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On the cover, Doctor of Pharmacy students gather in groups on the first floor of the new Pharmaceutical and Biomedical Sciences building in Spokane. On the back, Dean Gary Pollack holds the door of the new building open for Doctor of Pharmacy students, who began attending classes there in January. Cover photos by Cori Mederios of WSU.

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WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE OF PHARMACY
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I consider 2013 to have been a truly exceptional year for the College of Pharmacy.

In December, we officially opened and dedicated the new Pharmaceutical and Biomedical Sciences Building. We are proud of our new facility and all that it represents, not just for the College of Pharmacy but for Washington State University and the Spokane region.

In reflecting on the past year (or perhaps more accurately, the last 18 months) it is clear the College has reached some major milestones, much more than just getting the college onto a single campus. At the risk of omitting something important, I offer the following examples:

• We have fundamentally changed how student performance is evaluated, and in doing so, how students are engaged in the classroom. Migrating from a traditional grading system to a modified pass/fail system was a significant change, and required an “all hands on deck” approach. We had to implement new exam software and create a comprehensive strategy for identifying and re-engaging students who struggle with specific topics. We now have an extraordinarily progressive approach to preparing future practitioners.

• We were active and successful recruiters. A total of 14 new faculty have joined the College since July 1, 2012, a growth rate that I am quite sure is unmatched anywhere else. The success in attracting the top candidate out of each search was phenomenal. In addition, we changed the philosophy and approach to recruiting students into each of our degree programs.

• We developed and implemented a new strategic plan, with substantial expectations for scholarly productivity and graduate education, and with a desire to be more visible within academic pharmacy on the national stage.

• We have expanded our programmatic offerings in significant ways. We launched an Honors Program for our first-year students. We built the foundation for a dual PharmD/MBA degree option. We continued to expand and improve our PhD program.

I am extremely fortunate to work with such an outstanding group of unit leaders, a talented faculty, and a dedicated staff. I extend my congratulations and thanks to them for our many accomplishments.

I also offer my gratitude to you, our Alumni and Friends, who made so many things possible for us in 2013. You make us even more exceptional in what we are able to offer to our students. Other than being field manager of the Chicago Cubs, I cannot envision a better job than the one I have.

Sincerely,

Gary Pollack, PhD
Dean of the College of Pharmacy
On December 6, 2013, the new Pharmaceutical and Biomedical Sciences building was officially dedicated and the WSU College of Pharmacy finally put the “split” campus concept to rest. While many alums have fond memories of Pullman, the potential for learning and collaboration on WSU’s health sciences campus in Spokane in a state-of-the-art building is helping the College of Pharmacy garner interest nationwide.

At the dedication ceremony, graduate student Emily Cox explained to the audience how the new building on campus would make scientific research easier for her.

“Good science is hard,” Cox said, “and very hard on a campus where resources and space were stretched to the limit.” Cox said that she and other students often had to haul supplies back and forth between buildings, go to other buildings to ask questions of fellow researchers, and go to yet another building to work at their desks. The new building features open-concept research labs and grouped-together graduate student work stations.

“Now my colleagues’ lab benches will be in the next room instead of across campus, which means we can talk to each other and collaborate, and collaboration makes good science.”

According to Dean Gary Pollack, the new building “is equivalent to the best pharmaceutical and biomedical sciences building anywhere in the nation” and is “second to none.” If you would like to schedule a tour of the new building, please call the Alumni Relations office at 509-368-6675. The College’s open house in December was sponsored in part by Rite Aid.
HSSA Awards College
$1.965 Million

The College submitted successful grant proposals to Health Sciences and Services Authority (HSSA) of Spokane County and in December was awarded $1.965 million, which will be used to help with recruitment packages for three research-active faculty and complete the build-out of core research laboratory infrastructure for the new Pharmaceutical and Biomedical Sciences building.

“These funds will help us continue to attract top talent to the campus and to fund critical core laboratory infrastructure required by these researchers,” said College Dean Gary Pollack. “We simply would not be where we are today without HSSA’s support.”

It was the second such grant from HSSA, which receives funding from the sales tax in Spokane County. In 2011, HSSA granted the College approximately $1.4 million for startup recruitment packages for two research-active faculty and to help purchase core laboratory equipment.

