

Kay McCord pledges \$25,000 to support molecular research at UT Southwestern

Inspired by reports of numerous large gifts to UT Southwestern's Fund for Molecular Research, Kay Moran McCord has pledged \$25,000 to support molecular research at UT Southwestern. Southwestern Medical Foundation will match the gift.

"When individuals such as Charlie and Sadie Seay make large gifts to a campaign like this, it inspires the rest of us to do what we can," she said.

A Dallas native who grew up in Garland, Texas, Mrs. McCord recently returned to Dallas. She owns a private investment firm, White Rock Investments.

Her husband, Bill McCord, is the recently retired chief executive officer of ENSERCH Corp. and a longtime trustee and supporter of the Foundation and UT Southwestern. This is Mrs. McCord's first gift to help support medical research.

"I think that UT Southwestern is one of the greatest institutions in the country," Mrs. McCord said. "I look forward to an ongoing association with the Foundation and the medical center."

Thanking Mrs. McCord for her gift, Dr. Charles C. Sprague, Foundation president and chairman of the board, said: "It is truly remarkable to see the rapid progress that has been made at UT Southwestern in the recent past, and I have no doubt that it will continue in the future. Without the private support of persons like Mrs. McCord, that progress would not have been possible."

Paul Bass, Jess Hay, Donald Zale to receive Foundation's Community Service Award

Southwestern Medical Foundation will present its Community Service Award at a dinner Oct. 27 to three distinguished Dallas-area leaders who have played major roles in the development of The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas.

Paul M. Bass Jr., Jess Hay and Donald Zale will be honored at the dinner, which is hosted by the Foundation.

"Each of the men being honored has had a major influence in the development of UT Southwestern through their involvement in the day-to-day operations of the medical center," said Dr. Charles C. Sprague, chairman of the board and president of the Foundation.

The recipients will be given a full-lead crystal sculpture, designed by Sven Palmqvist of Sweden. The sculpture, "The Rectangle with Scoops," is an exclusive of Tiffany & Co.

The Community Service Award was established in 1991 to recognize an individual's commitment in support of medical education, care and research. The first recipient was James W. Aston, a Dallas philanthropist and chairman emeritus of the Foundation. Other past recipients have been Cecil H. Green, J. Erik Jonsson, George L. MacGregor, Margaret McDermott, Edith and Peter O'Donnell Jr., and Ralph B. Rogers.

Paul M. Bass Jr.



Paul Bass has been an active member of the Dallas business community since graduating from Southern Methodist University in 1957. He is currently vice chairman of First Southwest Co. in Dallas and serves on the boards of directors for a number of businesses.

Mr. Bass is a trustee and member of the

Finance and Executive committees of Southwestern Medical Foundation. He holds the same positions at Zale Lipshy University Hospital and is a member of the executive committee at Children's Medical Center of Dallas. Mr. Bass has previously served as chairman of the Parkland Memorial Hospital Board of Managers. He is credited with improving the quality of patient care at Parkland, as well as enhancing the relationship between the hospital, UT Southwestern and Children's Medical Center.

He holds leadership positions in a number of other community organizations, including The Salvation Army Advisory Board, the State Fair of Texas and the Dallas Citizens Council. He also is a past president of the Salesmanship Club of Dallas.

Jess Hay



Jess Hay has served as chief executive officer of Lomas Financial Corp. since 1965. He is a *magna cum laude* graduate of the SMU School of Law and has

long been active in national, state and local political, business and civic endeavors.

He is a member of the boards of Southwestern Medical Foundation and Zale Lipshy University Hospital. He is also chairman of the board of the Texas Foundation for Higher Education. Mr. Hay was appointed to the Board of Regents of the UT System in 1978 and served as chairman from 1985 to 1987. He also has served on the boards of directors or trustees of SMU, the United States Chamber of Commerce, the Texas Association of Independent Colleges and Universities and the Dallas Citizens Council.

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More than 700 former anesthesiology residents fund professorship

Former UT Southwestern anesthesiology residents have raised \$100,000 to establish the Anesthesiology Alumni Professorship. An additional \$20,000 donated to the fund-raising effort will be used to enhance the two libraries of the Department of Anesthesiology and Pain Management.

More than 700 former residents made contributions to Southwestern Medical Foundation, which earmarked their gifts for the professorship.

The drive was spearheaded by Dr. M.T. Pepper Jenkins, who was chairman of anesthesiology for 33 years.

"The response to Dr. Jenkins' solicitation of former residents in the area of anesthesiology was truly remarkable and a wonderful tribute to him," said Dr. Charles C. Sprague, chairman of the board and president of the Foundation. "There are few who could simply write a letter and get this type of response."

Dr. Jenkins said, "As I approach final retirement after 46 years, I want the department to achieve a new dimension by recognizing and honoring in perpetuity all of our past and present residents and teaching staff."

The successful campaign is a testament to Dr. Jenkins, said UT Southwestern President Dr. Kern Wildenthal.

"I am sure this came to be because of the respect and admiration all of our anesthesiology residents have for Pepper Jenkins," Dr. Wildenthal said. "It is a tribute to him as well as the alumni."

Dr. Edward R. Johnson, acting chairman of anesthesiology and pain management, has been named holder of the professorship.

"Dr. Johnson is held in great respect by the residents for the depth of his knowledge and his abilities to impart it, for his fairness in managing the difficult Parkland Memorial Hospital main operating-room schedule and for his superior ability at keeping peace and harmony in the department despite chaotic clinical requirements," said Dr. Jenkins.

The Department of Anesthesiology and Pain Management maintains a library and study area named the Jenkins Anesthesiology Library of Dallas in its office suite at Parkland Memorial Hospital. A second library, located in the Charles Cameron Sprague Clinical Science Building, is named the Giesecke Anesthesiology Library in honor of Dr. A.H. Giesecke Jr., another former chairman.

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Mr. Hay has been active in national politics for more than 40 years. In 1977 and 1978 he was national finance chairman of the Democratic National Committee. He also has held important positions in a number of senate and gubernatorial campaigns in Texas as well as in several presidential campaigns.

He is on the boards of Exxon Corp., Southwestern Bell Corp., the Dial Corp., Trinity Industries, Lomas Financial Corp. and the State Fair of Texas.

Mr. Hay has been responsible for establishing two endowed chairs at UT Southwestern. In 1983, he established the Betty Jo Hay Distinguished Chair in Mental Health in honor of his wife. And in 1993, Mr. Hay's company, Lomas Mortgage USA, created the James M. Wooten Chair in Cardiology in honor of the former president of Lomas & Nettleton Co.

Donald Zale



Donald Zale is one of the founders of Zale Lipshy University Hospital and has served as chairman of its board of directors since 1987.

Mr. Zale serves on the Executive and Finance committees of Southwestern Medical Foundation and was chairman of the Finance Committee for several years. He is also a current member of the

Children's Medical Center Foundation board of directors.

Mr. Zale is chairman of the board of the Zale Foundation, chairman of Capitol Entertainment and president of NewCourse Capital, a private investment firm he established after leaving Zale Corp. His tenure at Zale lasted 35 years and culminated in his serving as chairman and chief executive officer. He is a 1954 graduate of Southern Methodist University.

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"The Foundation's support represents a vital element in our continued success," Dr. Wildenthal said. "Southwestern Medical Foundation provides opportunities which only the private sector can create for us, and thereby provides the margin of excellence which sets UT Southwestern Medical Center apart from its peer institutions."

