Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health

The Akehurst Prize for Excellence in Health Economics
The Akehurst Prize for Excellence in Health Economics was founded in 2015 through a donation by Professor Ron Akehurst, the founder of the School of Health and Related Research (ScHARR) and the first Dean of the school.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £100.
3. Eligible candidates: Students registered in ScHARR graduating at Masters level in a course of which the major component is in an aspect of Health Economics.
4. Assessors: The Dean of ScHARR on the recommendation of ScHARR's Director of Learning and Teaching or equivalent.

Dr Mark Gregory Baker (Ashby-de-la-Zouch) Prize
This prize was endowed by the former Ashby-de-la-Zouch Urban District Council as a memorial to the late Dr Mark Gregory Baker, a former student of the University who later practised in Ashby-de-la-Zouch, losing his life in 1955 while endeavouring to render medical assistance to two workmen who had been overcome by fumes in a well.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
3. Eligible candidates: Students taking Phase 4 of the MB, ChB.
4. Assessors: The Board of Examiners for the MB, ChB Examinations.
5. Criteria for assessment: Distinguished performance in the above examination with previous results being taken into account.

Roger Ball Prize in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
Established in 2007 in memory of a popular local dental practitioner who had worked in the Minor Oral Surgery department of the Dental Hospital as a clinical tutor for 20 years. This award is funded by a generous donation from the South Yorkshire Branch of the British Dental Association.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
3. Eligible candidates: Final year students reading for the degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery.
4. Assessors: The Head of the Academic Unit of Oral and Maxillofacial Medicine, Pathology and Surgery in consultation with the academic staff of the Unit.

The Irene and Richard Beard Prize in Clinical Neurology
This prize, named after two major patrons of the Sheffield Institute of Translational Neuroscience (SITraN), was established in 2015.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £100.
3. Eligible candidates: Full time registered students on the MSc Clinical Neurology (MEDT21) course.
5. Criteria for assessment: The highest overall grade achieved over all required modules equating to 180 credits. Where there are two students achieve the same overall grade, the prize will be shared.

The Gordon Bramah Prize for Genomic Medicine
This prize, named after a major patron of the Sheffield Institute of Translational Neuroscience (SITraN), was established in 2019, to recognise the student on the MSc Genomic Medicine, achieving the highest overall results in their masters.

1. Frequency of Award: One annually.
2. Value of Prize: £100 vouchers
3. Eligible candidates: Full time registered students on the MSc Genomic Medicine MEDT132 course and part time registered students on the MSc Genomic MEDT133 course.
4. Assessors: The Course Lead and External Examiner
5. **Criteria for assessment:** The highest overall grade achieved over all required modules equating to 180 credits. Where there are two students that achieve the same overall grade, the prize will be shared.

**Bremner Prize in Diseases of Children**

Founded in memory of the late Alexander Bremner, CBE, MC, TD, MD(Edinburgh), DPH, DTM & H, who was Honorary Physician to the Children’s Hospital, Sheffield, from 1926 until his death in 1944.

1. **Frequency of award:** One annually.
2. **Value of prize:** £50 in books or instruments of the recipient’s choice.
3. **Eligible candidates:** Students taking Child Health which forms one section of the MB, ChB Phase 3a Examination.
4. **Assessors:** The Head of the Academic Unit of Child Health, in consultation with colleagues.
5. **Criteria for assessment:** The most outstanding candidate among those eligible. No special entry is required.

**British Dental Association Prize in Restorative Dentistry**

Established in 1977 by a generous donation from the South Yorkshire Branch of the British Dental Association.

1. **Frequency of award:** One annually.
2. **Value of prize:** £200.
3. **Eligible candidates:** Final year students reading for the Degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery.
4. **Assessors:** The Head of the Academic Unit of Restorative Dentistry in consultation with the academic staff of the Unit.
5. **Criteria for assessment:** A good overall performance in the field of restorative dentistry.

**British Dental Association Prize in Oral Pathology**

Established in 1977 by a generous donation from the South Yorkshire Branch of the British Dental Association.

1. **Frequency of award:** One annually.
2. **Value of prize:** £200.
3. **Eligible candidates:** Final-year students reading for the Degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery.
4. **Assessors:** The Head of the Academic Unit of Oral and Maxillofacial Medicine, Pathology and Surgery in consultation with the academic staff of the Unit.
5. **Criteria for assessment:** A good overall performance in the field of oral pathology.

**Basic Clinical Skills Prize**

First awarded in 1941, the Bronze Medal in Dental Mechanics (later the Bronze Medal in Preliminary Dental Subjects) was originally offered as one of the Medals in the Faculty of Medicine. It was separated from the other Bronze Medals in 1964.

