



School of Medicine
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Celebration of Excellence within the School of Medicine

Welcome

Surgam is always a special moment in our academic year a chance to pause, reflect, and celebrate the incredible achievements of our students and staff.

I am deeply proud of every student who has chosen to study with us here at Cardiff. Whether continuing their undergraduate journey in Medicine or pursuing postgraduate study, their commitment and accomplishments are inspiring. Their successes extend far beyond the classroom and the wards. They shine on the sports field, in research, and in the wider community. Reading the reflections from our final-year students' electives experiences is always a highlight, as they show the extraordinary local and global impact our students are already making. Their futures are bright, and I am reassured that patient care will be in safe hands.

These achievements would not be possible without the guidance and support of our dedicated university and NHS colleagues. It is a privilege to work alongside such a committed team of academics and professional services staff, whose efforts enrich the student experience every day. Celebrating their contributions is just as important as recognising the successes of our learners.

Finally, I want to thank the families and friends who join us today. Your encouragement and support underpin so much of what our students achieve. You share in their triumphs, and many of these milestones would not be possible without you.

Together, let us celebrate not only what has been accomplished, but also the promise of what lies ahead.

Professor Rhian Goodfellow OBE, MB BCH, PhD, FRCP, FAcadMed

Director of Medical Studies

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Programme

Introduction and Welcome

MBBCh Student Awards

Student presentation

In it for the long run: Ironman and Medicine
Luke Thomas

MBBCh Student Awards

Artistic interlude

MBBCh Student Awards

Artistic interlude

Intercalated Degree Awards

Medical Pharmacology Awards

Student presentation

'Ink' Outside the Box: My 3D Bioprinting Intercalation
Experience
Luke Matthey

Artistic interlude

Student presentation

From A&E to the Sea
Dr Adam Baker

Postgraduate Taught Awards

Graduate presentation

Which came first? The suturing or the sewing?
Mrs Asmaa Al-Allak

Artistic interlude

Student presentation

WAMMS: Opening Doors for Tomorrow's Medics
Sirat Gandhi, Jamie Medd

C4ME-HIVE Award

Centre for Medical Education Recognitions

Year 1 Prizes

Dean's List nominees

Students in the top 2% of their cohort are nominated for the Dean's List

Joshua Chapman
Jac Griffith
Rosanna Pitchers
Esme Scanlan
William Smith
Cerys Woods

Dean's List Winner

Top performing student in Year 1 (highest % grade for the academic year)

Katherine Harries

Alfred Sheen Prize

Best SSC literature project

Munia Awni

David Hepburn Certificate

Top team of Year 1 medical students for the best Pathophysiological project

Ravindu Dissanayaka Mudiyansele
Isabelle Forte
Emma Gardner
Alina Hussain
Ayana Jino
Alaa Khoudadaa
Bethany Middleton
Oumie Sey
Nandakishor Shanmugasigamani
William Smith
Elizabeth Wood
Amirah Yusuf

Doris Annie Morris Prize

Best graduate medical student in Year 1

Charlie Dunbar

Dr William Price Prize

Top ranking medical student in Year 1

Katherine Harries

The Samuel Brothers Scholarship

Best academic performing medical students in Year 1

Joshua Chapman
Jac Griffith
Rosanna Pitchers
Esme Scanlan
William Smith
Cerys Woods

Certificate of Merit

Students ranking in the top 20% of the year group

Ibrahim Adamali	Charlie Dunbar	Osian Maloney
Rayaan Anwar	Nia Edwards	Henry McCorry
Rebeca Atkinson	Mohammed-Jaafer El Kaddu	Joseph McKaig
Yassin Attia	Charlotte French	Maiya O'Boyle
Munia Awni	Hannah Gao	Isabel Owen
Abdelrahman Alameen Ayad	Ella Greed	Rosanna Pitchers
Laura Barnes	Rohan Grewal	Angelo Sanorjo
Efa Bellamy	Jac Griffith	Esme Scanlan
Eleanor Blake	Katherine Harries	Izabella Scariot
Kirsty Burgess	William Higgins	Sydney Smith
Austen Burnham	Eva Hounsell	William Smith
Lottie Burrows	Rebecca Hughes	Theo Stanway
Tyler Cairns	Jeffrey Jacob	Rose Sutton
Joshua Chapman	Ayana Jino	Daniel Tahir
Gabriel Charles	Joseph Jones	Cameron Ward
Yi Tung Cheung	Patrick Lane	Eve Weir
Bevan Clement	Angelika Lau	Raushan Wilk
Ahmad Dadam	Daniel Lucas	Isabella Wilson Hargreaves
Ravindu Dissanayaka	Rosie MacDonald	Cerys Woods
Mudiyanselage	Nishka Maharaj	Nicole Yarwood
Maks Donczew	Noah Mallick	Kanega Yogasekaram

