



OUR VISION

The Skin & Cancer Foundation is a not-for-profit, non government funded organisation which provides specialist treatment for a wide variety of skin diseases.

Since its formation in 1987, The Skin and Cancer Foundation has been at the forefront of developing new and better ways to diagnose and manage diseases of the skin. Founded by a group of 38 leading dermatologists, the Foundation has depended heavily on the voluntary input of this professional group, a number of whom continue to attend and consult at the various Foundation clinics for up to a day each week without charging for their services.

As one of Australia's leading centres for skin disease research and treatment, we conduct regular trials, collect clinical data, perform research into occupational dermatology and support projects in other dermatology centres. Our education arm reaches diverse groups of people including trainee dermatologists and general practitioners and we contribute to continuing professional development for dermatologists through organizing regular Clinical Updates, as well as providing a central location for the majority of Clinical Meetings of the Victorian Faculty of the Australasian College of Dermatologists.



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“Super impressed to the amazing staff and professionalism, caring and time taken on all appointments” — Patient Feedback, 2011

OUR VISION

A Centre of Excellence AND a Home for Dermatology.

OUR MISSION

With an emphasis on Skin Health, our mission is to:

- lead the treatment, education and research of skin cancer and skin conditions through partnering, funding and capacity building
- build awareness of the Foundation's activities in the community
- extend our existing, and build strong new, partnerships with Foundation supporters, to expand the Foundation's work.

OUR FOCUS

Clinical

- Specialist clinics
- Advanced treatment for metropolitan and rural patients
- Innovative new techniques

Education

- Registrar and international specialist dermatology training
- Clinical Updates for consultants
- Nurse education
- Community education
- Assist patient support groups in areas relating to dermatology

Research

- Clinical trials
- Research into occupational dermatology
- Clinical evaluation
- Presentation of papers and seminars
- Australasian Psoriasis Registry

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



In last year's report I suggested the future was "full of promise". This year, the Foundation has gone about identifying opportunities and converting them into realities.

- John Calvert-Jones, Catherine Gale, Jesinta Campbell and Dr Bert Salomon.
- Extended website postings.
- Expanded newsletter (skinDeep), which now reaches Australian, New Zealand and International dermatologists and supporters.
- Commencement of social media - Facebook and Twitter.

2010/11 - one specialist training position (STP) and one international medical graduate (IMG) position. In 2011/2012 there is an additional rural STP position.

GOVERNANCE

The Board has continued to develop a strong governance program during the year. It has established a Credentialing and Quality Committee chaired by Associate Professor Chris Baker.

The Board also completed, through its Governance Committee, a skills matrix for all board members. This will be used to assist in the identification of skills required for future members.

Resignations During The Year

1. Associate Professor Chris McCormack - 8 December 2010.
2. Dr Michelle Goh - 23 March 2011.

Survey of Dermatologists

To keep the Foundation's services relevant and to seek input from the membership, a survey of all dermatologists was conducted during the year. The result of this survey has been the implementation of a new Aesthetics Clinic and the facilitation of the development of new Pigment Disorder and Acne Scarring Clinics planned for 2012.

Registrars

We are delighted to be successful in obtaining two additional training positions during

Our sincere thanks to both for their excellent contributions and ongoing support.

New Appointments

1. Mr Miklos Pohl - 8 December 2010
- Plastic Surgeon who works at the Foundation on a regular basis.
2. Dr Hugh Roberts - 23 March 2011
- a former registrar representative, now consultant at the Skin & Cancer Foundation undertaking work in the Skin Cancer Assessment Clinic and also Skin Health Assessment Clinic.

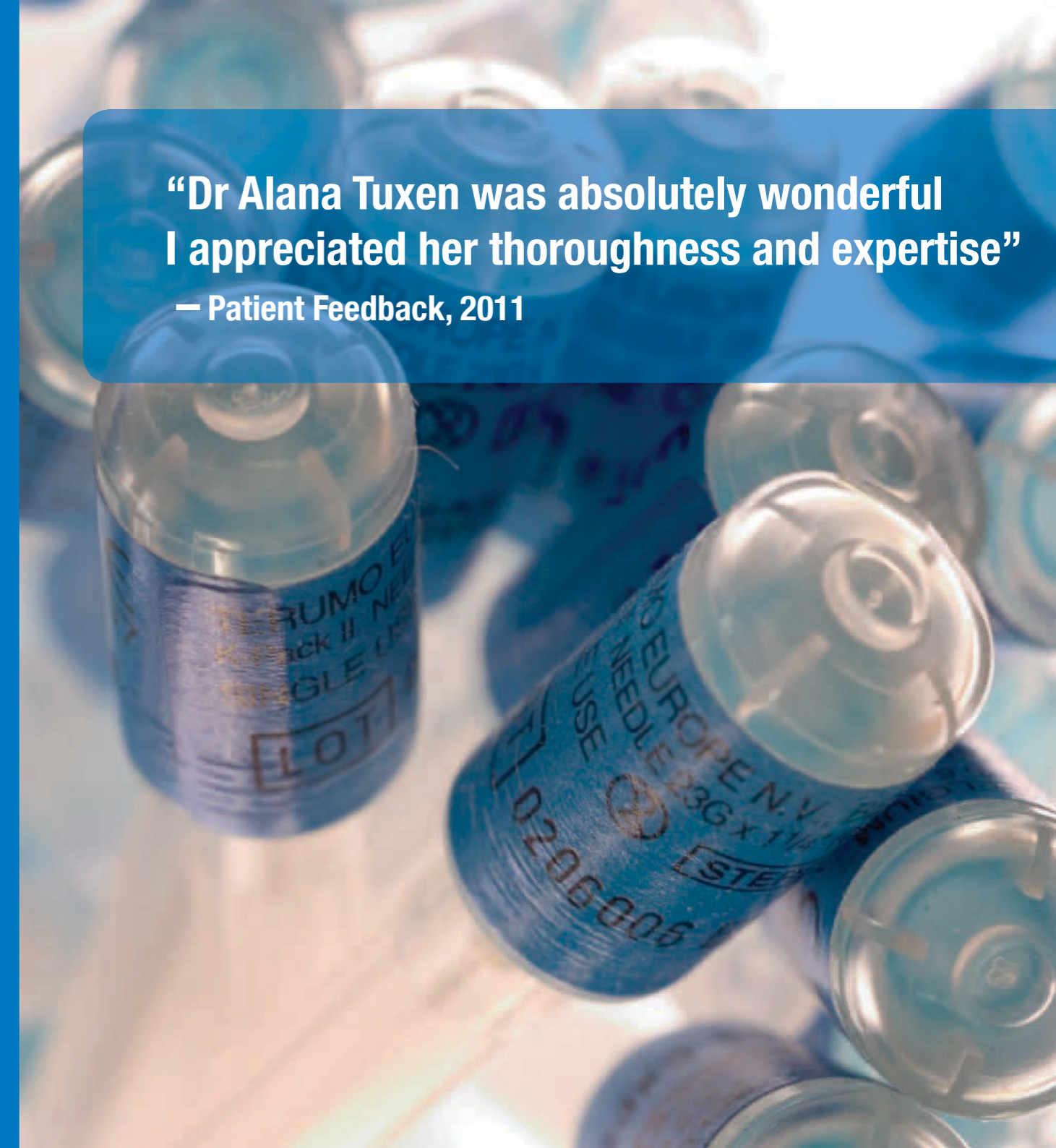
Accreditation

The Board has, after considerable background work, commenced the process for ISO accreditation. The bulk of this work will occur during the 2011/12 year.