1. **Frequency of award:** One annually.
2. **Value of prize:** Medal.
3. **Eligible candidates:** Students who have completed the Basic Clinical Skills course and who are studying for the Degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery or the Diploma in Dental Hygiene and Dental Therapy.
4. **Assessors:** The Examiners for the BCS course.
5. **Criteria for assessment:** Performance in the above course.
6. **Special conditions:** Candidates who are required to repeat the above course will not be eligible for consideration.

**Philippa Cottam Memorial Prize**

Founded by the Friends of the Philippa Cottam Communication Clinic in memory of Philippa Cottam, member of staff in the former Speech Science Unit from 1983 to 1990.

1. **Frequency of award:** One annually.
2. **Value of prize:** A book token to the value of £50.
3. **Eligible candidates:** Fourth year BMedSci(Speech) students.
4. **Assessors:** The Examiners for the Degree of BMedSci(Speech).
5. **Criteria for assessment:** Dissertations submitted as part of the Final Examination, Part II.
Tracey E Cox Memorial Prize

This prize is in memory of Tracey E Cox, a fourth year undergraduate student on the BMedSci(Speech) course who died in the Hillsborough Disaster on 15 April 1989.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
5. Criteria for assessment: Distinguished performance in the Clinical Practice section of the Final Part I and II Examination.

The David Cumberland Prize for Cardiovascular Medicine

Founded in 2017, this prize was established to recognise the achievements of the most outstanding student on the MRes in Cardiovascular Medicine: From Molecules to Man. Professor David Cumberland is an eminent interventional cardiologist who was responsible, with colleagues, for building the University Department that is now Infection, Immunity and Cardiovascular Disease. He was one of the first cardiologists to perform coronary angioplasty in the UK and became an innovator in interventions to treat patients with coronary artery disease. He was an inspiring teacher and a charming man who always found time to encourage students, junior doctors and colleagues to undertake research, all the way from basic science to clinical trials.

1. Frequency of Award: One annually
2. Value of Prize: £250
3. Eligible Candidates: A student undertaking the MRes in Cardiovascular Medicine: From Molecules to Man
4. Assessors: The Executive of the MRes in Cardiovascular Medicine with the approval of the Head of Department of IICD.
5. Criteria for assessment: Most outstanding student during the one year course.

Dental Practitioners’ Prize in Orthodontics and Paediatric Dentistry

Regulations for the prize were first approved in 1956, and the criteria for the award were altered to their present form in 1983.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £100.
3. Eligible candidates: Final year students reading for the Degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery.
4. Assessors: The Head of the Academic Unit for Oral Health, Dentistry and Society in consultation with the academic staff of the Unit.
5. Criteria for assessment: The student who has attained both the highest level of professionalism and clinical targets in the management of children in the specialties of paediatric dentistry and orthodontics. Evidence for this will be obtained from the review of clinical log books, as well as supporting material such as the 5th year poster presentation.

Reg Dinsdale Prize in Oral Medicine

Established in 2016 in memory of a popular Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Consultant who had worked in the Charles Clifford Dental Hospital for 10 years. This award is funded by a generous donation from the South Yorkshire Branch of the British Dental Association.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
3. Eligible candidates: Final year students reading for the degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery.
4. Assessors: The Head of the Academic Unit of Oral and Maxillofacial Medicine, Pathology and Surgery in consultation with the academic staff of the Unit.
5. Criteria for Assessment: A good overall performance in the field of oral medicine.
Enderby Prize

Founded in 2014, this prize was established through the generosity of Professor Pam Enderby. Professor Enderby has made an outstanding contribution to the profession of Speech and Language Therapy and to the education of speech and language therapists. She was awarded an MBE in 1993 for services to speech and language therapy. During the late 1990s she was the Head of the Department of Human Communication Sciences at the University of Sheffield.

1. **Frequency of award**: One annually
2. **Value of prize**: A book token to the value of £100.
3. **Eligible candidates**: Students in the Department of Human Communication Sciences who are final year candidates for the BMedSci (Speech) or MMedSci (Clinical Communication Studies) programme.
4. **Assessors**: The Examiners in the Department of Human Communication Sciences.
5. **Criteria for assessment**: A student who has demonstrated achievement in the face of adversity whilst on the programme.

Enderby Prize for the Best Part-time Student in ScHARR

The Pam Enderby prize was founded in 2014, through the generosity of Emeritus Professor Pam Enderby, MBE, a speech therapist who retired from ScHARR following a distinguished career within the University, being in turn Chair of Community Rehabilitation, Head of the Department of Human Communication Sciences, and the first ever woman to serve as Dean of the University’s Faculty of Medicine.

