Department of Physical Therapy
Exceptional Achievement
Recognition Awards
2019 Recipients

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Medical Sciences Building (MSB), Room 3154, Toronto

Exceptional Achievement Award Recipients are individuals who have made exceptional contributions to the Physical Therapy profession.

Gail Kirkwood – Practitioner

Jennifer Howey – Professional Development

Congratulations!
Gail Kirkwood is a graduate of the Bachelor of Science program in Physical Therapy at U of T (1983). She is certified as a clinical specialist in paediatrics by the Physiotherapy Specialty Certification Board of Canada. Gail has spent the majority of her career doing rehabilitation with children and youth with cerebral palsy and acquired brain injury. She co-developed the ABI-CA outcome tool in conjunction with Dr. V. Wright and the assistance of graduate students from U of T. Gail recently retired from full time practice after 35 years but plans to continue to use her physio skills with part time involvement in research as well as coaching youth curling.

Jennifer Howey, B.Sc(PT) is the owner of InsideOut Physiotherapy & Wellness Group. She thrives on life-long learning and growing the profession. Jennifer is an Adjunct Lecturer and provides a clinical site for the University of Toronto MScPT program. Jennifer developed the InsideOut Learn Series for professional education of new grads. She started the Nordic Pole Walking Rehabilitation Instructors Program in Canada and collaborated with Hong Kong Physiotherapy Association to bring the program to Hong Kong. She was a lead physical therapist on Team Medical for the 2015 PanAm/Para PanAm Games. Jennifer has been featured in the CPA Leadership series and Ted talks. Above all, Jennifer loves practicing physiotherapy; encouraging her team, colleagues and patients to maximize their potential from the Inside Out.
Recognition Award Recipients

Recognition Award Recipients are individuals or teams who have provided an extraordinary educational experience and positively impacted physical therapy students while in the academic or clinical environment. The recipients were nominated by students, clinicians and/or faculty.

Lecturers/Lab Demonstrators
Mohamed (Ismail) Abdelkader
Lindsay Beavers
Jaimie Coleman
Marissa Constand
Michelle Duong
Ana Ferreira
Mireille Landry
Crystal Mackay
Agnes Makowski
Erin Miller
Darryl Nequest
Monica Noy
Bonso O’Hare
Safia Palathuparambil
Doug Richards
Bonita Rubin
Prashna Singh
Stephanie So
Rachel Wong
Adnan Wshah

Small Group Facilitators
Cary Chittley
Allison Drynan
Ana Ferreira
Stephanie Tsotsos
Rachel Wong

Clinical Instructors
Laura Agar
Irene Antunes
Sharon Armstrong
Mackenzie Barber
Surinder Basra
Lindsay Beavers
Agnes Brunne
David Buchnea
Janet Campbell
Teresa Carley
Mary Chang
Debbie Childerhose
Felicia Chow
Paul Chow
Marissa Constant
Celeste Corkery
Nathalie Cote
Debbie Childerhose
Safia Palathuparambil
Doug Richards
Bonita Rubin
Prashna Singh
Stephanie So
Rachel Wong
Adnan Wshah

Clinical Instructors (Continued)
Jennifer Meredith
Alison Metcalfe
Stephanie Middleton
Dimple Mistry
Angela Morra
Jo-An Morson Genise
Lisa Muc
Parul Nanavaty
Daniel Nightengale
Carina Orschel
Anita Osika
Joanna Parkes
Illdiko Parniczky
Sejal Patel
Dennis Ribeiro
Celia Rojas
Tulio Romanelli
Tina Rowsell
Bansi Shah
Trupti Sinkar
David Stoyanoff
Catherine Sullivan
Shaleen Sulway
Jaclyn Switzer
Leah Takeuchi
Liz Udler
Ryan Vergara
Lesley Visconti
Elisa Weinstein
Rebecca West
Rebecca Wightman
Marianne Williams
Dorothy Zammit Marta

Groups
Bayview Physiotherapy & Sports Medicine Clinic Team
John Pendlebury, Peter Ho

Cardiology Unit PT/OT Team at Trillium Health Partners - Mississauga Hospital
Kimberly Selman, Adrienne Nawrot

Cardiorespiratory Simulation OIEPB Team at University of Toronto
Lindsay Beavers, Erin Miller

Neuro PT Team at Unity Health Toronto - Providence Healthcare
Val McWhinnie, Jane Goldberg, Peggy Corkum, Karen Ng, Tanya Sakharov, Jennifer Chalik, Abi Kavanaugh, Audrey Ng, Ray Dang, Charlyn Roncesvalles, Stephanie Middleton, Kelly Sheehan, Danielle Chitussi

OIEPB Program Team at University of Toronto
Jeffrey Andriorn, Lindsay Beavers, Alison Bonnyman, Lisa Caldana, Beth Despres, Mae Kwan, Stephanie Lurch, Lakshmi Matmari, Erin Miller, Robin Prince, Martine Quesnel, Sharon Switzer-McIntyre, Alana Tintse

The OA Continuum of Care Team at Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre - Holland Orthopaedic & Arthritic Site
Amy Wainwright, John Murnaghan, Shahiroz Juma

Unit 6 Teaching Assistant Team at University of Toronto
Shawna Cronin, Kristina Kokorelias, Arlinda Ruco, Arrani Senthinathan, Daniela Chan, Viquez, Mehreen Zaman

Upper Extremity Continuum of Care Team at Unity Health Toronto - St. Joseph’s Health Centre
Kinny Quan-Velanoski, Antoinette Krakovsky

Physiotherapy Team at Women’s College Hospital
Sonia Bierschtein, Chandra Farrer, Gillian Grant, Celeste Corkery, Hari Gopalakrishnan Nair, Debbie Childerhose, Mireille Landry, Alana Tintse, Tania Obljubek, Rebecca Shantz