Patron

Sincere thanks to the former governor, Professor David de Kretser, for his outstanding service to the Foundation as its patron. Professor de Kretser opened the Foundation's new facility at 80 Drummond Street almost three years ago now. We are delighted to announce that the new governor, the Honourable Alex Chernov QC, has agreed to continue the tradition of the governor as patron. We look forward to working with the new governor.

**"Dr Alana Tuxen was absolutely wonderful
I appreciated her thoroughness and expertise"
— Patient Feedback, 2011**



ROTARY DERMATOLOGY RESEARCH CENTRE

Discussions are well underway with the Rotary Club of Melbourne to establish on the ground floor at 80 Drummond Street, a new Rotary Dermatology Research Centre. We expect an agreement will be signed in August 2012 and work undertaken during the second half of 2011 to make this a reality. Our sincere thanks to the Rotary Club of Melbourne for its interest and support.

Retirement - Dr Annette Callan

Dr Annette Callan is a founding member of the Foundation who has provided wonderful service. She helped establish the Hair Clinic which she continued to attend until her retirement. Her presence and extensive clinical experience will be surely missed.

Pathology

The joint venture with Melbourne Pathology – Melbourne Skin Pathology continues to play an important role in the financial sustainability of the Foundation. This year we also acknowledge the leadership and service provided by Dr Graham Mason. This stewardship has ensured that a strong team remain to maintain his legacy. Dr Mason retired on 30 June and we are pleased to welcome Dr Rod O’Keefe, another acknowledged dermopathologist, who has joined MSP.

Victorian Country Women’s Association Donation

The Foundation was grateful to be chosen as a 2010/11 principle charity recipient for fund raising from the VCWA. Over \$24,000 was raised by the VCWA. During the year we were pleased to provide information on skin health to VCWA members. Our institution will continue working with the VCWA in this regard. We also congratulate the VCWA on its organisation award for skin health at the White Night Ball in June 2012.

White Night Ball

The Inaugural Ball and Healthy Skin Awards (see separate segment) was a great success. The idea behind the ball was to profile organisations who had contributed to the awareness of skin health for their members or staff. The ball was also a wonderful opportunity for dermatologists, sponsors and award recipients to share a successful evening of entertainment and fundraiser at the VRC atrium at Flemington.

The Board would like to thank the ball’s committee, chaired by Ms Jacqueline Phillips, who was also MC on the evening, and her team.

We look forward to building on this success for the 2012 Ball (16 June 2012). I hope to see many of you there.

CLINICAL

2010/2011 saw minimal growth in the number of clinical services, primarily in the areas of PDT and to some extent in Skin Cancer Assessment Clinic.

We therefore surveyed members to ensure that our clinics remain relevant and appropriate for training and specialist services as discussed earlier.

Young Dermatologists Join the Foundation

Dr Hugh Roberts and Dr Michelle Rodrigues have joined the Skin Cancer Assessment Clinic. Dr Kamaldeep Sandhu has commenced in the PDT Clinic and Hyperhydrosis Clinic. Dr Shoba Joseph now attends the Phototherapy and Biologics Clinics.

We have also established a skin check program for businesses led by Associate Professor Rosemary Nixon, commencing with Mallesons and Wrigley Mars. This has also highlighted the importance of skin health in the workplace.

Aesthetics Clinic

With support from Solta and Candela the Foundation has acquired a number of lasers to commence training and service provision in aesthetics. To this has been added injectable services.

It is very important that registrars be properly trained and for dermatologists to take a leadership role in the provision of professionally provided aesthetic services. Associate Professor Goodman, Dr Rich and Dr Bekhor, and recently Dr Welsh, have been major contributors to training in these clinics. Our thanks for their assistance.

EDUCATION

Registrars

We are delighted at the continued success of registrars in their Fellowship Examinations. Our congratulations to the Victorian registrars who were all successful in passing their ACD fellowship exams. There is a strong educational program provided at the Foundation and in association with the Victorian Faculty.

The Foundation has been continuing its active education program centred around the Foundation including:

1. Skin schools.
2. Dermatopathology sessions.
3. Clinical meetings.
4. Update meetings.

Our thanks go to our members and sponsors for their support of these essential professional development activities.

Congratulations also to Associate Professor Nixon in her appointment as the new Victorian Faculty Chair. We would also like to

congratulate Dr Peter Cowen as the outgoing chair, for his excellent support. The effective relationship between the Victorian Faculty and the Skin & Cancer Foundation Inc. helps to ensure quality education for registrars and consultants. The Foundation is most appreciative of the Faculty’s donation of funds to purchase a new camera to be attached to the dermatopathology microscope bank. We have only eight positions on the bank & the camera will enable the images to also be projected up onto a screen and thus allow additional trainees to view and participate in dermatopathology sessions. We have launched, with the support of four pharmaceutical companies, a Biologics Master Class Program. It has been a pleasure to work with Barbara Radulski, A/Professor Chris Baker, Dr Anna Braue and other team members to develop and implement this program. It has been very well received and two additional sessions were held during 2011 to cope with the demand.

Registrar Transition To Consultant Program

As many of us will be aware, very little is taught about business in medical education. The Foundation has therefore taken the initiative to establish a three-session program for final-year registrars.

This program has been established to provide fourth-year graduates with:

1. An overview of career opportunities in dermatology.
2. Practical advice from senior consultants on how private practice operates.
3. Advice from two senior practice managers on what it is really like to administer private practices.
4. Work-life balance.
5. Managing personal finances and financing a practice.

The program was well received by the 2010 final-year registrars and will be repeated on an annual basis. Materials from the course have also been sent to the Skin & Cancer Foundations in Sydney and Brisbane and to the College for information.

RESEARCH

Trials

A further major ramp up of trials is proposed for 2011/2012. Early in the year, the Foundation became the first Australian centre to sign an agreement with Probit Medical Research – an international clinical trials consortium. The first trials have taken place during the year. A separate report on trials activity is to be found later in the Annual Report.

Psoriasis Registry

A significant re-write of software has been undertaken followed by an expansion of members. Ethics approval has been granted



**“All the doctors and nurses
are just outstanding!”**

— Patient Feedback, 2011

at Royal Melbourne Hospital and Royal North Shore Hospital. We have also recently expanded into New Zealand. The Australasian Psoriasis Registry maintains an association with PsoNet – a multinational collaborative of psoriasis registries.

ODREC

Congratulations to Associate Professor Rosemary Nixon who has been appointed as an Associate Professor at Monash University. 2011 has seen continued development of the Allergen Bank. The team has been instrumental in the introduction of the Skin Checks program for workplace skin checks. A/Professor Nixon provides an ODREC report later.