1. **Frequency of award**: One annually.
2. **Value of prize**: £100, plus a certificate.
3. **Eligible candidates**: A student graduating from a part-time programme of study within the School of Health and Related Research (ScHARR).
4. **Assessors**: On the recommendation of ScHARR’s Director of Learning and Teaching and Deputy Director of Learning and Teaching, with a final decision by the Dean of ScHARR.
5. **Criteria for assessment**: Most exceptional achievement taking account of personal challenges.

The Andrew Heath Memorial Prize

Professor Andrew Heath was responsible for teaching Immunology to some 500 students on the MSc in Molecular Medicine from its inception, until he sadly passed away in 2015. He was a generous teacher and a great intellect and is much missed by his colleagues in the Department. Beginning for the academic year 2017-2018, the Andrew Heath Memorial Prize will be awarded to the consistently best student studying the MSc in Molecular Medicine.

1. **Frequency of award**: One annually.
2. **Value of prize**: £250
3. **Eligible candidates**: A student of the MSc in Molecular Medicine.
4. **Assessors**: The Executive of the MSc in Molecular Medicine with approval of the Head of Department.
5. **Criteria for assessment**: Best overall performance during the one year course.

Department of Human Communication Sciences BSc Prize

1. **Frequency of award**: One annually.
3. **Eligible candidates**: Final year students taking the BSc programme in Speech and Language Sciences.
4. **Assessors**: The Examiners for the above programme.
5. **Criteria for assessment**: Best overall performance on the above programme.

Department of Human Communication Sciences MMedSci Prize

1. **Frequency of award**: One annually.
3. **Eligible candidates**: Final year students taking the MMedSci programme in Clinical Communication Studies.
4. **Assessors**: The Examiners for the above programme.
5. **Criteria for assessment**: Best overall performance on the above programme.

Rachel Farmer Communication Skills Prize

This prize has been donated by the parents of Rachel Farmer, a fifth year student on the MB, ChB course who died in 1993, whilst on a climbing expedition.
1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £150.
3. Eligible candidates: Students taking the MB, ChB Phase 2b Clinical Competence Examination.
4. Assessors: The Examiners for the above examination.

Rachel Farmer Memorial Prize

The Rachel Farmer Memorial Prize has been established in memory of Rachel Farmer, a fifth year MB, ChB student who died in 1993 whilst on a climbing expedition, through the generosity of the Rachel Farmer Trust. This prize has been established in support of elective study as defined below.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of award: A total of £100.
3. Eligible candidates: (i) Phase 3b students on the MB, ChB course undertaking a period of elective study in the subject area of Child Health; and (ii) Phase 3b students on the MB, ChB course undertaking a period of elective study in any subject area concerned with sports or outdoor pursuits.
4. Assessors: The Faculty Director of Learning and Teaching or the Clinical Lead. A nominee of the Trustees of the Rachel Farmer Trust.
5. Criteria for assessment: Submission of a proposal on one side of A4 (typewritten) including brief personal details, purpose of study and estimated costs involved. (Applications to be submitted to the Faculty Director of Learning and Teaching or the Clinical Lead no later than 1 March each year.)

Dr G A and Mrs E H Fieldsend Prize for Family Practice

This prize was established in 1989 through the generosity of Dr and Mrs G A Fieldsend with an additional legacy gift from the estate of Mrs Fieldsend being added in 2007.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
3. Eligible candidates: Phase 1 medical students.
4. Assessors: The Head of the Academic Unit of Medical Education in consultation with colleagues.

James Holmes Gardiner Memorial Prize in Orthodontics

Founded in 1969 through the generosity of the Sheffield and District Orthodontic Study Circle.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
3. Eligible candidates: Third Year students reading for the Degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery.
4. Assessors: The Head of the Academic Unit for Oral Health, Dentistry and Society in consultation with academic and honorary clinical staff.

GlaxoSmithKline Dentistry Prize

1. Frequency of award: One annually
2. Value of prize: £50 book token
3. Eligible candidates: Final year students reading for the Degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery.
4. Assessor: Final Year Examination Board.
The Professor Ronald Grainger Radiology Essay Prize.

This prize was established in 2019 through the generosity of the Trustees of Professor Ronald Grainger fund which is a charity promoting radiology research and engagement.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £200 & Medal
3. Eligible candidates: Phase 3a, 3b and Final year undergraduate students currently at Sheffield University Medical School
4. Assessors: The Grainger Prize Committee
5. Criteria for assessment: An essay of up to 3000 words based on a topic in radiology which will be chosen by the Grainger Prize Committee annually, title to be advertised following the Christmas recess.
6. Special condition: Entries to be submitted to the Dean of the School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences not later than 28th February (29th February in leap years).

