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# Rosettes & Ribbons

**Dr. R. Wayne Randolph (V'74)** has been elected president of the Metropolitan New Jersey Veterinary Medical Association, one of the largest local associations in the country.

**Dr. Daniel Cohen**, research professor of epidemiology, was recently named to the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture's committee on swine health policies. Dr. Cohen received a grant from the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture to study pseudorabies in wildlife. Dr. Cohen presented papers on Lyme disease at the International Veterinary Meeting in Montreal and at the New York Academy of Sciences in New York.

**Dr. B. Thomas Goodwin**, lecturer in laboratory animal medicine, was recently certified as a Diplomate of the American College of Laboratory Animal Medicine.

**Ms. Audrey Boring**, appointment desk supervisor at VHUP, received the "Warm Fuzzy" award from the Bucks-Montgomery VMA, the Southern New Jersey VMA, the Keystone VMA, and the Suburban VMA. The award is presented each year by the associations to a clinician or staff member for excellent service to referring veterinarians and clients. It is presented at the Practitioners/Interns/Residents Picnic at the Philadelphia Zoo.

**Dr. David Nunamaker (V'68)**, Jacques Jenny Professor of Orthopedic Surgery, was appointed a member of the Scientific Advisory Committee of the Grayson Foundation. He also participated in the *International Sun Valley Workshop on Hard Tissue* in August, where he presented some of his work on "Fatigue fractures in horses," supported by the New York Division of the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association.

**Dr. Adrian R. Morrison**, professor of anatomy and head, Laboratories on Anatomy, has been given a Merit Award by the National Institute of Mental Research, designed to provide ten year's funding for his research into the brain mechanisms of sleep. He has also been appointed to the Science Council of The Intra-Science Foundation, an industry-based foundation that supports new research directions and sponsors international symposia that often honor distinguished medical scientists. He will also represent the Society for Neuroscience at a special meeting of the Trans-National Institutes of Health Sleep Research Coordinating Committee to assist NIH in planning ways to foster research into sleep and its disorders.

**Dr. James Wilson**, medical director of VHUP, was elected by the House of Delegates to the AVMA Council on Public Relations.

Philadelphia Magazine presented "Best of Philly" Awards to **Dr. Susan K. McDonough (V'68)** and **Dr. Donald W. Stremme (V'75)**. Dr. McDonough operates The Cat Hospital in Philadelphia, and Dr. Stremme owns the Center City Animal Hospital, a small animal practice. Both veterinarians were singled out by the magazine for providing superb service to their clients.

**Dr. Sherbyn W. Ostrich (V'63)** has been elected to the 16-member Executive Board of the American Veterinary Medical Association. Dr. Ostrich will represent veterinarians in Delaware, the District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Virginia.

**Dr. David S. Kronfeld**, Elizabeth and William Whitney Clark Professor of Nutrition, was invited to speak on "Dietary goals for aged and caged animals" at the Bee-Kay Feed Symposium in Birmingham, England, in June. He also spoke on "Emergency planning for nuclear accidents: The role of the veterinarian" at the World Veterinary Congress in Montreal, Canada, in August. In September he presented a lecture on "Dietary interventions for chronic renal failure of dogs" and a poster on "Cholesterol kinetics in dogs" at the International Symposium on *Nutrition, Malnutrition and Dietetics of Dogs and Cats* in Hannover, Germany.

**Dr. Robert J. Washabau (V'82)**, lecturer in medicine, is now a Diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine.

**Dr. Jeffrey A. Wortman (V'69)** has been promoted to associate professor of radiology in the Department of Clinical Studies, Philadelphia.

**Dr. Carl A. Ritter**, associate professor of pharmacology, participated in a NATO Advanced Study Institute on *Targeting of Drugs, Anatomical and Physiological Considerations*, in June in Greece. He presented two research communications.