Certificate of Merit (SSC)

Students ranking in the top 20% of the year group in the Student Selected Component

Adam Allouch	Sophia Hussain	William Smith
Rebeca Atkinson	Sarah Ibrahim	Theo Stanway
Munia Awni	Max John	Sofia Stevens
Abdelrahman Alameen Ayad	Joseph Jones	Mali Stevenson
Jessica Bradley	Ananya Joshi	Joshua Stokes
Kirsty Burgess	Aisha Khan	Jade Teh
Elizabeth Burnett	Emaan Khan	Elin Turner
Emily Cleaver	Isha-Anfal Khan	Cameron Ward
Ffion Edwards	Mohammed Khan	Raushan Wilk
Isabel Edwards	Alexa Kuriakose	Eli Williams
Abdelrahman Elsherbiny	Ying Lim	Isabella Wilson Hargreaves
Annabel Fea	Rosie MacDonald	Cerys Woods
Isabelle Forte	Harshal Maheshwari	
Kate Gardner	Osian Maloney	
Freya Gillson	Noah McBrearty-Gilliam	
Ella Greed	Mojoyinoluwa Olarinmoye	
Aishwarya Gunalan	Yan Ong	
Malika Hemani	Rosanna Pitchers	
Rhys Hitchings	Shyam Pulapaka	
Elizabeth Honey	Annie-Rose Rowlands	
Eva Hounsell	Esme Scanlan	

Year 2 Prizes

Dean's List nominees

Students in the top 2% of their cohort are nominated for the Dean's List

Joshua Bryan
Elena Carteciano
Ee Lim
Bethany Petch-Smith
Mohammed Suleman
Katie Williams

Dean's List Winner

Top performing student in Year 2 (highest % grade for the academic year)

Aatreya Sugur

Dr William Price Prize

Highest mark in the Year 2 summative ISCE

Joshua Bryan
Bethany Petch-Smith
Oliver Thomas

R.C. Jordan Prize

Greatest improvement in ranking between Years 1 and 2

Cadi Davies

Certificate of Merit

Students ranking in the top 20% of the year group

Samuel Adrian	Lila Hammuda
Ayshah Akhtar	Owen Hughes
Alaa Alazizi	Paige Hull
Flora Baxter	Hiba Ibrahim
Samantha Biju Joseph	Advika Iyer
Lea Brnovic	Jumana Jaheed
Joshua Bryan	Grace Jugessur
Abigail Campbell	Katy Kearns
Ffionwen Carling	Ee Lim
Elena Carteciano	Annabelle Maguire
Jessica Clarke	Arsh Mallick
Cadi Davies	Thomas Masefield
Max Duckworth	Toni Matitu
Youssef El-Sharoud	Joseph Mikhail
Angelica Estacio	Amber Milligan
Lisa Evans	Daniel Moody
Patrick Fielder	Rozalia Moore
Josie Fieldsend	Harriet Moules
Hui Foo	Ella Murrey
Yuen Fu	Finlay Newman
Sirat Gandhi	Bethany Petch-Smith
Gianni Gonzalez	Heertthana Peterarulthas
Joshua Halliwell	Ellen Pontin

Riya Rao
Alejandro Ressa Moreno
Mohammad Rishad
Ioan Roberts
Holly Semmens
Leema Shams
Dominic Stangroome
Annie Strawbridge
Aatreya Sugur
Mohammed Suleman
Mohammad Sumrien
Amelia Thomas
Oliver Thomas
Simon Tint
Isobel Turner
Samuel Underwood
Alexander White
Katie Williams
Tomos Williams
Lok Wong
Daniel Wroe

Certificate of Merit (SSC)

Students ranking in the top 20% of the year group in the Student Selected Component