New Arrivals

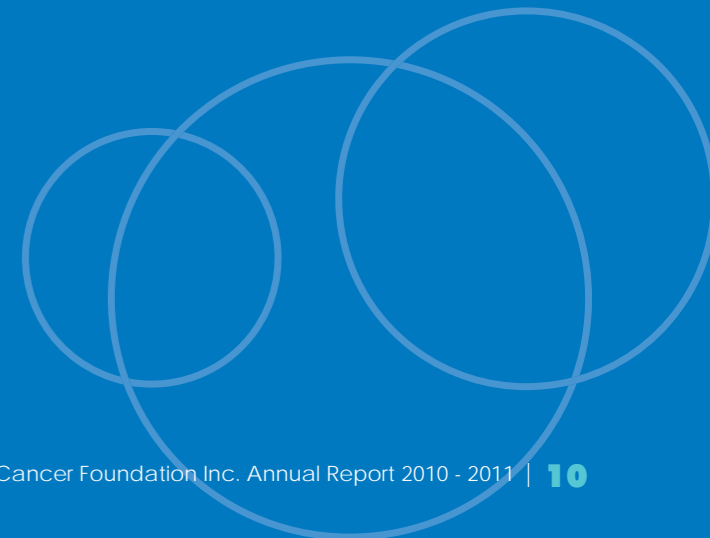
Congratulations to Doctors Lee Mei Yap and Cara McDonald on the arrival of their offspring.

A final word of thanks

The Foundation would not have been able to accomplish as much as it has over the last 12 months without the hard work of our dedicated staff, spearheaded by our tireless Executive Director, Chris Arnold. On behalf of the Board I extend my gratitude to the enthusiastic team that keep the Foundation running on a day-to-day basis. My role as President has been made easier by the elected members of the Board, in particular the non-dermatologists Kathryn Watt, Principal, General Counsel and Company Secretary of Vanguard Securities offering

legal expertise and chairing our Governance Subcommittee; Patrick Burroughs, former Senior Audit Partner of KPMG and a member of the board of the Royal Children’s Hospital, offering finance expertise and now chairing our Finance, Audit and Risk Management Committee, and Jac Phillips, Senior Manager, Brand and Communications, ANZ Private Bank, offering marketing, people and business development expertise, spearheading our Development Committee. We have recently been fortunate to secure the honorary service of Zoe Bare, as Board Secretary. In addition to the new Board members, I am grateful for the advice and support of Associate Professors Chris Baker, Greg Goodman (ex-officio) and Rosemary Nixon, and Doctors Michael Rich, Mei Tam and Edward Upjohn.

The last year has seen the Foundation take positive strides forward. It is anticipated that the momentum will continue to build and the coming year will be even more successful.



MESSAGE FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



2010/2011 has seen the Foundation work successfully to achieve major goals it set and broaden awareness of the Foundation's role and services.

My thanks to an energetic and enthusiastic Board for its foresight and engagement and to a committed management team who have been so supportive in implementation.

HIGHLIGHTS

Expanded commitment to quality of service through the introduction of the Credentialing and Quality Committee (chaired by Associate Professor Chris Baker) and commencement of an ISO accreditation process.

A focus on "Skin Health" and the substantial contribution of the dermatology community and the Foundation to skin health in the community. This focus has been reflected in activities as well as brochures and online.

Reaching out to the extended community through activities such as SkinOpera, the White Night Ball and Healthy Skin Awards, a quality newsletter reaching Australia, New Zealand and International dermatologists, supporters and community groups such as the Victorian Country Women's Association.

A solid operating performance, providing a surplus of \$151,000 and with a further \$50,000 reduction in the Foundation's premises loan. A deliberate program of broadening the Foundation's funding base has been implemented as part of the Board's ongoing program to ensure

sustainability for the Foundation. This theme continues in 2011-2012. Performance has been complemented by improved budgeting and financial reporting including activity-based reporting around clinical, education, research and general operations.

The Foundation has also taken a leadership role in the task of expanding online consultations through participation in the Australasian College of Dermatology Telehealth Task Group. I have been pleased to be a member of this task force and to be presently coordinating an inter-college task group comprising dermatology, ophthalmology and rural and remote medicine to submit a proposal to the Federal government for acceptance of Medicare benefits for store-and-forward only benefits for Telehealth. The current Medicare benefits require video conferencing.

Commencing the journey to become a "paperless office" with medical records, pathology reporting, online prescribing and other services.

Being inspired from a visit to Charité in Berlin while on leave in September 2010. It was amazing to see multiple floors providing a fully integrated inpatient and ambulatory dermatology service.

My sincere thanks to the other members of the Executive, Assoc. Prof. Foley (Research Director) and Assoc. Prof. Baker (Medical Director). Thanks also to a wonderful management team comprising of Jane English, Clinical Operations Manager, Sue Edwards, Patient and Customer Services Manager, Sue Davey, Finance Manager, Marc Brauer, Communications Coordinator, Simon Cumming, Data Manager and Karen Morris, Finance Officer. Their ideas, flexibility and willingness to "get in and make things happen" is a treat.

2011/2012

An active engagement program with members, government and the community is already underway. Watch our monthly newsletters to follow the Foundation's progress.

"Im amazed at your total staff, their professionalism beyond reproach"

— Patient Feedback, 2011

OVERVIEW & OUTCOMES FOR 2010-2011

Skin Health @ any age by Dermatologists – The Skin People

Focus on messages to the community on the importance of skin health and the contribution of our member dermatologists. Increasing awareness of the Foundation's role through Skin Opera, White Night Ball & Healthy Skin Awards and website information.

Keeping members and supporters informed. Introduction of a monthly eNewsletter distributed to Australian, New Zealand and International dermatologists, supporters and skin condition self – help groups. The Newsletter has been expanded to include articles from international skin health organisations.

New Rotary Dermatology Research Centre to be established

The Rotary Club of Melbourne are partnering with the Foundation to establish the Rotary Dermatology Research Centre on a section of the ground floor. Work will be undertaken in 2011/2012.

Expanded Education

Additional registrar position established in February 2011. Creation of Transition from Registrar to Consultant three seminar series for final year registrars and IMG's.

Patient Services

- 27,961 patient services conducted in financial year
- Introduction of new Aesthetics Clinic
- Introduction of corporate skin check program

Solid Financial Performance

- \$151K operating surplus
- Additional \$50K paid off premises loan





PRIORITIES FOR 2011/2012

- Preparation of new three year plan for 2012 to 2015
- Opening of the Rotary Dermatology Research Centre
- Increase in research and clinical trials
- Introduction of Acne Scarring and Pigment Disorder Clinics
- Launch of Skin Health Week, culminating in the White Night Ball Healthy Skin Awards on 16 June 2012
- Increase in patient services
- Launch of new website with skin health @ any age educational application
- Commence teledermatology service to Residential Aged Care Centres (RACC)
- Commencement of education program in RACC's for skin health for elderly residents and carers.

