

McMaster Pediatrics Residency Program Bosco Paes Teaching Award

Reflecting Dr Paes' dedication to teaching and his unique ability to teach evidenced based medicine while still being able to share relevant clinical anecdotes; the Dr Bosco Paes teaching award was created to recognize residents who display a passion and proficiency for education.

The Award will be presented each year at the Resident Appreciation event. The award consists of a bursary, as well as a certificate recognizing the achievement.

Submissions must be received by June 1st and consist of letters of support. Multiple letters may be submitted for a nominee as well as a single letter signed by multiple individuals. Letters should comment on how the nominee has displayed a passion and proficiency for education (see adjudication criteria).

Submissions should be sent to Dr M Ladhani, Pediatric Residency Program Director, c/o Laura Klyne, HSC 3N11H

Eligibility:

Residents must be in third or fourth year of the McMaster University Pediatric Residency Program.

Residents, medical students or faculty can initiate nominations.

Residents may only be nominated once during their residency.

Adjudication Criteria:

Some areas that the Awards Committee will consider include:

- Passion for teaching
- Proficiency in delivering clear and relevant information
- Quality of clinical and bedside teaching
- Teaching at a high academic level
- Comprehension and appropriate use of the literature
- Appropriateness of teaching for level of trainees
- Ability to relate to and appreciate patient needs
- Being a positive role model
- Interest in trainees' personal development and well-being
- Commitment to the evaluation process
- Encouragement of a team approach
- Innovative techniques
- Connecting teaching with problem solving and research

- Generates a desire for continued learning.
- Is prepared, organized and able to explain the subject clearly.
- Is respected and trusted by students.
- Instills in students interest and enthusiasm for the subject.
- Presents the subject matter at a level appropriate to students.
- Dedication to teaching all members of the health care team.

Please contact Laura Klyne or Dr M Ladhani for any further information.

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