Krish Aassai Kannan	Paige Hull	Annie Strawbridge
Samuel Adrian	Lul Hussein	Molly Toye
Sanjana Basude	Soham Jaybhay	Farhadh Uddin
Samantha Biju Joseph	Leonard Jesuthasan	Shayna Walia
Lauren Bowles	Daniel Jones	Katie Williams
Niah Bradley	Bronwen Kennedy	Maren Williams
Joshua Bryan	Christie Lalu	Ethan Wiseman
Katie Burwell	Isla-May Lewis	Lok Wong
Ffionwen Carling	Shriyana Logeswaran	Zyra Zafar
Zellyn Colaco	Poppy Martin-Williams	
Loveday Davies	Toni Matitu	
Georgia Davies-Payne	Olivia Merchant	
Bea Espura	Amber Milligan	
Angelica Estacio	Rebecca Morgan	
Freya Evans	Suzy Park	
Scott Finlay	Zoe Partridge	
Hui Foo	Bethany Petch-Smith	
Tomos Francis	Ffion Phillips	
Yuen Fu	Isabel Phillips	
Joshua Halliwell	Alister Scott	
Olivia Herries	Holly Semmens	
Amelia Hughes	Om Singh	
Owen Hughes	Dominic Stangroome	

Year 3 Prizes

Dean's List nominees

Students in the top 2% of their cohort are nominated for the Dean's List viva

Yaseen Almudaffer
Math Gwyn
Tom Piccolo
Thomas Wooster

Dean's List Winner

Top performing student at the Dean's List viva

Bay Hill

Special Award – Jonathan Thomas Award

Awarded after Year 3 exams for a student who has demonstrated personal achievement or a wider contribution to student life. This is a special award established by Mr and Mrs Peter Thomas in September 2002, in memory of their son, Jonathan

Garan Hallam

John McLean Prize

Best overall SSC project in Reproductive Health

Catrin Jones

Phyllis Amelia Peach Prize

Best SSC project related to care of the elderly / or aging

2nd prize

Josie Pasley

1st prize

Pritika Anthonypillai

RCGP / Excellence in Patient Pathway Award

Top student across both Patient Pathways (Patient Pathway and GP Portfolio)

Toby Levy

South Wales Ileostomy Association Prize

Best SSC project related to Medical Gastroenterology

Mohamed Alzahid

Tenovus / Velindre NHS Trust Oncology Project Prize

Highest marks in the Year 3 Oncology Project (funded by Tenovus Cancer Care and Velindre NHS Trust)

2023-24

3rd prize

Anest Edwards

2024-25

2nd prize

Rahul Chawathe
Marcelina Gozdowska
Angelina Patel
Anna Sammartino

2024-25

1st prize

Johanna Causby

Certificate of Merit

Students ranking in the top 20% of the year group

Kalid Abdel-Hameed	Bay Hill	Neve Porteous
Faith Alexander	Catrin Jones	Meenakshi Prasanth
Yaseen Almudaffer	Dafydd Jones	Panicker
Aimee Banfield	Daniel Kiely	Khaleda Rashid
Elizabeth Beardsall	Emma Klenerman	Gurman Saini
Joseff Boyce	Toby Levy	Anuj Shetty
Johanna Causby	Sze Li	Ella Shore-Nye
Hana Chenneour	Rachel McCrum	Daisy Stewart
Zakariya Chowdhury	Millie McLintock	Lydia Swainland
Shona Crick	Haris Muhammad	Luke Thomas
Michael Daldry	Morgan Nash	Bryony Tuck
Katie Dapp	William Neal	Ansruta Vijay Anand
Niamh Edwards	Eimear Ni Bhaoighill	Ellie Warr
Evan Extence	Rawan Obeid	Grace Wellington
Holly Giles	Dev Panchal	Thomas Wooster
Meera Gopinath	Shivraj Paneer Selvam	Isaac Wright
Sanskar Gupta	Angelina Patel	
Math Gwyn	Neil Patel	
Garan Hallam	Lynn Pham	
Ielaf Hamandi	Tom Piccolo	

Certificate of Merit (Longitudinal Patient Portfolio)

