CSCC Award for Outstanding Contribution to Clinical Chemistry

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Edward Young

Ed Young is currently discipline director, Clinical Chemistry and Immunology, Hamilton Regional Laboratory Medicine Program, Hamilton, Ontario. Dr. Young is also a Professor in the Department of Pathology and Molecular Medicine at McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario.

Dr. Young received his B.Sc., M.Sc., and Ph. D. degrees from the University of Toronto in 1969, 1972 and 1977, respectively. Ed completed the University of Toronto Diploma Programme in Clinical Biochemistry in 1984 and became a fellow of the Canadian Academy of Clinical Biochemistry the same year. His entire career has been in Hamilton since completion of his post-doctoral training in Toronto.

Ed has been very active in CSCC activities over the past 20 years. He served as CSCC Newsletter editor from 1985 – 1988. He also served as a CSCC councillor, member of the nominating committee, Chair of the Bylaws Committee and Chair of the Publications Division from 1997 – 2003. Ed also served on the Canadian Academy of Clinical Biochemistry Credentials committee from 1994 – 2000.

Dr. Young has been an active reviewer of manuscript submissions to various journals and serves on the editorial board of Clinical Biochemistry.

Ed is an active researcher at McMaster and continues to receive external funding as a principal investigator and co-investigator. The area of his research is heparin mechanism of action, heparin resistance, etc.

Dr. Young is an active student advisor at McMaster University and continues to serve on several supervisory committees for M.Sc and Ph.D. candidates.

Ed recently completed a six-year term as a Member of the Board of Directors, Chinese Canadian Council of the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Ontario in 2003.

Ed Young is a very worthy recipient of the 2005 CSCC Award for Outstanding Contribution to Clinical Chemistry. On behalf of the Canadian Society of Clinical Chemists, I wish him continued success in his future academic and professional activities in the profession of Clinical Chemistry in Canada and internationally. I am sure that Ed will continue to be an active member of the CSCC in his quiet but effective manner.

Congratulations, Ed!