WITH YOUR HELP WE WILL ACHIEVE THESE GOALS

Members

Your Foundation values your support in the provision of clinical services and training of the dermatologists of the future.

Sponsors and supporters

The Foundation gratefully acknowledges our sponsors and supporters. Our education program and much of our research is absolutely dependent upon this support.

Governments

With only a small amount of funding for selected training positions, the Foundation is actively engaging with governments to raise awareness of the contribution of dermatology and the Foundation. We have much to offer in promotion of skin health at home and in the workplace.

The Community

Our new website and education materials will complement an awareness raising program to raise skin health awareness in the community.

Can you help us?

The Skin & Cancer Foundation Inc. is a not for profit charitable foundation with deductible gift recipient status. All donations of \$2 or more are tax deductible.

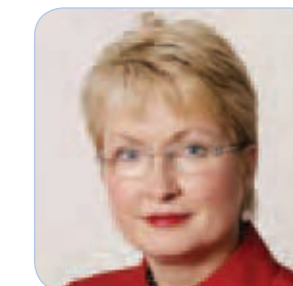


THE FOUNDATION IS PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE ITS FOUR NEW AMBASSADORS

Dr. Bertold (Bert) Salomon - International Skin Ambassador
Ms. Catherine (Cathy) Gale - Professional Services Skin Ambassador
Mr. John Calvert-Jones - Business & Corporate Skin Ambassador
Ms. Jesinta Campbell - Youth Skin Ambassador.



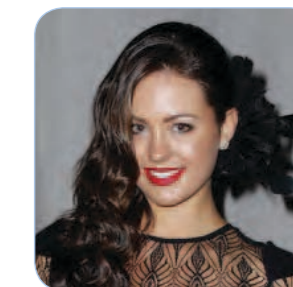
Dr. Bertold Salomon



Ms. Catherine Gale



Mr. John Calvert-Jones



Ms. Jesinta Campbell

OUR PATRON



Governor of Victoria, The Honourable Alex Chernov, AO, QC.



Dr Desmond Gan
(Registrar Rep.
1st half of 2011)



Dr Marguerite Byrne
(Registrar
Representative 2010)

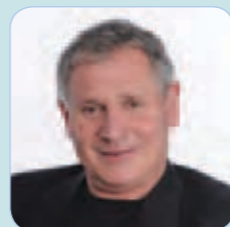
BOARD OF MANAGEMENT



A/Prof Peter Foley
(President)



Dr Mei Mui Tam
(Vice President)



Dr Michael Rich
(Treasurer)



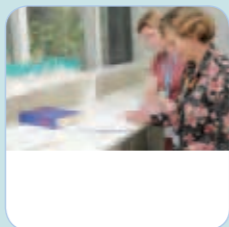
A/Prof
Christopher Baker
(Immediate Past
President)



Ms Kathryn Watt
(Board Member)



Dr Edward Upjohn
(Board Member)



A/Prof Rosemary Nixon
(Board Member)



Dr Hugh Roberts
(Board Member)



Ms Jacqueline Phillips
(Board Member)



Mr Miklos Pohl
(Board Member)



Mr Patrick Burroughs
(Board Member)



Dr Michelle Goh
(Board Member)



Dr Rebecca Dunn
(Registrar
Representative)



Dr Jim Butler
(ExOfficio Member)



A/Prof Gregory
Goodman
(ExOfficio Member)

“This is a place where compassion just oozes in every one of the staff members”
— Patient Feedback, 2011



“Nursing staff on the day
were extremely supportive”

— Patient Feedback, 2011



SUB-COMMITTEES

Governance

Ms Kathryn Watt
Dr Mignon Moyle
A/Prof Peter Foley
A/Prof Christopher Baker
Mr Chris Arnold

Finance, Audit & Risk Management

Dr Michael Rich
Dr Mei Mui Tam
Mr Chris Arnold
Mr Patrick Burroughs

Development

Ms Jacqueline Phillips
Mr David Gibbs
Dr Peter Cowen
Mr Chris Arnold

Melbourne Skin Pathology

A/Prof Christopher Baker
A/Prof Peter Foley
Dr Michael Rich
Mr David Pinkus
Mr Chris Arnold

Infection Control

Dr Greg Goodman
Dr Phillip Bekhor
Ms Jane English

Quality & Credentialing Committee

A/Prof Christopher Baker
Mr Chris Arnold
Ms Angela Webb
Dr Tim Rutherford

Ms Jane English
Mr Simon Cumming

VISITING CONSULTANTS

Advanced Surgery

A/Prof Anthony Penington
Dr Adam Sheridan
Dr Peter Sinclair
Mr Nigel Mann
Mr Miklos Pohl
Ms Angela Webb
Mr Dean White
Ms Sophie Ricketts

Aesthetics Clinic

A/Prof Greg Goodman
Dr Michael Rich
Dr Phillip Bekhor
Dr Belinda Welsh

Biologics

A/Prof Peter Foley
A/Prof Chris Baker
Dr Anna Braue
Dr Katherine Armour

Contact Dermatitis Clinic

Dr Bruce Tate
Dr Mei Mui Tam

Dentist

Dr Jonathon Tversky

Grenz

Dr Michael Webster
Dr Mignon Moyle

Hair Clinic

Dr Jill Cargnello
Dr Annette Callan

Dr Jack Green

Hyperhidrosis Clinic

Dr Catherine Scarff
Dr Vanessa Morgan
Dr Kamaldeep Sandhu

Laser Clinic

Dr Michael Rich

Liaison Clinic

Dr Josephine Yeatman
Dr Melissa Thomas

Melanoma Clinic

Dr Michael Rich
Dr Diana Tran

Men's Health

Dr Anthony Hall

Mohs' Surgery

A/Prof Gregory Goodman
Dr Edward Upjohn
Dr Tim Rutherford
Dr Phillip Bekhor
Dr Vanessa Morgan

Nail Clinic

Dr Anne Howard

Occupational Dermatology

A/Prof Rosemary Nixon
Dr Jenny Cahill
Dr Helen Saunders

Oral Mucous Membrane Clinic

Dr Jonathon Tversky
Dr Carol Burford
Dr Eric Poon
Dr Cara MacDonald

Phototherapy

A/Prof Peter Foley
A/Prof Chris Baker
Dr Anna Braue
Dr Katherine Armour
Dr Ana Catona
Dr Phillip Lane
Dr Kamaldeep Sandhu

PDT

Dr Kamaldeep Sandhu

Psychology

Dr Sebastiana Biondo

Radiotherapy

Dr Michael Webster
Dr Jim Butler
Dr Mignon Moyle

Skin Cancer Management

Prof Robin Marks
Dr Hugh Roberts
Dr Michelle Rodrigues
Dr Claire Grills

Transplant

Dr Alvin Chong
Dr Michelle Goh
Dr Carol Burford

FOUNDATION STAFF

Management

Mr Chris Arnold (Executive Director)
Ms Jane English (Clinical Operations Manager)
Ms Sue Edwards (Admin Manager)
Ms Sue Davey (Finance Manager)

2011 WHITE NIGHT BALL & HEALTHY SKIN AWARDS

The Foundation would like to thank all attendees for making the Inaugural White Night Ball and Healthy Skin Awards 2011 a resounding success.