Lecture Series on Career Choices

Daniel Buffington, the president and practice director at Clinical Pharmacology Services Inc. in Tampa, Fla., kicked off this five-lecture series early in November. This is the third year the College has offered the series to expose students to pharmacy thought leaders and innovators. Buffington is also on faculty at the University of South Florida College of Medicine and Pharmacy. His practice specializes in providing medication therapy management services for patients taking medications for chronic conditions or medications considered high-risk.

Two pharmacy administrators from Yakima Valley Memorial Hospital in Yakima, Wash., -- both alums of the College -- delivered the second presentation later in November. Russ Myers ’77, the new CEO at YVMH, and Carol VanEvenhoven ’99, a care-line director there, challenged students to keep an open mind when presented with opportunities to grow and learn, namely, positions in administration, management or taking a leadership role.

Myers highlighted the need to drive care out of the hospital and emergency room, the two places where care is the most expensive. Pharmacists understand complex care plans, have clinical training and drug expertise, and are in a perfect position to play a role in keeping patients out of the hospital and contribute to the solution of the nation’s healthcare challenges.

The key is including pharmacists at the primary care level, Myers said.

The remaining three lectures were set for spring semester in 2014.
Top Public Health Pharmacist Speaks at Commencement

Rear Admiral Scott F. Giberson, currently serving as the Acting Deputy U.S. Surgeon General and the director of the U.S. Public Health Service Commissioned Corps – with its more than 6,500 public health professionals of all disciplines – was keynote speaker at commencement in May.

Giberson is the primary author of the landmark 2011 Pharmacy Report to the U.S. Surgeon General that facilitated a nationwide effort to recognize pharmacists as providers. In his commencement remarks, Rear Admiral Giberson inspired our graduates: “You are health care providers…trusted members of communities. You have the ability to prevent and treat disease, to educate, to heal. What an awesome responsibility and privilege to affect health care.”
Donald L. Spedden, a clinical pharmacist at Deaconess Hospital in Spokane, was named the 2013 Preceptor of the Year by the WSU College of Pharmacy. Spedden was nominated by students and is one of about 350 active preceptors who supervise students while they complete the series of six-week rotations in their final year of the pharmacy program. One student nominator said, “His energetic and motivating personality makes him the ideal mentor that every student should have.” Another said, “Don takes the extra effort to develop a close relationship with students and provides what he can to make sure students get the most out of his rotation.” Spedden has been a WSU preceptor at Deaconess since 2001 and is a 1983 graduate of the WSU pharmacy program. The preceptor award recognizes outstanding contributions to the educational development of future pharmacists by demonstrating high standards of professionalism, ethics and clinical practice.

Janet M. Kusler ‘80 was named Preceptor of the Year by the National Community Pharmacists Association Foundation. Kusler has been a preceptor for WSU for more than 20 years. Erik Nelson ‘13 initiated the nomination after spending time at Kusler’s Pharmacy in Snohomish in fall 2012. Her influence was profound, he said, and it changed the way he thought about his future; Erik purchased 6th Avenue Medical Pharmacy in Spokane last fall from another mentor, Jerry Stocker ‘55. Kusler is the 11th recipient of the annual national award, which was presented at the NCPA annual convention in Orlando, Fla., in October. Winners must demonstrate high standards of professionalism and a commitment to students as professional mentors and teachers.

Thirteen WSU Doctor of Pharmacy students scored in the 90th percentile or higher on a national curriculum assessment exam administered early in 2013 by the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy. The students were among 1,843 pharmacy students nationally who took the exam. A score in the 90th percentile means the student scored at or higher than 90% of the examinees.

“The Pharmacy Curriculum Outcomes Assessment exam is an independent, objective, external measure of student performance in US pharmacy curricula,” said Brenda Bray, assessment director at the College. “The 220 multiple choice questions are divided to assess four areas: basic biomedical sciences, pharmaceutical sciences, clinical sciences, and social and administrative sciences, and we use the results of the exam as one source of information for curriculum evaluation,” Bray said.

The students were honored at a luncheon hosted by Dean Gary M. Pollack.

