

William B. Abrams Award in Geriatric Clinical Pharmacology

The *William B. Abrams Award in Geriatric Clinical Pharmacology* was established with support from the Merck Company Foundation in 1996 to honor an investigator in geriatric clinical pharmacology for outstanding contributions to the field.

Dr. Abrams, a Past President of ASCPT, had a long and illustrious career in the pharmaceutical industry, mostly at the Merck Research Laboratories. Among his many accomplishments in geriatric clinical pharmacology, he was the founding Co-Editor of the Merck Manual of Geriatrics, created the Scientific Section on Geriatric Clinical Pharmacology of ASCPT, and developed and funded post-doctoral training programs in geriatric clinical pharmacology.

Dr. Abrams' objective in establishing this award was to encourage more young scientists to enter the field of geriatric clinical pharmacology by recognizing accomplishments in the field at the Society's Annual Meeting.

Eligibility

A nominee must be an investigator in geriatrics who is actively involved in high-quality teaching and research in geriatric clinical pharmacology.

Prize and Presentation

The *William B. Abrams Award in Geriatric Clinical Pharmacology* is presented at the ASCPT Annual Meeting. The recipient will receive a plaque and a \$1,000 prize. Travel expenses, hotel expenses and meeting registration will be reimbursed by the Society.

Previous Recipients

2019 – Danijela Gnjidic, PhD, MPH	2003 - Kristine Yaffe, MD
2018 - Kenneth Schmader, MD	2002 - Paula Rochon, MD, MPH, FRCP(C)
2017 – N/A	2001 - Jerry H. Gurwitz, MD
2016 - Joseph T. Hanlon, PharmD	2000 - Gary A. Ford, MA, MRCP
2015 - Kenneth Rockwood, MD FRCP	1999 - George K. Dresser, MD
2014 - Bruce G. Pollock, MD, PhD, FRCP	1998 - Nikhil G. Majmudar, MRCP
2013 - David Le Couteur, MD, PhD	1997 - Barbara A. Liu, MD, FRCP
2012 – Janice B. Schwartz, MD	1996 - Johanne Monette, MD, MSc
2011 – Darrell R. Abernethy, MD, PhD	
2010 – Not Awarded	
2009 – Sarah Hilmer, PhD, FRACP	
2008 - Patricia W. Slattum, PharmD, PhD, CGP	
2007 - Arshad Jahangir, MD	
2006 - Margaret Pisani, MD	
2005 - David N. Juurlink, MD, PhD, FRCP(C)	
2004 - Lisa von Moltke, MD	