**Dr. Corinne R. Sweeney**, assistant professor of medicine, received BRSF funding to study "Mucociliary transport rate in the horse and its modification with various therapeutic agents."

**Dr. Larry T. Glickman (V'72)** has been promoted to professor of epidemiology.

**Dr. Victoria Voith**, adjunct assistant professor of medicine, presented two papers at the 1987 Animal Behavior Society meeting in June in Williamstown, MA.

Grayson Foundation grants were recently received by **Drs. Virginia B. Reef, Benson B. Martin, Ken Stebbins, and Jill Beech**. Drs. Reef, Martin, and Stebbins are evaluating tendon and ligament injuries ultrasonographically and correlating these findings with gross and histopathologic changes in the tissues. Dr. Beech received funding for clinical and *in vitro* muscle studies on horses with exertional rhabdomyolysis ("tying-up") and the therapeutic effects of diphenylhydantoin and dantrolene.

**Dr. E. Neil Moore**, professor of physiology, gave an invited lecture in London before the *International Conference on the Management of Cardiac Arrhythmias*, sponsored by the British Heart Foundation. In addition, he chaired the session on "Basic Cardiac Electrophysiology." He was also invited to present a paper before the *Third International Symposium on Cardiac Ablation*. He was on the Task Force Committee organizing the *International Workshop on Cardiac Repolarization* and presented a paper on "Electrophysiological basis of QT prolongation," and also chaired the session on the "Dynamics of the QT interval modulation." Dr. Moore is again co-chairman of the Pennsylvania Heart Association Research Evaluation Committee and chairman of the Peer Research Review Committee.

**Dr. Robert R. Marshak and Robert H. Whitlock** were recent recipients of the bronze medallion signifying membership in the National Academies of Practice during a meeting held in Washington in September. The National Academies of Practice has nine constituent groups within the health professions and will serve as a policy-making advisory group for the United States Congress.

**Dr. Charles E. Benson**, associate professor of microbiology, and **Dr. Robert J. Eckroade**, associate professor of poultry pathology, gave presentations on research on salmonella in poultry to the Pennsylvania Poultry Servicemen meeting in September.

**Dr. Ellen Ziemer**, lecturer in medicine, is now a Diplomate in the College of Veterinary Internal Medicine. She has also recently been named director of clinical laboratory medicine at New Bolton Center.

**Dr. Lynne S. Frankhouser-Keller (V'82)** received her Master of Science degree in Laboratory Animal Medicine from the Milton S. Hershey Medical Center, Pennsylvania State University, Hershey, PA. She is employed by Bristol-Myers Co. Wallingford, CT, as their laboratory animal veterinarian.

**Dr. William Chalupa**, professor of nutrition, has been invited to serve on the Committee of Animal Nutrition of the Board of Agriculture, National Research Council.

**Drs. Darryl N. Biery, Susan Donoghue, David Kronfeld, and Jeffrey A. Wortman** presented professional programs at the AAHA Northeast Region Annual Meeting in Montreal in December. **Dr. Eric Clough (V'69)** was the program chairman for the event, which presented four days of professional courses.

**Dr. Dean Richardson**, assistant professor of surgery, participated as a speaker at the 15th American College of Veterinary Surgeons' Chicago Surgical Forum.

**Dr. William Moyer**, associate professor of sports medicine, gave three presentations at the Ocala Equine conference in October.

**Dr. Deborah V. Wilson**, lecturer in anesthesia, presented an abstract at the Annual Scientific Meeting of the A.C.V.A. in Atlanta, GA, in October.

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**Frederick D. Dobby**, a third-year student, is the recipient of a scholarship by the Union County Kennel Club. **Janet Crawford**, a senior, is the recipient of a scholarship provided by the Westminster Kennel Foundation. The first recipient of the Janet F. Cottier Scholarship, established by the Princeton Small Animal Rescue League, is **Lisa A. Macom**, a first-year student. **Michaels Mikovsky**, a senior, received the Merck Company Foundation scholarship.