Students who scored in the 90th percentile or higher on a national curriculum exam were treated to a recognition lunch by Dean Gary M. Pollack. Pictured from left to right are: Matthew Johnson, Brayton Zipse, Brett Kittle, John Steiner, Andy Ho, Ross Bindler, Eric Yancey, Svetlana Melnik, Joseph Gallegos, Susan Yoon, Tony Hoang, Saranne Egger, Rachel Ellis and Dean Pollack.
New Administrative Faculty

Andrea Lazarus is a clinical professor, assistant vice president for research in the clinical health sciences for WSU, and associate dean for research within the College of Pharmacy. She is responsible for helping the WSU health sciences campus develop a competitive environment for pursuing health-related research, including clinical studies. Before joining WSU, Lazarus was administrator of the National Institutes of Health-funded Penn State Clinical and Translational Science Institute, which supports and cultivates turning laboratory-based findings into clinical practice. She has a Ph.D. in experimental medicine from McGill University in Montreal, Canada, an M.S. in cell biology from Weill Medical College of Cornell University, and a B.S. in human genetics from McGill University.

New Pharmaceutical Sciences Faculty

Before joining WSU as an associate professor, David X. Liu had been at the Pennsylvania State University College of Medicine since 2006, where he worked in the Penn State Cancer Institute, the Penn State Neuroscience Institute and the Department of Neural and Behavioral Sciences. His research is focused on cancer target identification and mechanism of cancer cell survival. He is involved in teaching Integrated Pharmacology IV. He has a Ph.D. in molecular genetics from City University of New York.

Connie Remsberg spent two years as a postdoctoral scholar at the University of California in San Francisco before joining the College as a clinical assistant professor. She graduated from WSU with a Doctor of Pharmacy in 2010 and with a Ph.D. in pharmaceutical sciences in 2011. She teaches pharmaceutics and is the coordinator of the compounding lab.

New Pharmacotherapy Faculty

Angela Stewart is a new associate professor and will work with faculty member Gregory Matsura to coordinate the Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experience rotations at Yakima Valley Memorial Hospital where both practice pharmacy. Stewart has been an adjunct faculty member at WSU for many years. She has a bachelor’s degree in pharmacy from the University of Washington and a doctor of pharmacy degree from the University of Texas, where she also completed a pharmacy practice residency in adult internal medicine. She is a board certified pharmacotherapy specialist.

Kimberly McKeirnan was a practicing pharmacist for five years with Albertsons/Sav-on Pharmacy in Spokane after graduating from the WSU Doctor of Pharmacy program in 2008. She is a new clinical assistant professor and works with the applied patient care laboratory team. She also has a bachelor’s degree in biology from WSU.

Julie Akers was a pharmacist and district manager at Bartell Drugs for many years and then later at The Everett Clinic before joining the College as a clinical assistant professor. She has served on the Dean’s Advisory Council and, in 2012, she was president of the Washington State Pharmacy Association. She graduated from the WSU Doctor of Pharmacy program in 2000. Akers is teaching Pathophysiology, Health Care Systems, Practical Politics in Pharmacy and Intermediate Pharmacy Practice Experience.

Shannon G. (Irving) Panther graduated from the WSU Doctor of Pharmacy program in 2005, worked for a year with Target Corp. and then worked for Costco Wholesale until joining the College. She is a licensed pharmacist in Washington, Kentucky, Arizona, Illinois, Tennessee, Oregon, and Hawaii. Panther is teaching Intermediate Pharmacy Practice Experience to first and second-year students.

Drs. Stewart, McKeirnan, Akers and Panther are all interested in the implementation of innovative pharmacist delivered patient care services and the advancement of the profession with the goal of having pharmacists recognized as providers.
New Clinical Pharmacology Faculty

Mary F. Paine was at the School of Pharmacy, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, before joining the College as an associate professor. She has a Ph.D. in pharmaceutics from the University of Washington and a bachelor's degree in pharmacy from Oregon State University. Paine is a registered pharmacist who practiced four years in hospital pharmacy before entering graduate school to pursue her Ph.D. After receiving her Ph.D., she completed a postdoctoral fellowship at the University of Michigan Medical Center in the areas of drug metabolism and clinical pharmacology. She will be teaching the graduate courses in pharmacokinetics/pharmacodynamics.

Vanessa Gonzalez-Perez is a new assistant research professor who joined the College to continue working in the lab of Dr. Mary Paine from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. She has a Ph.D. in genetics and molecular biology from UNC Chapel Hill and a bachelor’s degree in biology from the University of Puerto Rico. Currently, she is studying the interactions between conventional medications and herbal products.

Faculty News

On Jan. 1, 2014, Assistant Professor Joshua J. Neumiller began a three-year term as editor-in-chief of Diabetes Spectrum, a quarterly publication with 5,500 subscribers, and one of four professional journals published by the American Diabetes Association. Neumiller is the first pharmacist to be the top editor. Past editors have been physicians, nurses and registered dietitians. Neumiller is a certified diabetes educator, a certified geriatric pharmacist, a fellow of the American Society of Consultant Pharmacists, and is on the College’s clinical trials research team, which focuses primarily on diabetes research. Neumiller is a 2005 WSU pharmacy graduate.

