

# GIVING TO THE NEXT GENERATION

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Yong Loo Lin  
School of Medicine

“Singapore’s ageing population presents new healthcare challenges. The country needs more doctors and nurses as well as researchers to meet our expanding healthcare needs. Your support will make a meaningful difference by helping to train and educate tomorrow’s healthcare professionals.”

**ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR YEOH KHAY GUAN**

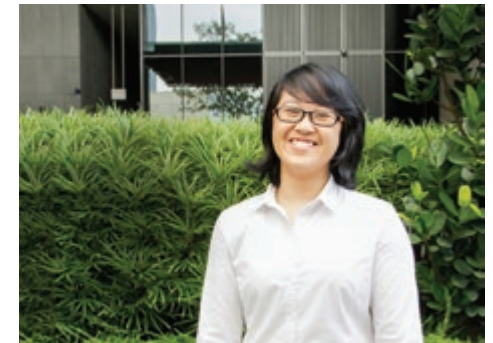
Dean, NUS Medicine



## The hard truths behind why we need your support.

The National University of Singapore (NUS) Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine estimates that one in four students will face financial difficulties that could jeopardise their medical studies. More bursaries are required to meet the increasing need for undergraduate financial aid.

The School is committed to ensuring that no deserving student is denied a medical education because of financial hardship.



“I can focus on studies and activities that make me a better doctor.”

**ANGELINE TEY**

Class of 2016,  
Bursary Recipient



I am Kristy Beckwith,  
and I am a fourth year  
medical student.

Four years ago,  
help came when  
I needed it.

**KRISTY BECKWITH**  
Class of 2017  
Bursary Recipient

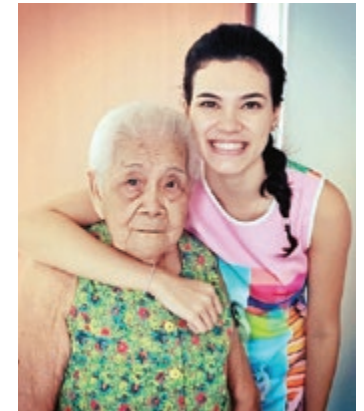


My mum and I knew what  
we were getting ourselves  
into when I wanted to be a  
doctor. Her salary was barely  
enough for my unwell aunt,  
grandmother, brother, mum  
and I to live on.

The struggle was real but  
we were unmoved. We were  
however moved by the help  
that was available for me.  
It was relieving.

Life has taken a good turn  
for me. I am where I wanted  
to be. I don't have to work  
part-time to support myself  
anymore so I have time for  
school activities and go on  
overseas community trips.

**It has been truly  
empowering.**





I am Dr Tay Miah Hiang, and I helped set up the OncoCare Medical Bursary.

I want to help students who were in the same situation as me.

**DR TAY MIAH HIANG**  
Class of 1992  
Consultant Medical Oncologist,  
OncoCare Cancer Centre  
Bursary Recipient and Donor

I didn't come from a rich family. My father gave me a sum of money and told me it was for my entire five years. The fees were raised in my final years of study and I did not have enough. But in the end I managed with a bursary.

I have reached a point in life where I can start to help people and I've always liked the idea of paying it forward.

We came up with a bursary because medical school isn't cheap and we didn't want financial difficulties to be a hindrance to potential students.

I sincerely encourage you to share your rewards with the community. The effect is endless. **I am where I am now because of someone like you.**



## NUS Medicine is a leading medical school in Asia. Our donors' support helped make this possible.

Led by businessman Tan Jiak Kim, a group of merchants petitioned the British colonial government and raised funds to establish the School. In 1912, it received an endowment of \$120,000 from the King Edward VII Memorial Fund and was renamed the King Edward VII Medical School.

NUS Medicine's centennial in 2005 saw the School renamed as the NUS Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine in acknowledgement of a seminal gift from the Yong Loo Lin Trust.

These generous gifts by one or more people have supported the School in its mission of educating generations of compassionate medical and healthcare professionals for Singapore and the effect is still evident.



"I have benefited tremendously from an NUS education and hope to give back and make a difference to someone's future."

**ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR LYNETTE SHEK PEI-CHI**

Class of 1994  
Department of Paediatrics  
Donor

## The effect of your giving is exponential.

Your support will go into funding bursaries for underprivileged students, postgraduate scholarships, professorships and research priorities, and will be valuable in addressing bigger needs.

It will have a significant impact on the quality of patient care in our local and global communities in many ways, for many people, over a long time. The effect of your gift goes a long way. **You can make a difference.**



## Our funding needs for 2016 and beyond.

In addition to bursaries which help underprivileged students, gifts towards scholarships, professorships and research are also crucial in supporting the School's mission of transforming healthcare for the future

### A BURSARIES FOR UNDERPRIVILEGED STUDENTS

More bursaries are required to meet the increasing need for undergraduate financial aid. Your gift will help free our needy medical students of financial worries, allowing them to focus on their studies and be part of campus life. With your support, the School will be able to remain committed to ensuring that no deserving student is denied a medical education.

A named bursary can be established with a minimum expendable gift of **S\$45,000** or a minimum endowed gift of **S\$150,000**.

### B POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

Your gift will help admit more outstanding candidates who will work on innovating solutions that will help to improve healthcare in Singapore.

A named scholarship can be established with a minimum expendable gift of **S\$45,000** or a minimum endowed gift of **S\$150,000**.

### C PROFESSORSHIPS

Professorships will help us to recruit and retain renowned experts to teach and mentor doctors who will shape the future of healthcare.

A named professorship can be established with a minimum expendable gift of **S\$600,000** or a minimum endowed gift of **S\$3 million**.

## D RESEARCH PRIORITIES

Funding is needed to support collaborative research with institutions, agencies and universities that will improve healthcare in Singapore.

A named research fund can be established with a minimum expendable gift of **S\$150,000** (minimum of S\$50,000 per annum for three years) or a minimum endowed gift of **S\$625,000**.

Research efforts will be coordinated through some of these centres:

### **Centre for Personalised and Precision Health (CPPH)**

Research at the CPPH seeks to use large amounts of data, including genomic technologies, to ensure that patients receive the therapies that are the most appropriate for them, which in turn maximises the effectiveness of the therapies while minimising the risk of side effects. CPPH focuses on disorders that are common in the region or which manifest differently in Asians, and where necessary, new therapies will be developed for these patients.

### **Centre for Health Service and Policy Research (CHSPR)**

CHSPR connects healthcare workers, patients, researchers, policy and decision makers to tackle complex themes in the fast-changing nature of health services deliveries.

### **Centre for Functional Ageing (CFA)**

CFA seeks to better understand the problems of ageing and help Singaporeans remain healthy and functional as they grow older. The Centre takes a biological, clinical and sociological approach to improve the health span of Singaporeans and help them cope with the multifaceted challenges of ageing in a holistic manner.

### **Centre for Healthcare Innovation and Medical Engineering (CHIME)**

Guided by clinical needs and regulatory expertise in applied technology, CHIME combines the tremendous capabilities of the University in Engineering, Medicine, Design, Computing, Public Health to address healthcare needs of patients and the ageing population.

### **National University Centre for Organ Transplantation (NUCOT)**

Research at NUCOT aims to drive translational research from the clinic to the bench and back to the clinic to improve transplant outcomes for the Asian population.

### **Centre for Medical Education (CenMED)**

CenMED leads, promotes and drives expertise in educational innovations, scholarships, leadership and management for medical and healthcare professionals to ensure the highest standards of graduates to meet our future healthcare needs.

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