

FACULTY OF MEDICINE AND HEALTH

Excellent Longstanding Service to Undergraduate Clinical Education 2019

- Do you have a long-serving member of staff who has been committed to teaching excellence and supported Leeds medical students over many years?
- Leeds School of Medicine wishes to recognise NHS clinical teachers & other NHS staff for their outstanding commitment

Further details and how to apply are available at: https://medicinehealth.leeds.ac.uk/news/article/230/excellent_longstanding _service_to_undergraduate_clinical_education_2019

Presentation of the awards will take place at the Professionalism Ceremony on 25th October 2019 Need further information? Contact Elizabeth Allen for informal enquiries:

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Deadline 28 June 2019



Winners of the Leeds School of Medicine Awards in 2018

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Barry Ewart was the Community Education Development Officer for 18 years in the School of Medicine. Barry worked persistently to develop the School's links with community organisations. He ensured that our students had access to these organisations to support their education, always looking at the quality of the placement and the safety of students.

Vanessa Gray supported student learning since she first started work as a Project Assistant in the School of Medicine's general administration in 1998. In 2003, Vanessa was promoted to a Project Officer in the newly formed Medical Education Unit under Professor Trudie Roberts. Latterly, Vanessa worked as the Monitoring & Evaluation Officer in Leeds Institute of Medical Education. Vanessa's role was pivotal in placement improvement and establishing a student-centred culture.

Dr Pat Harkin worked for the University for over a third of a century. He spent 43 years in Leeds. Pat trained as a Histopathologist and started as a Lecturer in Pathology in the School. He held a variety of roles over the years including IT, Staff & Student Representative, Academic Sub Dean, Associate Director of Student Support, Deputy Director of Admissions, and Academic Integrity Officer. Pat always had the best interests of students at heart, and over his working career in the medical school made a hugely positive impact on student experience and support.

Dr Hugh Larkin worked as a Consultant Physician and Cardiologist, Harrogate District Hospital since 1983, and was the lead for the Year 5 Cardiology placement. He showed immense enthusiasm for and contribution to undergraduate teaching spanning three and a half decades. His colleagues commended his superb clinical and teaching manner on the acute medical ward, and he continuously received excellent student feedback.

Dr Karen Lee worked at the University since 1982, during which time she made a tremendous contribution to student education through research-informed teaching, curriculum development, programme leadership, student supervision and mentoring and advising colleagues. In particular, Karen taught on and was the programme Lead for an Intercalated Programme; the co-Director of the Leeds EXSCEL Scholarship Programme since 2006, and was the Director of Postgraduate Studies.

Dr Karen Needham was a GP partner and honorary senior lecturer for over 20 years at College Lane Surgery, Ackworth, Pontefract. Throughout this time she showed great commitment and enthusiasm for undergraduate teaching. Karen played an integral role in developing the teaching programme gaining consistently excellent feedback from students.

Godfrey Pell worked within Assessments on the MBChB programme for 15 years. The reputation of Leeds' assessment practices on the MBChB has grown to the point that we are now world leaders. To a very great extent, this success has been a result of the scholarship, research and hard work of Godfrey over this time, bringing recognition and prestige to the School and University. Godfrey's work has included the development of quality assurance good practice as a result of a long-running programme of high quality published research.