Haag-Streit Prize in Orthoptics

The prize has been generously donated by Haag-Streit since 2012.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £50.
3. Eligible candidates: Final year students completing the degree of B.Med.Sci (Orthoptics)
4. Assessors: The examiners for the Final Examinations for the degree of B.Med.Sci (Orthoptics)
5. Criteria for assessment: Awarded to the student who has achieved the highest combined theory and clinical Orthoptic mark in the final year. In the event of a tie the prize is to be divided between the tied students.

Haag-Streit Project Prize in Orthoptics

The prize has been generously donated by Haag-Streit since 2012.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £50.
3. Eligible candidates: Final year students completing the degree of B.Med.Sci (Orthoptics).
5. Criteria for assessment: Awarded to the student who has obtained the highest mark for their third year project. In the event of a tie the prize is to be divided between the tied students.

Haddick Prize in Clinical Orthoptics

Founded in 1995 through the generosity of the British Orthoptic Society.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £50.
5. Criteria for assessment: Awarded to the student who has shown distinguished performance in the clinical aspects of the course over the final two years.

Hutchinson Prize in Public Health

Founded in 2011 in recognition of the contribution of Professor Allen Hutchinson, Professor of Clinical Public Health, University of Sheffield 1994 onwards.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £100 in cash or book tokens.
3. Eligible candidates: Students graduating from the Master of Public Health taught course.
4. Assessors: Director of Learning and Teaching and MPH Programmes Director, ScHARR.
5. Criteria for assessment: The most outstanding candidate.
The Professor Paul Ince Prize for the MSc Translational Neuropathology

This prize, named after the Head of Department and Consultant Neuropathologist who set up the Master’s course at the Sheffield Institute of Translational Neuroscience [SITraN], was established in 2017, to recognise the student on the MSc Translational Neuropathology, achieving the highest overall result in their Master’s course.

1. Frequency of Award: one annually
2. Value of the Prize: £100
3. Eligible Candidates: Full time registered students on the MSc Translational Neuropathology MEDT29 course.
4. Assessors: The Course Lead and External Examiner
5. Criteria for Assessment: The highest overall grade achieved over all required modules equating to 180 credits. Where there are two students achieve the same overall grade, the prize will be shared.

The Infertility Research Trust Prize

This prize was established in 2017 through the generosity of the Infertility Research Trust, which gave a generous donation to establish this endowed Prize. With thanks to Emeritus Professor Ian Cooke and his fellow Trustees.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £200
3. Eligible candidates: Full time registered students on the MSC in Reproductive and Developmental Medicine course.
4. Assessors: The board of examiners for the above course in the Academic Unit of Reproductive and Developmental Medicine.
5. Criteria for assessment: Awarded to the student with the highest results (highest weighted mean grade) over all required modules equating to 180 credits in the MSc degree in Reproductive and Developmental Medicine.

The Alan Johnson Prize Medal for Clinical Medicine and Surgery

This prize has been established by the family of the late Professor Alan Johnson, who was Professor of Surgery at the University of Sheffield from 1979 to 2003. Alan Johnson was a world authority on hepatobiliary and upper gastrointestinal surgery, combining excellence in surgical skills with a sharp scientific aptitude and a rigorous approach to the practice of evidence-based surgery. He was an inspirational and much loved teacher who always made time for students and surgical trainees, and championed the introduction of the formal teaching of medical ethics in several medical schools.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
3. Eligible candidates: Students in Phase 4 of the MBChB programme.
4. Assessors: The Examination Board for the Final MBChB Examination.
5. Criteria for assessment: The student with the best overall examination performance throughout the five years of the MBChB programme. Where students are tied the award will be made on the basis of the most distinguished performance in the SSC programme.

The Kay Picture Prize

This prize was established in 2017 by the generosity of Kay Pictures.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £100
3. Eligible candidates: Undergraduate students who are candidates for the Level 3 Examination of the BMedSci in Orthoptics degree programme.
4. Assessors: The Examiners for the Final Examination in the Academic Unit of Ophthalmology and Orthoptics within the Department of Oncology and Metabolism.
5. Criteria for assessment: Highest combined mark in Level 2 clinical assessment for Clinical Optics (ORT214) and Level 3 clinical assessments for Ophthalmology (ORT303) and Strabismus and Ocular Motility (ORT308).
6. Special condition: Entries to be submitted to the Dean of Medical Education not later than 1st October.

