

Oscar B. Hunter Career Award in Therapeutics

The *Oscar B. Hunter Career Award in Therapeutics* was established in 1955 to honor individual scientists for outstanding contributions to clinical pharmacology and therapeutics. This award recognizes a meritorious career in drug research, excellence or contributions in direct patient care, and a distinguished teaching career. The *Oscar B. Hunter Career Award in Therapeutics* is the Society's premier award. The goal of the award is to honor a scientist for outstanding contributions to clinical pharmacology and therapeutics over the individual's professional life.

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI):

ASCPT is committed to recognizing and promoting excellence in research, collaborations, and efforts that highlight dimensions of diversity. Nominators should address how the candidate has fostered a diverse and inclusive environment.

Eligibility

The nominee can be an academic, industrial, or regulatory scientist who has demonstrated a sustained record of lifelong contributions to clinical pharmacology and dissemination of knowledge who will be able to deliver an engaging talk about their career and the impact of their work. ASCPT is exploring new interactive formats designed to encourage meaningful audience participation during the ASCPT 2027 award presentations. The format of the recipient's award session will be finalized following completion of the award selection process.

Prize and Presentation

The *Oscar B. Hunter Career Award in Therapeutics* is presented at the ASCPT Annual Meeting. The recipient will deliver an engaging talk summarizing the works that form the basis of the award. In addition, the recipient of the award will receive a bronze medal mounted on a plaque and a \$1,500 prize. Travel expenses, hotel expenses, and meeting registration will be reimbursed by the Society.

Previous Recipients

2026 - Craig Hendrix, MD
2025 - Julie A. Johnson, PharmD
2024- Kathleen Giacomini, PhD
2023- Janet Woodcock, MD
2022- David J. Greenblatt, MD
2021- Richard Lalonde, PharmD
2020 - Dan Roden, MD
2019- Mary V. Relling, PharmD
2018 - William J. Jusko, PhD
2017 - N/A
2016- Brian L. Strom, MD, MPH
2015- Michel Eichelbaum, MD
2014- Edward M. Sellers, MD, PhD
2013- William E. Evans, PharmD
2012- D. Craig Brater, MD
2011 – Garret A. FitzGerald, MD
2010 – Leslie Z. Benet, PhD
2009 – Sir Colin Dollery, MD
2008 - Marcus M. Reidenberg, MD
2007 - Terrence F. Blaschke, MD
2006 - Neal Benowitz, MD
2005 - Arthur J. Atkinson Jr., MD
2004 - Lewis B. Sheiner, MD
2003 - Louis Lemberger, MD, PhD
2002 - Sumner J. Yaffe, MD

2001 - Alan Nies, MD
2000 - Paul S. Lietman, MD, PhD
1999 - Alvan R. Feinstein, MD
1998 - Richard M. Weinshilboum, MD
1997 - J. Richard Crout, MD, FACP
1996 - Folke Sjoqvist, MD, PhD
1995 - Daniel L. Azarnoff, MD
1994 - Kenneth L. Melmon, MD
1993 - Werner Kalow, MD
1992 - Paul Calabresi, MD
1991 - Elliott S. Vesell, MD
1990 - Walter F. Riker, Jr., MD
1989 - John J. Burns, PhD
1988 - Leo E. Hollister, MD
1987 - Jan Koch-Weser, MD
1986 - Leon I. Goldberg, MD, PhD
1985 - Raymond W. Houde, MD
1984 - George H. Hitchings, PhD, ScD
1983 - C. Gordon Zubrod, MD
1982 - Gerhard Levy, PharmD
1981 - Albert Sjoerdsma, MD, PhD
1980 - John A. Oates, MD
1979 - Ray W. Gifford, Jr., MD
1978 - Walter Modell, MD
1977 - Harris Isbell, MD
1976 - Louis Goodman, MD, and Alfred Gilman, PhD
1975 - Louis Lasagna, MD
1974 - Raymond P. Ahlquist, PhD
1973 - George C. Cotzias, MD
1972 - Edward D. Freis, MD
1971 - Maxwell Finland, MD
1970 - Bernard B. Brodie, MD
1969 - Arthur Grollman, MD
1968 - Sidney Farber, MD
1967 - George W. Thorn, MD
1966 - Irvin H. Page, MD
1965 - William B. Castle, MD
1964 - Henry K. Beecher, MD
1963 - Albert B. Sabin, MD
1962 - Charles B. Huggins, MD
1961 - Hattie E. Alexander, MD
1960 - John H. Moyer, III, MD
1959 - Tom D. Spies, MD
1958 - C. Walton Lillehei, MD
1957 - Robert W. Wilkins, MD
1956 - E. M. K. Geiling, MD
1955 - Jonas E. Salk, MD