

Donor Recognition Program

The Linda Stevens Fund was set up by the late Mrs. Audrey Campbell (Linda's mother) and is named after Dr. Linda Stevens, who, while doing her genetics fellowship in 1982, died undergoing a heart catheterization procedure. The Fund was established to further the training of candidates to a CCMG Fellowship in one of the accredited genetic centres by participating in conferences, taking a course or undertaking training at other genetics centres. In so doing, the Linda Stevens Fund helps to ensure the continued experience in training CCMG Fellows.

The mission of the Canadian College of Medical Geneticists is to establish and maintain high quality professional and ethical standards of medical genetics services in Canada and to help ensure that the highest quality of service is delivered to the Canadian public. Through the Linda Stevens Memorial Fund, trainees are able to attend courses and conferences such as the Annual Short Course in Medical and Experimental Mammalian Genetics in Bar Harbor, Maine, the Annual David W. Smith Workshop on Malformations and Morphogenesis, the American Society of Human Genetics annual conference and training in another centre in the country.

Donor Recognition Program Categories

Current Year Donors:

Gold: \$300+

Silver: \$200-299

Bronze: \$100-199

Five Year Pledges (yearly donations of this amount pledged for five consecutive years)

Gold: \$300+

Silver: \$200-299

Bronze: \$100-199

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Gold: \$5,000+

Silver: \$2,500+

Bronze: \$1,000+

Corporate Donations

Gold: \$5,000+

Silver: \$2,500+

Bronze: \$1,000+

The CCMG Board of Directors acknowledges the importance of our members' donations. Your donation assists us to provide funding for trainees to enhance their training and enrich their knowledge of medical genetics. In order to recognize the contributions of our members to the Fund formally, we have created a Donor Recognition Program. Donors will be recognized in the CCMG Newsletter, on the CCMG website and at the Annual Scientific Meeting.

The Awards Committee is limited in the funding it can provide and has had to impose conditions on applicants to ensure that the fund remains effective and beneficial for trainees. We urge all members of the CCMG to consider donating to the Linda Stevens Memorial Fund. As donations increase, the available disbursements will also increase. Your tax-deductible donation will help us support educational opportunities for CCMG trainees.

Thank you for your support!