Walter S Kay Prize Medal in Mental Diseases

The award of this medal (originally of gold) was made possible by Dr Walter S Kay, who provided a donation for the purpose in 1928.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Eligible candidates: Students who have completed the required course of instruction in Mental Diseases.
3. Assessors: The Examiners for Psychiatry in the MB, ChB Phase 3a Examination.
The Dame Betty Kershaw Prize

This prize was established in 2004 in recognition of the outstanding contribution made by a Student Representative in support of their programme and colleagues within the School of Nursing and Midwifery, and the wider University.

1. **Frequency of award**: One annually.
2. **Value of prize**: £50
3. **Eligible candidates**: Student Representatives, of at least two years standing, who have successfully completed a programme of study within the School of Nursing and Midwifery.
4. **Assessors**: A Panel comprised of the Director of Teaching and Learning (Chair), the School Administrator or nominated deputy, and two members of academic staff.
5. **Criteria for assessment**: The student who has shown the most commitment to their role as Student Representative for their programme, the School and the Faculty.

Kaye Scholarships

1. **Frequency of award**: One or more annually from the total sum available.
2. **Value of prize(s)**: Total £800.
3. **Eligible candidates**: Students who are natives of Sheffield and are candidates for the first time in the MB, ChB Phase 2a Examination.
4. **Assessors**: The Examiners of the above examination.
5. **Criteria for assessment**: The above examination.
6. **Special conditions**: The holder(s) of the scholarship shall complete not less than three-quarters of the rest of the curriculum in the Medical School of the University of Sheffield. Entries must be lodged with the Dean of the Medical School not later than 1 June each year.

Knowelden Prize in Epidemiology

This prize has been made available through the generosity of Emeritus Professor J Knowelden, Professor of Preventive Medicine and Public Health, 1960-1984.

1. **Frequency of award**: One annually.
2. **Value of prize**: £250.
3. **Eligible candidates**: Students taking the Public Health component of Phase 3.
4. **Assessors**: The Director of Public Health.
5. **Criteria for assessment**: Best student in the assessed coursework in Public Health.

J A Knowles Medical Scholarships

Provision for these scholarships was made under the will of Mr J A Knowles, a resident of Sheffield who died in 1944; the first awards were made in 1956.

1. **Frequency of award**: One or more annually from the total sum available.
2. **Value of prize(s)**: Total £1000 to enable medical students to combine the Degrees of MB, ChB with the Degree of BMedSci.
3. **Eligible candidates**: Students registered in the Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health who are sons or daughters of British parents.
4. **Assessors**: The Academic lead for the intercalated BMedSci degree.
5. **Criteria for assessment**: Overall performance in the MB, ChB Examinations.
6. **Special conditions**: The scholarship will be tenable during the year which is intercalated within the medical course for the purpose above.
John Lee Prize
This prize was established in 2010 in honour of John Lee a consultant Ophthalmologist who was a leader in ocular motility and strabismus in the UK and worldwide. He was a great supporter of the Orthoptic profession.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of the prize: £50.
3. Eligible candidates: Final year undergraduate students in the Academic Unit of Ophthalmology and Orthoptics.
5. Criteria for assessment: Best improved performance from second to third year. All second and third year assessments must be passed at first sitting.

Lorber Medals and Prizes in Paediatrics
Provision for these medals and prizes was made under the will of Professor John Lorber, Professor of Paediatrics from 1979 until his retirement in 1981.

1. Frequency of award: Two annually.
2. Value of prize: The annual interest accruing on the capital sum invested for the establishment of the prize together with a medal.
3. Eligible candidates: Undergraduate students undertaking the Child Health component of the MB, ChB Phase 3a Examination.
4. Assessors: The Head of the Academic Unit of Child Health in consultation with the academic staff of the Unit.
5. Criteria for assessment: The two best essays based on research or experience carried out during the undergraduate course in Child Health.

Joyce Pinnick Memorial Prize
This prize has been donated by Alison Firth and Janet Groves in 2014 to celebrate the contribution to the profession of Orthoptics by Joyce Pinnick MBE.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £50.
3. Eligible candidates: Students completing the part time distance learning degree of MMedSci Vision and Strabismus in time for their results to be returned by the university deadline.
5. Criteria for assessment: Awarded to the student who has achieved the top overall mark for the programme. In the event of ties the prize will be shared.

The Pitt-Ford Undergraduate Prize in Endodontontology
Established in 2009 in memory of Professor Tom Pitt-Ford of the British Endodontic Society.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: A year’s free membership of the British Endodontic Society (BES), a certificate of merit and free registration at the BES Regional meeting during the year of membership.
3. Eligible candidates: Final year students reading for the Degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery.
4. Assessor: The Head of the Academic Unit for Restorative Dentistry in consultation with the Head of Endodontic teaching at the School.