Research Updates

Assistant Professor Grant D. Trobridge received a National Institutes of Health grant of $417,818 to identify the genes involved in the progression of prostate cancer from non-threatening to highly malignant. In a preliminary study, Trobridge and his lab established a technique for identifying genes that may be involved in the cancer’s progression. In this three-year project, they will use that technique to identify the genes and then study their mutations. Both steps involve using a virus that Trobridge and his colleagues have altered and improved over the years. Trobridge also received a $1.6 million grant from NIH to continue investigating the use of gene therapy for HIV and AIDS, an area where he has had success.

Assistant Professor Gregory Poon and colleagues discovered that simple modifications to the drug furamidine have a major positive impact on its ability to affect specific human proteins involved in the on-off switches of certain genes. Poon collaborated with researchers at Georgia State University and the WSU-led team found that derivatives of furamidine can target a specific protein known to be a major factor in the development and function of the human immune system, and to play important roles in diseases such as some leukemias, multiple sclerosis, and diabetes. Their findings were published in Nucleic Acids Research.

Professor K. Michael Gibson received a grant of $743,974 from the National Institutes of Health for further testing of an experimental drug’s effectiveness on an inherited disorder with characteristics of autism and epilepsy. Gibson and three collaborators also will make a recommendation to the NIH as to whether the experimental drug, SGS742, has sufficient promise to warrant further investment. The drug has been around since the 1990s and selectively competes with a neurotransmitter receptor in the brain that is intricately involved in the inherited disorder succinic semialdehyde dehydrogenase deficiency, which causes a variety of neurological problems, including developmental delay, intellectual disability, seizures, and behavioral problems such as sleep disturbance, hyperactivity, and anxiety.
Create a Legacy at the College of Pharmacy

We are pleased to offer a rare, once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to have a permanent legacy in the College of Pharmacy by naming a teaching area, conference room, student gathering area, or laboratory in the Pharmaceutical and Biomedical Sciences Building. Naming opportunities start at $25,000 and are recognized forever through permanent signage at the naming location as well as the entryway to the administrative suite for the College of Pharmacy. Funds raised through this effort will provide additional support for our faculty and enhance learning for our students.

Thus far, Walgreens has donated $500,000 to have the 150-seat auditorium classroom named the “Walgreens Auditorium.” John Oftebro ’65, donated funds to name the Dean’s Conference Room as the “John Oftebro, Kelley-Ross Pharmacy Dean’s Conference Room.”

The College could use your help with this effort! We are hoping to partner with both individuals and corporations, so if you are interested or know of a potential business that might be a good fit, please contact our Advancement and Alumni Relations office at 509-368-6675. If you would like to have a copy of a naming brochure sent to you, please email gocougs@pharmacy.wsu.edu. Thank you for your support!
1. Conference room with a great view
2. Research labs have an open concept
3. Faculty member Connie Remsberg demonstrates compounding technique and how it is televised around the non-sterile compounding lab.
4. Another view of the non-sterile compounding lab
5. Connie Remsberg and two graduate students inside the model pharmacy
Ph.D. Students

Kara Vogel and Brandon Gufford received prestigious fellowships from the American Foundation for Pharmaceutical Education, supporting their work for a year with $6,500 apiece. Both students moved across the country in 2013 to follow their faculty advisors – Drs. Mike Gibson and Mary Paine, to the WSU College of Pharmacy’s clinical pharmacology unit in Spokane. The students had to submit applications for the nationally competitive fellowships and were required to explain their research, their goals and their achievements. Vogel moved from Michigan Technological University and Gufford moved from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Heidi Medford was one of five students nationally to have an annual grant of $28,300 from the American Physiological Society renewed for a second year. Last year, she was one of eight to receive the award. Medford is studying under Professor Susan A. Marsh and is investigating whether exercise can reverse the adverse effects on the heart caused by consumption of the “Western diet,” which is high in saturated fat and sugar.
Nutrition and Exercise Physiology Students

NEP students (pictured above) organized another successful Campus Health Fair in October where students from pharmacy, nursing, speech and hearing and other disciplines are able to practice their skills on real-life clients while offering those people an opportunity to assess the current state of their health and fitness and maybe be lucky enough to get one of the 200 free flu shots (thanks to a grant from Target to Kappa Psi). A variety of health screenings were available, including testing of glucose, cholesterol, body composition, blood pressure and a sampling of exercise tests. The students also invited close to 50 outside vendors, who offered information and demonstrations on fitness, health care, nutrition, and other wellness-related services. The Program in Nutrition and Exercise Physiology is located in the College of Pharmacy.