Students ranking in the top 20% in the Longitudinal Patient Portfolio

Ayooluwa Adeyemi	Anila Krishnan	Kezia Stanford
Fiyinfoluwa Akinade	Toby Levy	Amber Stewart
Hannah Bailey	Lily Lodwig	Daisy Stewart
Laura Bell	Lily MacKey	Niamh Thomas
Julia Bugelli	Daniel McCormack	Joel Thurston
Johanna Causby	Morgan Nash	Vanessa Torrico Anderson
Hana Chenneour	Eimear Ni Bhaoighill	Bryony Tuck
Anisa Chowdhury	Rawan Obeid	Louie Vian
Maisha Chowdhury	Iphierohe Oneyibo	Ansruta Vijay Anand
Michelle Diamond	Dev Panchal	Ellie Warr
Evan Extence	Namitha Pasunuru	Lilianne Wedgewood
Marcelina Gozdowska	Angelina Patel	Grace Wellington
Math Gwyn	Ayushi Pathak	Emma Wells
Garan Hallam	Katie Richards	Bethan Wilkins
Bay Hill	Anna Sammartino	Abigail Winsor
Merin Jacob	Jennifer Sandino	Isaac Wright
Dafydd Jones	Cerys Seal	
Mohammed Khan	Hanna Sekhon	
Zaina Khan	Anuj Shetty	
Emma Klenerman	Glesni Sion	

Year 4 Prizes

Dean's List nominees

Students in the top 2% of their cohort are nominated for the Dean's List viva

Niduk Kalu Arachchige Don
Megan McCafferty
Jamie Medd
Robyn Morley
Lewis Price

Dean's List Winner

Top performing student at the Dean's List viva

Thomas Bevis

Special Award – The Ranjith Kalupahana Award for Outstanding Contribution to Mental Health

This prize was set up by Dr Dilini Kalupahana (MBBCh 2005) in memory of her father, Dr Ranjith Kalupahana. For the student who has shown sustained commitment and contribution to psychiatry and mental health during medical school

Olivia Stillman

Division of Psychological Medicine, Clinical Neurosciences & Ophthalmology Prize

Highest mark across Psychiatry, Clinical Neurosciences and Ophthalmology formative assessments

Medha Raketla

Dora Pentol Prize – 1st prize

Best commentary on a child with malignant or life limiting conditions

Medha Raketla

Geoffrey Hodgson Prize in Dermatology 2024-2025

Top ranked medical students in the written dermatology questions

Nominees

Niduk Kalu Arachchige Don
Rasheed Shehadeh

Top performing student identified in the Dermatology viva

Winners

Megan McCafferty
Yee Ng

Iain McQueen Prize

Clinical excellence in Neuroscience

3rd prize

Mia Goddard

2nd prize

Hugo Creeth

1st prize

Ahmed Khammas

National Centre for Mental Health Prize

Awarded to the fourth year student who obtains the highest mark in the psychiatry ISCEs. Where there is a tie, students will be invited to attend a viva at the end of the academic year. The viva will be assessed by members of the Division of Psychological Medicine and Clinical Neurosciences and external examiners as available

Madelaine Grabham

Ophthalmology Prize

Based on demonstration of end-of-block Ophthalmology knowledge

3rd prize

Yasmin Rahali

2nd prize

Rachel Lavelle

1st prize

Rasheed Shehadeh

Professor Wiles Clinical Neurology Prize

Best students in clinical neurosciences

3rd prize

Robyn Morley

2nd prize

Zack Keavney

1st prize

Medha Raketla

Roselle Hewlett Prize

Best overall performance in Paediatrics based upon Year 3 & 4 SSC Projects

Medha Raketla

Rosemary Isaac Prize

Best overall SSC (Year 3 & 4) child health project

Alicia Frame

SSC Prize – AC Turnbull Prize in Obstetrics & Gynaecology

Best overall SSC project in Reproductive Health

Amy Witty

SSC Prize – Audit

Excellence in an Academic Research SSC project

Toluwani Olusoga

SSC Prize – Medical Education

Excellence in a Medical Education SSC project

Tomos Parry Jones

SSC Prize – Research

Excellence in a Clinical Research SSC project

Anest Edwards

SSC Prize – Service Improvement

Excellence in a Service Improvement SSC project

Rimsha Ali

Welsh Psychiatric Society Prize

Awarded by the Psychiatry Society to the student who has shown the greatest proficiency in psychiatric medicine