Pleasance Prize in Paediatrics
This prize has been made available through the generosity of the late Dr R E Pleasance and of the Sheffield Local Medical and Panel Committees.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £75.
3. Eligible candidates: Students taking the examination in Child Health which forms one section of the MB, ChB Phase 3a Examination.
5. Criteria for assessment: The subject of Child Health in the above examination.
Herbert Price Prize

Founded by Mrs Lucy Ann Price in memory of her son, the late Herbert Price, MSc (Sheffield).

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
3. Eligible candidates: Students undertaking Phase 3b of the MBChB course.
4. Assessors: Panel of assessors including the Academic Elective Lead
5. Criteria for assessment: A poster based on their elective experience during the final year of the undergraduate course.
6. Special conditions: Entries must be submitted to the elective co-ordinator no later than the 2nd week of the August term.

Prize in Genito-Urinary Medicine

This prize was established in 1986 through the generosity of Dr G R Kinghorn, Dr M D Talbot and Dr D A Hicks, consultant staff in the Sub-Department of Genito-Urinary Medicine to encourage studies in Genito-Urinary Medicine.

1. Frequency of award: Two annually.
2. Value of prize: £200, first prize; £100, runner-up.
3. Eligible candidates: Phase 3 and 4 medical students.
4. Assessors: The consultant staff in the Department of Genito-Urinary Medicine, Royal Hallamshire Hospital.
5. Criteria for assessment: The best Genito-Urinary Medicine essay the title of which will be advertised on 1 February.

Prize in Nursing and Health Studies

This prize was established in 2002 through funds provided by an anonymous donor and the School of Nursing and Midwifery, in recognition of the sudden death of a student nurse on the Advanced Diploma in Nursing Studies programme.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £50.
3. Eligible candidates: Students who have successfully completed a postgraduate taught programme of study within the School of Nursing and Midwifery of no less than 2 years.
4. Assessors: A Panel comprised of the Director of Teaching and Learning (Chair), the School Administrator or nominated deputy, and two members of academic staff.

Kerry Ann Salt Memorial Prize

Founded in 1998 from donations from family, and colleagues at Rotherham District General Hospital and the University Department of Acute and Critical Care Nursing in memory of Mrs Kerry Ann Salt, a former student of the School of Nursing and Midwifery and employee of Rotherham General Hospitals NHS Trust.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £50.
3. Eligible candidates: Students who have successfully completed an undergraduate programme of study within the School of Nursing and Midwifery of no less than 2 years.
4. Assessors: A Panel comprised of the Director of Teaching and Learning (Chair), the School Administrator or nominated deputy, and two members of academic staff.

School of Medicine Intercalated BMedSci Prize

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £100.
3. Eligible candidates: Intercalated BMedSci students
4. Assessors: The Examiners for the above programme.
Sheffield Dental Practitioners’ Club Prize

This prize was established in 1984 by the Sheffield Dental Practitioners’ Club which met during the period 1976-1984 to provide a forum for continuing dental education in Sheffield.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £50.
3. Eligible candidates: Final year students reading for the Degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery.
4. Assessors: The Heads of the Academic Units in the School of Clinical Dentistry.
5. Criteria for assessment: The prize will be awarded to the student who is adjudged to have set the highest standard of conduct as regards courtesy, humanity and kindness in the treatment of patients.

Sheffield Faculty – Kathy Phipps Memorial Prize

This prize was established by the Sheffield Faculty of the Royal College of General Practitioners.

1. Frequency of award: Annually.
2. Value of prize: £200. The prize money may be divided between the winner and runners-up at the discretion of the assessors.
3. Eligible candidates: Phase 3b MB, ChB students.
4. Assessors: The Head of the Academic Unit of Primary Medical Care in consultation with the officers of the Sheffield Faculty of the Royal College of General Practitioners.
5. Criteria for assessment: Project work undertaken during the penultimate year module in general practice.

Sigmund Schutz Prize in Obstetrics and Gynaecology

This prize has been made available through the generosity of Sigmund Schutz, MB, ChB (Sheffield).

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
3. Eligible candidates: Students taking Women’s Health which forms one section of the MB, ChB Phase 3a Examination.
4. Assessors: The Examiners for Women’s Health in the above examination.