Doctor of Pharmacy Student

Lindsey Schaffer, a Richland native and former student body president of the Spokane campus, is the student member of the 10-member WSU Board of Regents, which governs the University. Her appointment was approved during the summer by Washington Gov. Jay Inslee. Schaffer plans to graduate with a Pharm.D. in May and is simultaneously completing undergraduate coursework for degrees in basic medical sciences and Spanish through WSU’s Honor College. She plans to pursue a residency after graduation followed by a post-graduate specialty residency to achieve her goal of becoming an oncology pharmacist.

Pharmacy Students Give Flu Shots to WSU Student Athletes

As they do every year in the fall, the students administered flu shots to the players on the WSU football team and then later held a clinic open to all other WSU students athletes. Pictured above is student pharmacist Tess Hudson giving a flu shot at the clinic. She was one of 15 student pharmacists at the clinic who were accompanied by faculty pharmacists. The clinic team administered 153 flu shots in 1.5 hours. In total, the students vaccinated 238 student athletes and 39 athletic team staff.

The incoming class of 2017 is welcomed to the program after being “coated” at the White Coat Ceremony in August. The event was sponsored in part by Walgreens.
R. Keith Campbell’s Retirement Gala

in October drew a lively crowd of 249 friends, colleagues, family, alumni and students to the Spokane Club! Campbell retired after 45 years as a pharmacy professor, but is still working in his WSU Pullman office as a professor emeritus. The gala-attendees donated more than $52,000 in Campbell’s name for student scholarships, much of it through the live auction and “paddle raise” at the gala. Anyone still interested in contributing to the R. Keith Campbell Endowed Scholarship in Pharmacy will find a personal note from Keith and details for giving at: www.pharmacy.wsu.edu/alumnifriends/campbellscholarshipfund.html

1 Keith Campbell’s retirement gala drew a lively crowd of nearly 250. Here he stops for a photo with friends Randall Legg, left, and John Oftebro, right, both alumni of the College.

2 Marv Chamberlain was one of many to take the microphone and speak about Campbell at his retirement gala at the Spokane Club in October.
Fred Meyer Mentoring Program Launched

To develop the best and the brightest students into the next leaders of pharmacy innovation and practice, we have started a new program that will pair each WSU student pharmacist with a volunteer alumni mentor or WSU preceptor. This unique professional relationship will give future pharmacy leaders an individual role model, provide one-on-one professional development opportunities for them, and give our alumni a chance to give back and make a difference in a student’s future. The corporate sponsor for the program is Fred Meyer. Find more information on our web site at: www.pharmacy.wsu.edu/currentstudents/pharmacymentorprogram.html

2012 Outstanding Alumnus

For devoting much time and expertise to help the College enhance and refine an online course in obstetrics, Dr. Nancy Gerstad ’74 of Chicago was honored in April as the 2012 Outstanding Alumnus of the Year. Gerstad conducted a thorough review of the obstetrics course: she listened to all 27 hours of the course content, then she developed additional case content for the course, and she went on to prepare pre-assessment and post-assessment questions with an answer key. She also traveled to Pullman to meet with the WSU Global Campus unit and be videotaped presenting two new introductions to the course.

After graduating from the College of Pharmacy in 1974 she received a medical degree from the University of Michigan. She practiced medicine in Chicago for over a decade, and then became a senior medical advisor for Integrated Care Management 3, a disease management entity focusing on lifestyle change to improve health outcomes.

Alumni Chapter Growing

Membership is growing in the College’s new Pharmacy Alumni Community! The new organization is dedicated to expanding the ways alumni and friends of the College can become meaningfully engaged with the College. If you are a member of the Pharmacy Alumni Community, you can save on CE programs offered through the College. Currently, chapter members will receive $100 off the tuition for the online course, “Diseases, Complications, and Drug Therapy in Obstetrics” (2.7 CEUs). Membership dues are $50 and are tax deductible. Find more information online at: www.pharmacy.wsu.edu/alumnifriends

The online obstetrics course is available as an elective to WSU pharmacy students and has been used by students from other pharmacy schools nationally and internationally and for CE credit by some professionals. The course includes presentations by the professionals who wrote the chapters of the book, “Diseases, Complications, and Drug Therapy in Obstetrics,” which was co-edited by Gerald G. Briggs ’68, who was the College’s Outstanding Alumnus in 2008.