This event had two major objectives:

1. To publicly recognise, for the first time, Australian government organisations, membership bodies and corporations who promote healthy skin among their employees and members.
2. To raise much needed funds for the future treatment, research and education of Dermatology in Australia.

Karen Martini from The Melbourne Wine Room, Ian Curley from The European and

Adam D'Sylva from Coda, joined forces to design a bespoke menu for the Skin & Cancer Foundation Inc.'s first White Night Ball, with the feedback outstanding.

Entertainment was provided by the energetic Rhonda Burchmore and her ten piece orchestra and Miss Universe Australia 2010, Jesinta Campbell officially announced her new role as the Skin & Cancer Foundation's first Youth Ambassador.

For the very first time, Australian organisations, membership bodies and businesses were recognised at the White Night Ball for their responsibility and promotion of skin health, through awareness and protection of employees skin in the workplace. The

Foundation congratulates all its winners. The 2011 Healthy Skin Awards had five winners:

1. Mallesons Stephen Jaques - Allergan Individual employers Professional Services Award.
2. Parks Victoria – WorkSafe Individual Employer Industry Award.
3. Country Women's Association (Vic) – Galderma Industry Employer Association Award.
4. Victorian Trades Hall Council - Melbourne Skin Pathology Professional Association or Union Award.
5. Metropolitan Fire Brigade (Vic) - Johnson & Johnson Innovation in Skin Health Award.

The Foundation would like to thank its sponsors Galderma, Johnson & Johnson, Melbourne Skin Pathology and WorkSafe as well as our celebrity chefs and their restaurants Karen Martini (The Melbourne Wine Room), Ian Curley (The European) and Adam D'Sylva (Coda.)

The Foundation successfully raised \$36,000 from the evening and the silent auction. The Foundation would like to thank those which donated their time, support, resources and auction items to this great cause.



CLINICAL



Message from the Medical Director, Associate Professor Chris Baker

It is a pleasure to provide the inaugural Foundation Medical Director report. The position was

established in 2010.

The Foundation's clinical work has continued to expand with an increasing number of clinicians providing service in our clinics and the establishment of new specialty clinics. This has been accompanied with additional governance through the Credentialing and Quality committee (previously the Medical Advisory committee) and a revision of the credentialing guidelines.

The Foundation is most appreciative for the support of over 40 dermatologist members, six plastic surgeons, one psychiatrist and one oral mucosal specialist who give of their time to teach and conduct specialist clinics. This significant level of participation makes the Foundation a genuine centre of excellence and home for dermatology focusing on clinical

service, education and research.

My thanks also to the clinical staff team at the Foundation led by Clinical Operations Manager Jane English and Customer Services Manager Sue Edwards.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Establishment of the Credentialing & Quality Committee, with Board representation
- Commencement of the ISO accreditation process, with survey planned for early 2012.
- Skin check program established for organisations
- Introduction of aesthetics training program

Additional consultants joining the Foundation

- Dr Hugh Roberts
- Dr Michelle Rodriguez
- Dr Kamaldeep Sandhu
- Dr Shoba Joseph

We are pleased to welcome these former dermatology registrars and overseas trained specialists who are now part of the dedicated



team of supporting consultants.

Commencement of the Aesthetics program to train registrars in injectable and laser treatments

Thank you to Solta and Candela for support with laser technology and to Associate Professor Goodman, Drs Rich, Bekhor, Welsh and Ms Jane English for their support in establishing this new quality clinic.

Recognising the past - retirements

Dr Annette Callan
Ms Patricia Coleman

New staff

Ms Sheri Cloutier - trials nurse
Ms Anne Williams - trials nurse

A small number of private sessions were commenced in dermatology and plastic surgery during the year. Any consultants interested in pursuing sessions should consult the Executive Director.

SKIN PATHOLOGY SERVICES

The Foundation would like to pay tribute to Dr Graham Mason for his outstanding contribution as the head of Melbourne Skin Pathology. Dr Mason retired during the year.

We would also like to welcome Dr Rod O'Keefe who has taken Dr Mason's place as a senior dermatopathologist at Melbourne Skin Pathology.

Melbourne Skin Pathology is a partnership between Melbourne Pathology and Skin & Cancer Foundation Inc. Surpluses from the partnership represent 25% of the Foundation's overall revenue source. The Foundation relies on this revenue and appreciates the support from members greatly.

GOALS FOR 2011/2012

- Achieve ISO accreditation.
- Commence Outreach Dermatology Clinics in rural and remote areas, starting with Bendigo.
- Introduce Teledermatology Services for residential aged care centres.
- Introduce Acne Scarring and Pigment Disorder clinics.



EDUCATION

The Foundation congratulates our final year Victorian registrars, all of whom have passed their fellowship examinations. A number of these new consultants have already indicated that they will be joining clinics at the Foundation during 2012.

HIGHLIGHTS

Surgical Training

Several sessions were held during the year for training registrars in surgical skills. Our thanks go to Dr Alvin Chong for coordinating these sessions.

Our regular program includes:

- Updates
- Clinical meetings (through the Victorian Faculty)
- Skin schools
- Dermatopathology training sessions

Continued with the valued support of members and sponsors.

International Trainees

Last year's successful candidates, Drs

Kamaldeep Sandhu and Shoba Joseph have both joined the Foundation's Consultant Team to undertake clinics in 2011.

New international medical graduates Dr Pooja Sharma and Dr Tahereh Taklif have joined the training program as first year IMG's. We have had a number of other visiting consultants who have spent time at the Foundation to observe and/or participate in one or more of the Foundation's 23 clinics.

Nurse Education

Jane English our Clinical Operations Manager has led the provision of an interesting program of nurse education program during the year.

Sessions included:

- Attendance at the ADNA conference in Perth.
- Histopathology.
- Aesthetics training.
- Men's Health.

This is the second year of this expanded training program.



Administrative Staff Training

A number administrative staff have completed government-funded certificate courses in business administration, customer contact and health administration.

OH&S representatives have participated in Victorian WorkSafe approved courses.

GOALS FOR 2011/2012

- Secure funding for additional registrar positions.
- Develop and roll out skin health for aged care residents and staff in a pilot program at Royal Freemasons RACC.
- Provide dedicated space for education in the new Dermatology Research Centre on the ground floor.
- Continue Biologics Masterclass Program.
- Produce additional booklets and material on skin health conditions.
- Roll out new website with skin conditions and advice.

