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The Sansom Pharmacy Fund

Supporting innovation in pharmacy research, education and practice.



“Philanthropy is absolutely critical to innovation in pharmacy and health care. From fighting malaria in developing countries to treating cancer patients in Australia, private donations have been instrumental in so many of the life-saving initiatives of modern times.”

Lloyd Sansom AO



The Sansom Pharmacy Fund

The story of the evolution of pharmacy practice is one of constant change and innovation. From its establishment as a profession in the 16th century, when the apothecarist's role was shrouded in mystery, to a modern era characterised by cutting-edge pharmaceuticals, social complexity and unprecedented consumer choice, pharmacy has responded to the health care needs of a rapidly changing world.

The education and knowledge of practitioners must be relevant to these changes. The education of pharmacy students must be of the highest standard and the pursuit of new knowledge encouraged.

The Sansom Pharmacy Fund was established in 2001 to develop the practice of pharmacy through the support of teaching, research, community and professional activities. Named after eminent pharmacist, researcher and educator Professor Lloyd Sansom AO, the fund has grown thanks to the generous support of a number of individual and industry donors.

In 2008, the board established two new schemes to further its aims – the Sansom Pharmacy Fund Travel Award and the Sansom Pharmacy Fund Research Scholarship. These awards are helping to support our best and brightest researchers in the pursuit of more sophisticated pharmaceutical therapies and improved pharmacy practice.

Lloyd Sansom AO

Emeritus Professor Lloyd Sansom AO is a leading figure in Australian health and education. In 2004 the University of South Australia named the Sansom Institute in his honour, recognising an illustrious career that has spanned five decades.

An accomplished pharmacist and researcher with particular interests in pharmacokinetics, biopharmaceutics and the quality use of medicines, Professor Sansom was head of UniSA's School of Pharmacy and Medical Sciences from 1995–2000.

He played a major role in the development of Australia's National Medicines Policy and has sat on numerous government and industry advisory groups – including the Pharmaceutical Benefits Advisory Committee, which he has chaired since 2001.

In 2002 he was made an Officer of the Order of Australia in recognition of his outstanding achievements and service to Australia and humanity at large.

“I support the Sansom Pharmacy Fund because it's a way to give something back to a profession that has nurtured and sustained me for more than three decades.”

Scott McGregor B Pharm
Director, Chemplus

What can you do?

Whether you are a pharmacist, a corporate leader or simply someone who believes in the importance of supporting innovation in pharmacy, the Sansom Pharmacy Fund offers donors a chance to make a difference over the long term.

From one-off gifts of any value, to bequests, or arranging for donations in lieu of flowers in the case of a bereavement, there are many ways that you or your organisation can help.

For more information, visit the Sansom Pharmacy Fund web page on the Giving to UniSA site at www.unisa.edu.au/giving/fundingpriorities/sansom.asp