Past recipients of the award are:
2011: Greg Gibbons ’82
2010: Fred H. (Fritz) McGinnis ’71
2009: Robert W. Higgins ’57
2008: Gerald Briggs ’68
2007: Marshall P. Roberts ‘57 and Bert Porter ’50
2002: Linda Garrelts MacLean ’78
2001: Marvin Chamberlain ’75
2000: John Swenson ’68
1999: Holly Whitcomb Henry ’78
1998: John Oftebro ’65
1997: Raymond Olson ’57
1996: Rick Doane ’71
1995: William Gaskins ’68
1994: Ron Doane ’50
1993: Jim ’39 and Trudy ’38 Reavis
1992: Richard Fowler ’50
1991: R. Keith Campbell ’64

New Endowments

We received four new endowments in 2013. Endowments are important because the principal sum generates interest that we spend according to the donor’s gift use agreement. Most of the College’s endowments are for student scholarships. Others support professorships, research, lectureships and other expenses associated with scholarly work.

The new endowments are:
• Hughes-Fisher Endowed Scholarship in Pharmacy, established by Brad Fisher ’79 and his sister, Stacie Lynn Hamilton, in memory of their father, Robert Lee Fisher, who graduated from the College of Pharmacy in 1952, and their mother, Shirley Hughes Fisher, who was also a pharmacist. The endowment is for student scholarships.
• Gerald A. Danquist Endowed Scholarship in Pharmacy, established by Gerald Danquist ’65, for student scholarships.
• R. Keith Campbell Endowed Scholarship in Pharmacy, established to honor the 45-year career of Professor Campbell upon his retirement in October, for student scholarships.
• Brenda S. Bray-Lisa J. Woodard Endowed Scholarship in Public Health, established by Bray and Woodard for student scholarships.

Flexible Endowments

Establishing an endowed scholarship requires a minimum principal sum of $25,000, but what if you want to invest less over time instead of in one lump sum? You are able to create this lasting scholarship fund while seeing students benefit now. This is known as a flexible endowment.

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Giving to the College of Pharmacy

We welcomed two new Benefactors to the College in 2013: Johnson & Johnson and the Stanley Reinhaus Family Foundation. We are extremely grateful to these contributors and to the many other alumni and friends who support our mission. This Donor Roll is a list of those who invested in us during the 12-month period from July 1, 2012, through June 30, 2013.

We strive to be accurate, but if we have made a mistake with any detail of your gift or your name, please accept our apology, and please let us know about it. You may reach our Development and Alumni Relations Office at: gocougs@pharmacy.wsu.edu or 509-368-6675. If you made a gift after June 30, 2013, your gift will be reflected in next year’s annual report.

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Advisory Council Membership Changes

Two new people were added to the council in 2013 and one departed. Julie Akers ’00 left the council after joining the College as a clinical assistant professor. Gerald A. Danquist ’65 also joined the council in the fall. Gerry grew up in the small farming town of Plaza, Wash., about 25 miles south of Spokane. After graduating from Spangle High School he went to WSU and received a bachelor’s degree in pharmacy in 1965. Gerry worked for two years in retail pharmacy and then spent two years in the U.S. Public Health Service as a pharmacy officer. He earned an MBA from Harvard Business School and started a career with Eli Lilly and Company which included a variety of roles, assignments, and locations in both U.S. and international markets. He retired from Lilly after more than 33 years. He currently resides in Carmel, Ind., a suburb of Indianapolis. He has a daughter, son-in-law and grandchild who live in Pittsburgh and a son and daughter-in-law who live in Austin, Texas.

Nick Bruck ’04 joined the council in the fall. Nick grew up in Spokane and after earning a Doctor of Pharmacy degree from WSU in 2004 he went to work as a pharmacist for Walgreens. He later became a district pharmacy supervisor for Walgreens in Washington, Idaho and Montana and has remained based in Spokane. Nick is an active member in local, state and national pharmacy organizations and has participated in a number of charitable events through Walgreens and as an individual. He enjoys spending time with his daughter Addison.