

Notes and Announcements

2001 Society Awards

Canadian Neurological Society: Francis McNaughton Memorial Prize: K. Busche, Calgary, AB

Canadian Neurosurgical Society: K.G. McKenzie Memorial Prize in Basic Neuroscience: S. Casha, Toronto, ON

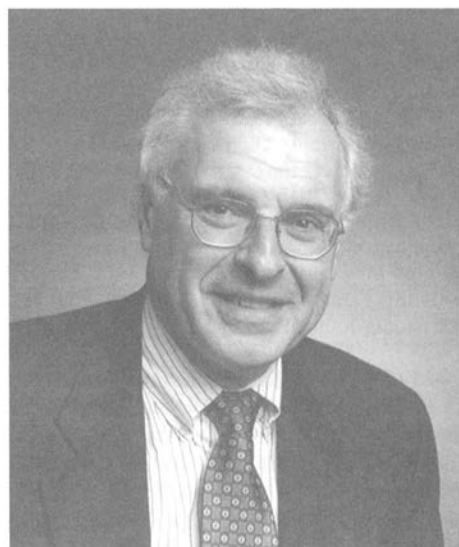
Canadian Neurosurgical Society: K.G. McKenzie Memorial Prize in Clinical Neuroscience: B.S. Jhawar, Montreal, QC

Canadian Association of Child Neurology: President's Prize: Meredith Golombe, Toronto, ON

Multiple Sclerosis Fellowship Winner

Dr Awa Dicko, working under the supervision of Dr Joan Boggs at the Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto is the recipient of the 2001 Astra Pharma Inc. RFP in Multiple Sclerosis. Congratulations.

Dr. Gordon Winocur appointed Scientific Director of the Alzheimer Society of Canada



Dr. Gordon Winocur has been appointed to the position of Scientific Director of the Alzheimer Society of Canada. Dr. Winocur will be responsible for enhancing the ongoing development of the Society's dynamic research program and providing the Society with strong scientific leadership.

Dr. Winocur is a senior scientist at the Rotman Research Institute, Baycrest Centre for Geriatric Care as well as a professor of psychology at Trent University and professor of psychology and psychiatry at the University of Toronto. Dr. Winocur's research focuses on changes in cognitive function associated with normal aging, neurodegenerative diseases (such as Alzheimer Disease) and focal brain damage. He has published extensively and lectured both in Canada and internationally.

Award of Excellence



Dr. Vladimir Hachinski receiving the Award of Excellence from Dr. John W. Norris, Chairman of the Canadian Stroke Consortium at the Annual Investigators Meeting in Montreal, on Saturday March 31, 2001. This was to acknowledge his outstanding contributions in academic stroke activities since he became a member of the Consortium, including his recent appointment as Editor of the journal "Stroke".

Mary Anne Lee Epilepsy Essay Prize proposed

The Canadian League Against Epilepsy (CLAE) announces the establishment of the Mary Anne Lee Epilepsy Essay Prize. This yearly award is open to all neurology residents, who are in training in a Canadian neurology program at the time of application. Details may be obtained from the CJNS web www.cjns.org or the CLAE web site: www.medlib.com/clae/default.htm.