Robyn Morley

Woodhouse Prize in Geriatric Medicine

Highest performer in a case-report competition related to Geriatric Medicine

Sunaina Shah

Certificate of Merit

Students ranking in the top 20% of the year group

Isobel Annetts

Mared Arch

Varshika Balachandar

Joseph Beeney

Oliver Beresford

Thomas Bevis

Bethan Bown

Izzah Burki

Cerys Chadwick

Jessica Clements

Hugo Creeth

Thomas Davidson

Yasmeen Diranieh

Ahmed Drah

Bethany Ede

Alicia Frame

Zabiulallah Ghasemi

Thomas Glasby

Mia Goddard

Samuel Godsell

Abigail Humphries

Mohammed Illahi

Arthur Jones

Celyn Jones-Hughes

Jeffymol Joseph

Niduk Kalu Arachchige Don

Zack Keavney

Thomas Kilmartin

Kimaya Kitson

Rhys Knapper

Owen Lloyd

Iman Lozi

Katie-Rose Massey

Anna Mathew

Megan McCafferty

Jamie Medd

Lara Middlemiss

Robyn Morley

Elizabeth Nobes

Nahbi Odeh

Tomos Parry Jones

Hannah Phillips

Julie Potter

Lewis Price

Yasmin Rahali

Ella Schumann

Sunaina Shah

Rasheed Shehadeh

Aditya Singh

Laura Smith

Phoebe Spink

Hamish Tully

Harriet Wardrop

Rebecca Warland

Isabel Webb

Annabel Wright

Year 5 Prizes

Dean's List nominees

Students in the top 2% of their cohort are nominated for the Dean's List viva

Rebecca Eleri James
Yasmin Mayouf

Dean's List Winner

Top performing student at the Dean's List viva

Lois Bown

Cardiff Medical Society Prize

Student with the most outstanding record during the clinical period of the course

Lois Bown

DA Williams Prize in Therapeutics

Students showing the best evidence of clinical understanding and judgement in drug therapy

Saylan Mehmet

Elizabeth Pipe Prize

Best Child Health performance in Year 5 Progress Tests and at the Year 4 Integrated Structured Clinical Examination

Nada Ammar

Prof Shaw Prize

Best Obstetrics and Gynaecology performance in Year 4 & 5 Progress Tests and Integrated Structured Clinical Examinations

Shannon Edwards

Certificate of Merit

Students ranking in the top 20% of the year group

Nada Ammar

Florence Barker

Fidaa Bazzoun

Lois Bown

Charlotte Carbin

Alexander Carver

Rachel Casey

Claire Cornmell

Charlotte Creasey

Sarah Dalby

Ioan Davies

Sophie Evans

Emily Finn

Maria Flanagan

Patrick Forster

Rachel Franklin

Hannah Furness

Lauren Fysh

Nasir Gibril

Emily Hilton

Alexander Hodgson

Christopher Hudson

Grace Hutchinson

Jiya Jacob

Finlay Jacques

Rebecca James

William John

Nihchal Kalra

Annabelle Lim

Zoe Martin

Yasmin Mayouf

Saylan Mehmet

Lizzie O'Brien

Mohamed Omer

Louisa Rees

Roxy Rees

Matilda Roberts

Sara Roberts

Louis Shingles

Natasha Sweiry

Jasmine Templeton

Nerys Thornton

Justin Varghese

Celyn Yate

Hannah Young

Jiale Zhang

Intercalated Degrees Prizes

Harry Stevens Clinical Skills Prize in Emergency, Pre-hospital and Immediate Care

Outstanding achievement in clinical skills in Intercalated BSc in Emergency, Pre-hospital and Immediate Care

Molly Tavender

Intercalated BSc Emergency, Pre-hospital and Immediate Care Prize

Outstanding achievement in Intercalated BSc in Emergency, Pre-hospital and Immediate Care

Cara Hutchison

Intercalated BSc Prize for Medical Education

Outstanding achievement in BSc in Medical Education

**Beth McFadyen
Innes Peek**

Intercalated BSc Psychology & Medicine Prize

Outstanding achievement in BSc in Psychology & Medicine

Abbi Mustafa

Nigel Stott Prize

Outstanding achievement in BSc in Population Medicine

Rebecca Roberts

Peter Elwood Research Prize

Outstanding achievement in a research project in the Population Medicine Intercalated BSc

Christina Sam

Royal College of Emergency Medicine Wales Intercalated Research Prize

Outstanding achievement in a research project in Emergency, Pre-hospital and Immediate Care BSc

