstrate characteristics that were important to these leaders in Pharmacy. For more information, see

the [CSHP Foundation website](#).

Applications are due by June 30 and the winner will be announced on September 1.

[View the Beckerman Application](#)

[View the Carbone Application](#)

Introducing Our Newest Board Member

The Foundation Board of Directors is thrilled to welcome Lisa Gunther Lum to the Board. Lisa is the Director of Pharmacy Finance Analytics Team/National Pharmacy Programs & Services at Kaiser Permanente.



The Foundation is grateful for her willingness to serve!

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