“Very professional doctors and nurses”

— Patient Feedback, 2011



RESEARCH



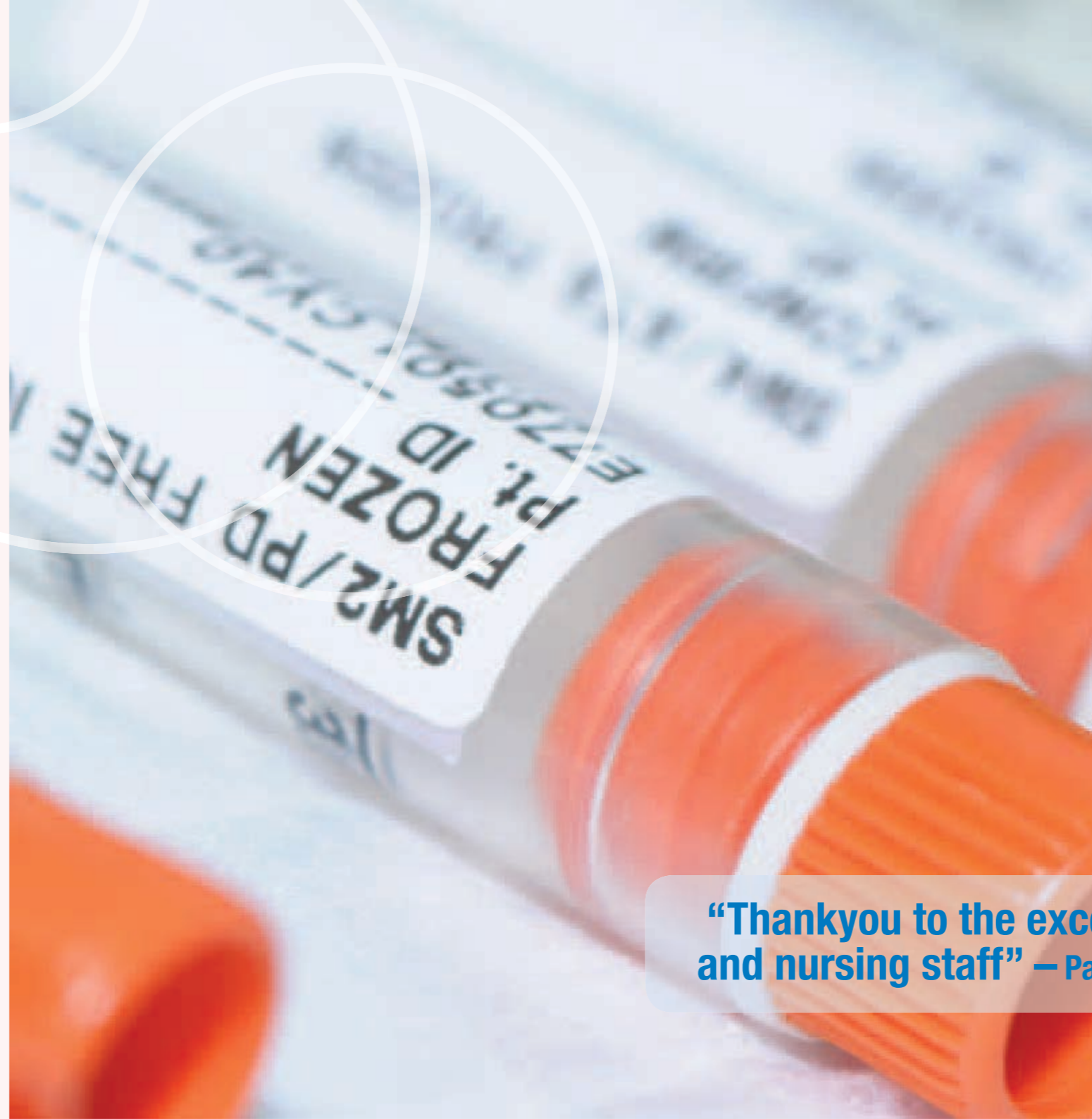
**Message from
Research Director
Associate Professor
Peter Foley.**

The research and trial department activity continues to expand. The increasing number

of clinical trials has seen the introduction of two new nurses to the team - Anne Williams and Sheri Cloutier, and will soon include the recruitment of a data entry and administrative support person.

- Research into novel oral and injectible agents for psoriasis and psoriatic arthritis continues to be a particular area of focus and trials using innovative biological therapies for atopic dermatitis, cutaneous lupus and chronic idiopathic urticaria form part of the ongoing research in the department. A new potential topical agent for atopic dermatitis has been trialed and the team has been involved with a photo-validation study for classifying severity of glabella frown lines.

- The research activity has also expanded out into healthy volunteer trials with a current study recruiting healthy participants to donate blood for the purpose of optimisation of a diagnostic test. More studies will follow in this area and form part of the work in the department.
- With a larger number of studies on board the department has seen an increased demand for patients. Clinical Trials Connect (CTC), which was established by S&CF trial nurses Mary Pym and Christine Veljanoski, has assisted with a more efficient patient recruitment process. CTC's web-based recruitment technology and online participant screening capacity has been able to reduce the pre-screening workload on busy site staff. CTC has also played a role in facilitating patient recruitment targets into trials in a more cost efficient manner. The Consumer Health Forum of Australia (CHF) has produced a Consumer Guide to Clinical Trials fact sheet which was developed in partnership with the Department of Innovation, Industry,



Science and Research. The Guide was launched in September 2011 and includes information on clinical trials that is important to consumers, such as the clinical trials process and consumer participation in trials. CTC's link has been included in the factsheet as one of two portals most relevant to Australian consumers currently. This is a great achievement for our nurses and a positive step towards better participant recruitment at the Skin and Cancer Foundation and in Australia.

- Upcoming trials at the Foundation include more studies for treatment of psoriasis, solar keratosis, rosacea and glabella frown lines.
- S&CF's arrangement with Probit Medical Research continues. PMR assist with identification of new trials for the department and offer ongoing administrative and regulatory support to the trials team. PMR will also be assisting the department with the development of new standard operating procedures (SOPs) to ensure the department's growth continues to meet regulatory and good clinical practice (GCP) guidelines and maintains service and operational excellence.

“Thankyou to the exceptional surgical team and nursing staff” – Patient Feedback, 2011



ODREC REPORT 2011 - 2012

OCCUPATIONAL DERMATOLOGY RESEARCH & EDUCATION CENTRE

- The completion of our web-based patch test program, Patchcams, combining clinic management and database. This means that clinic data is now collected electronically. Thanks to ODREC researcher/data manager/clinic nurse Amanda Palmer for her fantastic work on this project, together with our wonderful longtime computer programmer Lesley McMillan.
- Funding for different aspects of our National Contact Dermatitis Data Collection project from both Safe Work Australia and Epiderm. This project will eventually enable all Australian patchtesters to have access to the Patchcams program, customised to their own allergens, which will allow us to collect de-identified patch test data from all over Australia for the first time, to supplement our extensive Victorian database. This funding will also allow us to employ a research fellow for part of 2012. Previous research fellows have continued their interest in contact dermatitis and include Drs Adriene Lee, Helen Saunders and Jenny Cahill.
- The continuing expansion of our Contact Allergen Bank service, where we prepare and post allergens to dermatologists in order to facilitate their patch testing, especially when rare or unusual allergens are required. Twenty-eight dermatologists are now registered with the service.
- The ongoing contribution of Dr Jenny Cahill, who works one day a week on occupational dermatology research and who has contributed to a number of publications. We have recently submitted a report to Safe Work Australia on our experience of occupational contact dermatitis 1993-2010.
- The establishment of websites for two major international patch test organisations, the International Contact Dermatitis Research Group at www.icdrg.org and the Asia-Pacific Environmental and Occupational Dermatology Group at www.apeods.org. Our own website www.occderm.asn.au continues to attract hits from all over the world.
- The ongoing promotion of the Australian Baseline Series, comprising 60 allergens which we believe to be the most important for patch testing in Australia.