Ella Vickers

The Wolfson Foundation Intercalated Degree Award 2024/25

Prize for quality of the research proposal

**Jack Harvey
Abbi Mustafa
Molly Tavender**

Prizes awarded to C21 students intercalating outside of the School of Medicine

Athena Swan Intercalated BSc research prize for contribution to Women's Health Research

Awarded for the most valuable contribution to Women's Health Research

**King's College London – Bioscience
Lara Rowell**

McDowall Prize for Physiology

Awarded to the best student in the Department of Physiology

**King's College London – Bioscience
Lara Rowell**

Alfred Hughes Memorial Prize

Most deserving Final Year student studying components of Human Structure or Anatomy

**Cardiff University School of Biosciences
Sandra Chirapurath**



BSc Prize: dissertation in 3D Bioprinting Skin

Grant for the best project

Royal College of Surgeons of England

Luke Matthey

Oxford Medical Sciences Division Teaching Excellence Award

Awarded to the student with the most inspiring project proposal

University of Oxford, St Hilda's College – Medical Sciences Division

Kevin Lee Boon Chun

Dean's Award for Achievement

Award to students who achieve an overall degree average of 75% and above

University of Manchester, Faculty of Humanities

Ella Clifford Spence

BSc Medical Pharmacology Prizes

Year 1 Dean's List Nominees

One of the top four performing students in Year 1 (one of the four highest % grades for the academic year)

Grace Barrass
Hugo Boston
Beatrice Zanetti

Year 1 Dean's Prize Winner

Top performing student in Year 1 (highest % grade for the academic year)

Chloe Grant

Year 2 Dean's List Nominees

One of the top four performing students in Year 2 (one of the four highest % grades for the academic year)

Sara Morgan
William Purnell

Year 2 Dean's List Winners

Top performing student in Year 2 (highest % grade for the academic year)

Ellie Jones
Osokam Walter-Osedeme

Professional Placement Year: Dean's Prize winner

Top performing student in the Professional Placement Year (who has achieved a 1st class grade)

Isobelle Russell

Final Year Dean's List Nominees

One of the top four performing students in final year (one of the four highest % grades for the academic year)

Owen Harrison
Melissa Hill
Charlotte Kington

Final Year Dean's Prize Winner

Top performing student in final year (highest % grade for the academic year)

Joel Punter



British Pharmacological Society Prize

Prize for the best Science Pharmacology student

Owen Harrison

Medical Pharmacology BSc Prize

Outstanding overall achievement in the three or four year BSc

Owen Harrison
Joel Punter

Postgraduate Taught Prizes

MSc in Bioinformatics

Bronze Award

Awarded to the student with the third highest Distinction Level Dissertation in Bioinformatics

Elanor Aldridge

Silver Award

Awarded to the student with the second highest Distinction Level Dissertation in Bioinformatics

Setareh Khazaei

Gold Award

Awarded to the student with the highest Distinction Level Dissertation in Bioinformatics

Katie Baird

MSc Bioinformatics Excellence Award (full-time)

Awarded to the full-time student enrolled on the MSc Bioinformatics with the highest overall mark

Katie Baird

MSc in Critical Care

Gwobr Efydd

Awarded to the student with the third highest average in the Dissertation stage of the MSc in Critical Care

Emily Lyons

Silver Award

Awarded to the student with the second highest average in the Dissertation stage of the MSc in Critical Care

Jignna Patel

Gold Award

Awarded to the student with the highest average in the Dissertation stage of the MSc in Critical Care

Catherine Munro

MSc in Pain Management (part time)

Bronze Award

Awarded to the student with the third highest average in the Dissertation stage of the MSc in Pain Management

Esther Schmidheiny

Silver Award

Awarded to the student with the second highest average in the Dissertation stage of the MSc in Pain Management

Victoria Haincock

Gold Award

Awarded to the student with the highest average in the Dissertation stage of the MSc in Pain Management

Joseph Barry

MSc In Palliative Medicine for Health Care Professionals – Andy Fowell Award

Awarded to the student who achieved the highest mark at the end of the first year of the MSc in Palliative Medicine for Health Care Professionals

Karen Griffiths

MSc In Palliative Medicine for Health Care Professionals – Cicely Saunders Award

Award for the highest overall mark at completion of the Taught stage of the palliative care programme

Anu Thelly

MSc in Palliative Medicine for Health Care Professionals – Ilora Finlay Award

Award for the highest mark gained at Dissertation stage

Claire Forster

MSc In Palliative Medicine for Health Care Professionals – Symptom Management Best Poster Award