Scientia Cum Caritas Royal College of General Practice Prize for General Practice

This prize was established in 2015 through the generosity of the Sheffield Faculty of the Royal College of General Practitioners.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £100.
3. Eligible candidates: Phase 1 and Phase 2a medical students.
4. Assessors: The Academic Unit of Primary Medical Care and the Sheffield Royal College of General Practitioners.
5. Criteria for assessment: Submission can be in any media, for example a 1500 word essay, video or short film, poetry or art. The title will be released in January, with a deadline for submission of June each year. Assessment will be based on the student’s ability to reflect on experiences gained in their early years general practice placements as well as the relevant literature.

South Yorkshire Branch of the British Society of Paediatric Dentistry Prize in Paediatric Dentistry for Dental Hygiene and Dental Therapy Students

This prize was established in 2015 through the generosity of the South Yorkshire Branch of the British Society of Paediatric Dentistry.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £50 and one-year membership to the British Society of Paediatric Dentistry (which includes subscription to the International Journal of Paediatric Dentistry).
3. Eligible candidates: Final year students reading for the Diploma in Dental Hygiene and Dental Therapy.
4. Assessors: The Head of the Academic Unit for Oral Health, Dentistry and Society in consultation with the Academic Leads in Paediatric Dentistry.
5. Criteria for assessment: The student who has shown the greatest enthusiasm and aptitude in Paediatric Dentistry. This will be based on the overall quality of procedures undertaken, as demonstrated by the Clinical Feedback Book/E-Portfolio, in combination with professionalism grades obtained in Paediatric Dentistry.
Professor Sean A Spence Memorial Prize
This prize, established in 2011, is in memory of Professor Sean A Spence, who held a personal chair in General Adult Psychiatry 2005-2010
1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of the prize: £100.
3. Eligible candidates: Undergraduate MBChB Students who are intercalating on the BMedSci in Medicine specifically taking the Psychiatry component.
4. Assessors: The nominated External Examiner in office within the current Academic Year and the Head of Academic Clinical Psychiatry
5. Criteria for assessment: Student with the highest mark awarded in their BMedSci Viva and dissertation, who has consistently achieved an excellent standard of work during their BMedSci studies.

David S Stainer Prize in Psychiatry
This prize is in memory of David Simon Stainer, a Sheffield medical graduate whose chosen career speciality was Psychiatry, and was established in 1988 through the generosity of friends and colleagues.
1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: The annual interest accruing on the capital sum invested for the establishment of the prize.
3. Eligible candidates: Undergraduate medical students in the Phase 3a examination.

The Standpipe Anaesthesia Essay Prize
This prize was established in 2016 through the generosity of the Trustees of Standpipe. Standpipe is a charity promoting Medical education, research and innovation; and supporting good causes.
1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £200 & Medal
3. Eligible candidates: Phase 3a, 3b and Final year undergraduate students currently at Sheffield University Medical School
4. Assessors: The trustees of Standpipe Charity
5. Criteria for assessment: An essay of up to 2,500 words based on a topic in anaesthesia and/or critical care medicine of the candidate’s choice.
6. Special condition: Entries to be submitted to the Dean of Medical Education not later than 1st October.

The Jonathan Stone Prize for Translational Neuroscience
This prize, named after a major patron of the Sheffield Institute of Translational Neuroscience (SITraN), was established in 2015.
1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £100.
3. Eligible candidates: Full time registered students on the MSc Translational Neuroscience MEDT14 course.
5. Criteria for assessment: The highest overall grade achieved over all required modules equating to 180 credits. Where there are two students achieve the same overall grade, the prize will be shared.

Colin Stork Prize in Practical Phonetics
Founded in 1982 from funds subscribed by colleagues, students and friends in memory of Dr F C Stork, the first Head of the former Department of Linguistics, who played a leading role in the establishment of the Degree of BMedSci(Speech).
1. Frequency of award: One annually.
4. Assessors: The Board of Examiners for the Second Year examinations of the Degree of BMedSci (Speech)
Colin Stork Prize in Speech Science

Founded in 1982 from funds subscribed by colleagues, students and friends in memory of Dr F C Stork, the first Head of the former Department of Linguistics, who played a leading role in the establishment of the Degree of BMedSci (Speech).

1. Frequency of award: One annually.

James E Swindells Prize in General Dental Practice

Established in 1983 by a generous donation from the Sheffield Local Dental Committee in honour of a former Chairman of that Committee.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Form of prize: £50 in books.
3. Eligible candidates: Final year students reading for the Degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery.
4. Assessors: The Head of the Academic Unit of Primary Dental Care and the supporting staff.
5. Criteria for assessment: The student who has demonstrated the best performance in the various forms of assessment in Primary Dental Care including outreach.