- Drs Adriene Lee, Jenny Cahill and Associate Professor Rosemary Nixon presented talks at the major international contact dermatitis meeting, held biennially, the European Society of Contact Dermatitis Symposium, held in Strasbourg in September 2010.
- A/Professor Rosemary Nixon was an invited speaker at the American Academy of Dermatology meeting in New Orleans in February 2011, and also spoke at the American Contact Dermatitis Society meeting in New Orleans.
- Our Melbourne group of patch testers, including colleague Dr Adriene Lee who patch tests at Monash Medical Centre, organised the content for the Contact Dermatitis Symposium at the Annual Scientific Meeting of the Australasian College of Dermatologists in Perth in May 2011.
- A/Professor Rosemary Nixon was an invited speaker and member of the Scientific Committee, of the Occupational and Environmental Exposure of the Skin to Chemicals Symposium, held in Toronto in June 2011.
- The hosting of a number of visitors to the Occupational Dermatology Clinic, including Drs Nishan Amerasinghe from Sri

- Lanka, a steady stream of South Australian registrars, Dr Caroline Heughan, a recent dermatology graduate from Toronto, hospital medical officer Dr Chris Fessa from Sydney and medical student Ms Rowena Meani from Deakin University.
- Co-ordination of Contact Dermatitis Journal Clubs, normally held before Skin and Cancer Foundation Updates. We welcome nurses Kath Frowen and now Bron Barnacle from Monash Medical Centre as well as Sue Byers, Suzette Foster and Amanda Palmer from the Foundation. Dermatologists include Drs Jenny Cahill, Adriene Lee, Helen Saunders and Wei Lim who has recently completed his training in allergy as well; and from the SCF Contact Clinic, Mei Tam and Bruce Tate. We are looking forward to Wei commencing patch testing at The Alfred next year and strengthening ties between dermatology and allergy.
- Ongoing corporate skin check consultancies which augment our research funding, as does occasional corporate consulting and medico-legal work.
- Ongoing collaborations with other researchers at both the University of Melbourne and Monash University. These include A/Prof Shyamali Dharmage, Dr



- Melanie Matheson, Dr John Burgess, Melisa Lau, Dr Tessa Keegel, Prof Malcolm Sim, not to mention collaboration with SCF Medical Officer Dr Stephanie Tan, who has written two case reports and is planning to study occupational skin cancer next year.
- Ongoing international collaborations with Professor Linn Holness (Toronto), Professor Thomas Diepgen (Heidelberg), Professor Pavikki Sustival (Finland) and Dr Danny Slodownik (Israel).
- Unfortunately a Thai dermatologist Dr Suwimon Pootongkam, who was keen to join us for a period of supervised training, gave up because of difficulties with obtaining medical registration, with the new national registration board.
- A/Professor Rosemary Nixon recently completed her term as a member of the Board of Examiners for the College and started as Chair, Victorian Faculty in February, succeeding Dr Peter Cowen.
- Finally we were thrilled to congratulate Amanda and Damian Palmer on their third child, a boy, Eli Patrick in July. Amanda is having some maternity leave (which does not seem to have stopped her working at all- just a change of location!) She will resume two days a week at ODREC in early 2013.

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Dr Alvin Chong

Workshops - Dr Alvin Chong

Organised and ran "Basic Management of Skin Cancer" Workshop for GPs, St Vincent's Hospital Melbourne August 20th 2011.

Educational resources - Dr Alvin Chong

Lead co-author of Cancer Council Victoria and Think GP Advanced Learning Interactive Module on "The Prevention and Early Detection of Skin Cancer in General Practice". This interactive module is made up of three 2-hour modules and is Category 1 RACGP accredited. <http://thinkgp.com.au/education/content/5930>

Presentations - Dr Alvin Chong

World Congress of Dermatology, 2011, Seoul, Korea.

1. Co-chair of Dermato-oncology Course at World Congress of Dermatology, May 2011, Seoul.
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Biologics Department

Year	Team member	Involvement	Event and/or Organisation	Location
2011	Barbara Radulski	Presentation, Psoriasis Overview and Treatment	Australian Gastroenterology Week Conference	Brisbane
2011	Barbara Radulski	Presentation, Systemic Therapies for Psoriasis, Registrars Training Seminar	Progress and Promise Conference	Sydney
2011 - ongoing	Barbara Radulski, Susan Anderson, Susan Byers	Co-developed / Presented, Masterclass Workshops, Biological Therapies for Chronic Plaque Psoriasis	Skin and Cancer Foundation Victoria	Melbourne
2011	Barbara Radulski	Member-Steering Committee and Co-Chair-Dermatology Nursing Representative	Progress and Promise Conference 2011	Sydney
2011	Barbara Radulski	Member-Steering Committee and Co-Chair-Dermatology Representative	Inner Circle Meeting For Nurses	Brisbane
2011	Susan Byers	Poster Presentation, Biologics Patient Education and Care Plan	Inner Circle Meeting For Nurses	Brisbane
2011	Susan Anderson	Panel Member, Setting Up a Biologics Clinic	Raising Expectations Conference 2011	Sydney
2011	Susan Anderson	Presentation, Dermatology and Rheumatology Working Together, Psoriasis and Psoriatic Arthritis Case Study	Progress and Promise Conference 2011	Sydney

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- Diagnostic accuracy in contact dermatitis, European Society of Contact Dermatitis Strasbourg, September 2010
- Contact dermatitis for allergists. Presentation to ASCIA, Melbourne, October 2010
- Welcome to first year dermatology registrars, January and July, Melbourne 2011
- Important risk factors for persistent post-occupational dermatitis. American Contact Dermatitis Society, New Orleans. March 2011.
- Cases from the coalface. Forum on occupational skin disease prevention convened by Prof Swen John. American Academy of Dermatology, Annual meeting, New Orleans, March 2011.
- (a) Contact Allergen Bank and patchcams (b) Interesting cases from the clinic (c) Identifying workers at risk of persistent post-occupational dermatitis Annual Scientific Meeting, Australasian College of Dermatologists, Perth, May 2011
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- Identifying risk factors for persistent post-occupational dermatitis. Occupational and Environmental Exposure of Skin to Chemicals. Toronto, Canada. June 2011
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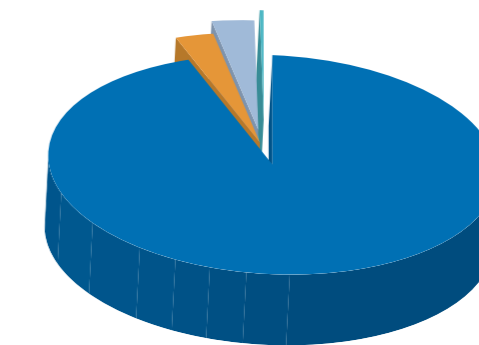
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FINANCIALS