Award for the highest mark for the Poster Presentation on an aspect of symptom control in palliative and end of life care

India Worthington

MSc Psychiatry Excellence Award (part-time)

Awarded to the part-time student enrolled on the MSc Psychiatry with the highest overall mark

Matthew Haynes

Thomas Tsirakis MSc Psychiatry Excellence Award (Full-time route)

Awarded to the full-time student enrolled on the MSc Psychiatry with the highest overall mark

Nesrin Al Dabbas

C4ME-HIVE award

Awarded to any School of Medicine undergraduate or postgraduate taught student, or group of students, for an innovation in digital, clinical, clinical skills, scientific or other teaching

Aditya Singh

Centre for Medical Education Recognition 2026

Last year our students, staff and teaching partners, patients and service users were invited to nominate others to be recognised for their exceptional contribution to the student experience.

Nominations could be for those who have contributed by delivering excellent teaching or developing an innovation, for extraordinary support of students or prospective students, public service, courage, outstanding representation of the School of Medicine academically or in extracurricular activities, support for the NHS, enriching the student experience and much more.

This list of Recognitions also includes students who have shown outstanding professionalism in the course of their studies. What all of our nominees have in common is their commitment and enthusiasm.

The School of Medicine thanks all of those listed below and the rest of C4ME staff and NHS staff for their service to others during 2025. We also thank those who made the nominations.

Students

Shriya Aaytee
Michael Adeyemi
Hesham Ahmed
Fiyinfoluwa Akinade
Johanna Akoachere
Faith Alexander
Jeffrey Alexander
Hanifa Ali
Rimsha Ali
Natalie Amanda
Alice Amin
Radeyah Amin
Nada Ammar
Amy Anderson
Isobel Annetts
Anusha Aravindan
Mared Arch
Ellie Argyle
Minerva Arshad

Nimra Asim
Alistair Atkins
Darcey Atkinson
Avani Austin
Kate Bailey
Jaskaran Bains
Varshika Balachandar
Zoe Bannister
Lois Barber
Florence Barker
Grace Barlow
Sanjana Basude
Fidda Bazzoun
Joel Beard
Joseph Beeny
Naeema Begum
Thomas Bevis
Abbas Bilal
Anousheh Bilal

Jasmine Blight
Bethan Bown
Lois Bown
Ashley Brice
Amelie Bridges
James Britton
Catrin Brodrick
Olivia Brown
Ryan Browne
James Bull
Izzah Burki
Marcia Burrows
Abi Butt
Amelia Cameron
Anna Capey
Isabelle Carter
Naa Cato
Alaa Cattaeh
Danya Cattaeh

Johanna Causby
Kai Tuomas Chang
Lydia Chapman
Rahul Chawathe
Ben Cheeseman
Rayan Cherif
Je Yin Chooi
Maisha Chowdhury
Zakariya Chowdhury
Jessica Clements
Eve Clyne
Michael Cogbill
Finn Coles
Joseph Corlett
Megan Cosgrove
Martha Coughlan
Eleni Coutsouri
Hugo Creeth
Shona Crick

Robert Curtis	Alice Eagles	Lydia Foulkes	Jessica Gregory	Tudor Hughes	Oliver Jones
Olivia Curtis-Hughes	Josie Eales-Davies	Carla Foxworthy	Sophie Griffiths	Abigail Humphries	Sam Jones
Cardiff University Women in Surgery Society	Joel Eapen	Robert Fragiacomio	Zuzanna Grygiel	Kezia Hutchings	Celyn Jones-Hughes
Widening Access to Medicine Mentoring Scheme (WAMMS)	Niamh Edwards	Alicia Frame	Sanskar Gupta	Manon Hutchings	Chrystine Jongco
Nada Dahan	Shannon Edwards	Isabelle Frewin	Math Gwyn	Grace Hutchinson	Jeffymol Joseph
Sarah Dalby	Uwaila Ehioghae	Hannah Furness	Mohammed Hafiz	Eliza Hyde	Matthew Jukes
Michael Daldry	Taha Elamin	Lauren Fysh	Ielaf Hamandi	Kaya Ilksa	Siddhanth Kachroo
Amelia Davies	Phoebe Elias	Ella Gambold	Fatima Hameed	David Jackson	Nihchal Kalra
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