Taitz Prize in Paediatrics

Founded in memory of the late Leonard Taitz, BSc, MD, FRCP, who was Senior Lecturer in Paediatrics at the Children’s Hospital between 1972 and 1991.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
2. Value of prize: £100.
3. Eligible candidates: Students taking the examination in Child Health which forms one section of the MB, ChB Phase 3a Examination.
4. Assessors: The Examiners for the above examination.
5. Criteria for assessment: The most outstanding candidate amongst those eligible.

The Tall Ship Prize for Language and Communication Impairment in Children (LACIC)

Introduction to the prize:
Founded in 2017, this prize was established with funds allocated to Human Communication Sciences (HCS) from the Tall Ship Voyage (2005). The Voyage was organised by Development, Alumni Relations and Events at the University, and participating staff, students and alumni generated sponsorship. The funds are used in various ways by HCS to support children with speech, language and communication needs, and to provide training and development for individuals working with them.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
3. Eligible candidates: Students in the Department of Human Communication Sciences who are final year candidates for the MSc in Language and Communication Impairment in Children (LACIC).
5. Criteria for assessment: Best overall performance on the MSc course.
Anne Walker Prize
The late Dr Anne Walker MB ChB (1958) MD (1965), left a legacy to the University to establish a trust for a MB ChB student, in the Medical School. The donated money was used to establish the Anne Walker Prize in 2010.

1. **Frequency of award:** One annually.
2. **Value of prize:** £350.
3. **Eligible candidates:** Phase 1 undergraduate Medical students at the University of Sheffield who entered the MB ChB programme through the Sheffield Outreach and Access to Medicine Scheme (SOAMS).
4. **Assessors:** The prize will be awarded by the Examiners for the Phase 2a Examination.
5. **Criteria for assessment:** Best individual SOAMS student in the Phase 1 and 2a Examinations.
6. **Special conditions:** (a) If the individual identified by the above assessment criteria is also awarded the Kaye Scholarship then the Prize will be awarded to the next best SOAMS student. (b) Should the Sheffield Outreach and Access to Medicine Scheme cease to exist then a decision will be made by the Head of Department (or similar authority) as to the best use of the prize.

Nicola Wass Prize in Human Communication Sciences
This prize was established in 1999 through the generosity of the family and friends of Nicola Wass, a postgraduate student in the Department of Human Communication Sciences from 1996 until her death in 1999.

1. **Frequency of award:** One annually.
2. **Value of prize:** £15.
3. **Eligible candidates:** Postgraduate research students in the Department of Human Communication Sciences.
4. **Assessors:** A panel of staff from the Department of Human Communication Sciences, chaired by the departmental tutor for postgraduate research students.
5. **Criteria for assessment:** The best presentation at the annual departmental postgraduate research seminar.

South Yorkshire Branch of the British Society of Paediatric Dentistry Prize in Paediatric Dentistry
This prize was established in 2015 through the generosity of the South Yorkshire Branch of the British Society of Paediatric Dentistry.

1. **Frequency of award:** One annually.
2. **Value of prize:** £50 and one-year membership to the British Society of Paediatric Dentistry (which includes subscription to the *International Journal of Paediatric Dentistry*).
3. **Eligible candidates:** Final year students reading for the Degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery.
4. **Assessors:** The Academic Lead for Paediatric Dentistry in consultation with Clinical Tutors.
5. **Criteria for assessment:** The student who has shown the greatest enthusiasm and aptitude in Paediatric Dentistry. This will be based on the overall quantity and quality of procedures undertaken, as demonstrated by the Clinical Feedback Book/E-Portfolio, in combination with the overall professionalism grade obtained in Paediatric Dentistry.

The Weston Park Cancer Charity Translational Oncology Prize
This prize was made available in 2017 established from generous funding by the Weston Park Cancer Charity. The Weston Park Cancer Charity supports pioneering cancer research and helps to improve cancer treatments and care for patients in part by supporting training of future cancer researchers.

1. **Frequency of award:** One annually
2. **Value of the prize:** £100 book token
3. **Eligible candidates:** Full time registered students on the MSc(Res) in Translational Oncology (OCPT01) course
4. **Assessors:** The Course Lead and the External Examiner
5. **Criteria for assessment:** The highest overall grade achieved over all required modules equating to 180 credits. Where two students achieve the same overall grade, the prize will be shared
West Riding Panel Practitioners’ Prize in Clinical Medicine

This prize was made available through the generosity of the West Riding Panel Practitioners.

1. Frequency of award: One annually.
3. Eligible candidates: MB, ChB Phase 4 students taking part in the Advanced Clinical Competence Examination.
4. Assessors: The Examiners for the above examinations.
5. Criteria for assessment: The best student in the above examination with previous performance in the Basic Clinical Competence and Extended Clinical Competence Examination taken into account.