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT JUNE 2011

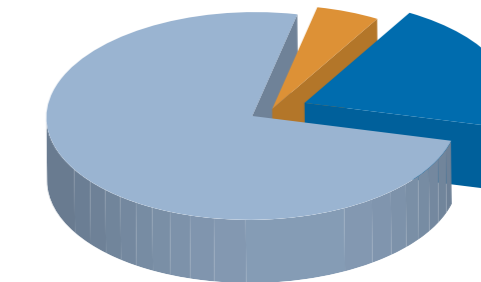
Assets	2011	2010
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 295,970	\$ 121,293
Trade and Other receivables	\$ 306,986	\$ 344,467
Other current Assets	\$ 21,426	\$ 56,000
Property Plant & Equipment	\$ 9,404,638	\$ 11,386,832
Total Assets	\$ 9,275,211	\$ 9,926,398
Liabilities		
Trade and other payables	\$ 1,043,388	\$ 1,201,664
Borrowings	\$ 3,755,852	\$ 3,818,035
Employee Benefits	\$ 248,104	\$ 205,701
Total Liabilities	\$ 5,047,345	\$ 5,225,400
Net Assets	\$ 4,852,249	\$ 4,700,998

Full audited accounts are available on request or can be downloaded from our website.
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ASSETS

- Cash and cash equivalents
- Other current Assets
- Trade and other receivables
- Property Plant & Equipment



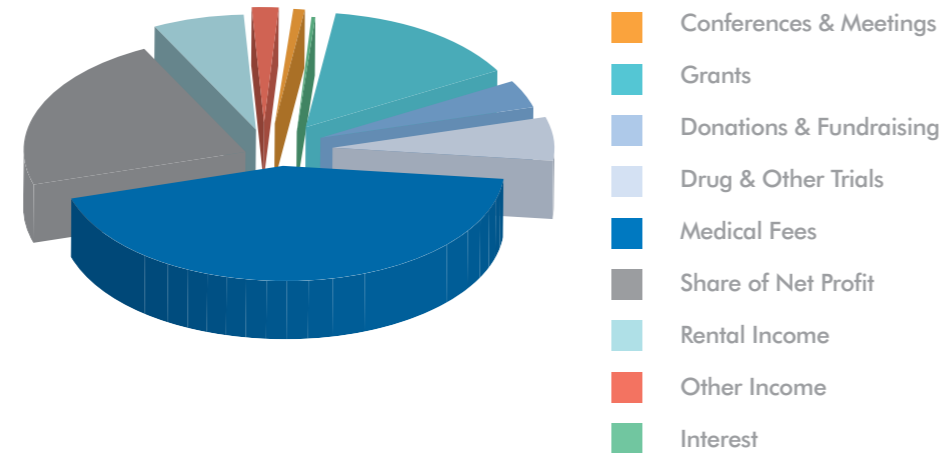
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- Trade and other payables
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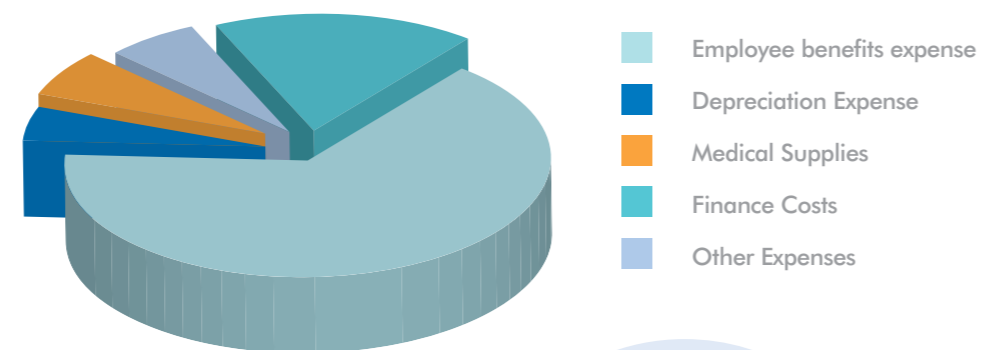
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

Revenue	2011	2010
Conferences & Meetings	\$ 43,159	\$ 37,293
Grants	\$ 696,080	\$ 406,505
Donations & fundraising	\$ 183,908	\$ 171,098
Drugs & Other Trials	\$ 300,083	\$ 408,246
Medical Fees	\$ 2,098,141	\$ 2,022,629
Share of Net Profit of Joint Venture	\$ 1,064,687	\$ 1,241,829
Rental Income	\$ 320,858	\$ 315,074
Other Income	\$ 99,882	\$ 96,031
Interest	\$ 4,866	\$ 2,201
Total Revenue	\$ 4,811,644	\$ 4,700,907
Expenditure		
Employee benefits expense	\$ 3,043,573	\$ 2,980,007
Depreciation Expense	\$ 224,685	\$ 336,545
Medical Supplies	\$ 294,046	\$ 272,337
Finance costs	\$ 290,996	\$ 243,661
Other Expenses	\$ 807,114	\$ 664,076
Total Expenses	\$ 4,660,414	\$ 4,496,625
Operations Profit	\$ 151,250	\$ 204,281
Other Income / Expenditure	-	(\$5,087,968)
Net Profit/Loss	\$ 151,250	(\$4,883,687)
Other Comprehensive Income		\$ 3,190,000
Total Comprehensive Profit/Loss	\$ 151,250	(\$1,693,687)

REVENUE



EXPENDITURE



COMMENTARY TO 2011 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Skin & Cancer Foundation generated total revenue of \$4,811,664 for the 2011 financial year, higher than last year by \$110,757.

The share of profit from the joint venture pathology is down by \$177k or 14%. However, concerted efforts were made to source other revenue including from education grants and White Night Ball. The pathology generated an increase in test volumes, however, the costs are an average \$2 per test higher, and an increase in bulk billing resulted in revenue being an average \$4 per test lower than 2010 financial year.

Revenue from medical fees increased by \$75k or 4%. The clinical activity level was similar during the 2011 financial year. The revenue stream from drug trials was lower for 2011 due to delays in conducting several trials. This will carry over into increased trials for 2012.

Total expenses for the year were up by 4% on 2010 figures, which includes a \$47k increase in finance costs which were outside the control of the Foundation.

The 2011 profit from operations was \$151,250 representing an increase of \$47k compared to the adjusted 2010 profit of \$104k excluding the one-off revenue of \$100k as a result of the bequest of an estate property mentioned above.

The Foundation's financial position and cashflows remaining strong and an additional \$50k of bank debt was paid off the property loan during the 2011 financial year.

SUPPORTERS

The Foundation gratefully acknowledges the generous support of many volunteers, individuals, philanthropic bodies, organisations and the corporate sector.

In particular we thank our member dermatologists, many of whom give their time, talents and resources regularly and generously.

The Skin and Cancer Foundation Inc. is a registered charitable organisation endorsed as a Deductible Gift Recipient and is an Income Tax Exempt Charity.

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