Meeting of the Council of Academic Societies

Plenary Sessions

The theme of the November 1, 1969 meeting of the Council of Academic Societies was "Which Basic Science Departments in the Medical School?"

Dr. Jonathan E. Rhoads, Professor and Chairman, Department of Surgery, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, presided over a meeting marked by an attendance of approximately 300. Dr. Archie S. Duncan, Executive Dean and Professor of Medical Education, University of Edinburgh Medical School, spoke on "Varying Patterns in the United Kingdom." He emphasized that, with the exception of the situation in London, basic science departments are a vital link between university and medical school. In his opinion, it would be to the disadvantage of both to change the usual pattern. In the twelve hospital schools associated with the University of London, the basic science units are identified only with the medical school.

Dr. John W. Corcoran, Professor and Chairman, Department of Biochemistry, Northwestern University Medical School, discussed "Basic Science: The Skeleton of Medical Education." His presentation emphasized that not only the knowledge but the attitudes of basic science were vitally necessary to sound medical education. He concluded that it would be most unfortunate for biochemistry to weaken its identification with the medical school.

Dr. William B. Weil, Jr., Professor and Chairman, Department of Human Development, Michigan State University College of Human Medicine, addressed "The Dilemma of Medical Curriculum Innovation for the University Science Departments." He compared the relative advantages and disadvantages of universitywide departments with those that are medical school based. He said that the advantages of one system are the disadvantages of the other. Both have real strengths and are readily assimilable in the current patterns of medical education.

Dr. Eugene Braunwald, Professor and Chairman, Department of Medicine, University of California, San Diego School of Medicine, spoke on "The Clinical Depart-ment as a 'Scientific Critical Mass.'" In his paper, the curriculum at San Diego with the absorption of pharmacology and physiology by medicine and of anatomy and microbiology by surgery and pathology, as well as the addition of the strengths of many other university departments to the medical school, were set forth.

Dr. Hans Popper, Dean for Academic Affairs and Professor and Chairman, Department of Pathology, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, supported "The Hospital as a Desirable Base for Medical Education." Dr. Popper's paper concluded that the university is the proper base for medical education. The experience at Mount Sinai has been satisfactory only because of particular conditions there. Only an unusual hospital can serve as the primary base for medical education.

Dr. Stuart Bondurant, Professor and Chairman, Department of Medicine, Albany Medical College, discussed "The University Medical School—Fact or Illusion?" His paper concluded strongly that the university was the only satisfactory base for medical education.

Dr. Robert Cerza, fourth-year student, Northwestern University School of Medicine, reported on "The Student's Demand for Relevance."

Dr. Daniel C. Tosteson, Professor and Chairman, Department of Physiology and Pharmacology, Duke University School of Medicine, reemphasized "The Relevance of Basic Science to Medicine."

On Sunday afternoon, the theme of the program was centered around a discussion of "The Full-Time System Revisited."

Dr. Harry A. Feldman, Professor and Chairman, Department of Preventive Medicine, SUNY-Upstate Medical Center, chaired a meeting attended by approximately 250.

Dr. Richard H. Egdahl, Associate Dean for Hospital Relations and Professor and Chairman, Department of Surgery, Boston University School of Medicine, discussed the "Advantages of a Geographic Full-Time System" without rigid controls.

Dr. Richard V. Ebert, Professor and Chairman, Department of Medicine, University of
Minneapolis Medical School, described the "Advantages and Disadvantages of a Mixed System." He stated that the advantages inherent in the flexibility of a mixed system, such as that at Minnesota, are offset by its inherent instability and some of the tensions involved.

Dr. Gene H. Stollerman, Professor and Chairman, Department of Medicine, University of Tennessee College of Medicine, spoke on "A Changing Role for the City Hospital." He emphasized the provision of emergency and special care in a group practice type arrangement.

Dr. Walter F. Ballinger, Professor and Chairman, Department of Surgery, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, discussed his school's experience with multiple reviews of its strict full-time system in a presentation entitled "Reasons for Changing a System." In effect for almost fifty years, the system was reviewed two years ago. The conclusion of the faculty was overwhelmingly that there should be a nucleus of full-time, full-salaried physicians in all departments. The successful administration of this system demands flexibility in its application.

The meeting ended with a panel discussion and questions from the floor.

Annual Business Meeting

The meeting was called to order by Dr. Jonathan E. Rhoads at 3:30 P.M. on November 2, 1969.

Dr. Rhoads read the report of the Executive Committee, and Dr. Harry A. Feldman presented the report of the Secretary-Treasurer.

TRAINING OF PHYSICIANS' ASSISTANTS

Dr. Eugene A. Stead spoke on the desirability of setting standards for schools producing physicians' assistants and requested that the CAS take an active role in these educational programs. He pointed out the need for some standard curriculum and accreditation or review procedures. It was recommended that a task force be appointed to study these programs and bring recommendations on what should be done to the next CAS meeting in February, 1970. A motion embodying this recommendation was made, seconded, and passed.

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COTH Annual Ins Membership Meeting

The fourth COTH Annual Membership Meeting was called to order by Chairman Rambeck on Saturday, May 26, 1970, at 2:00 P.M. As first order of business, Chairman asked for an address by the third annual meeting of the COTH Annual Meeting. Proceedings of the Annual Meeting were approved as submitted.

Report of the Nominations Committee

Mr. Lad F. Grapski, Chairman of the Nominations Committee, presented a report of the Nominations Committee. The report included nominations for the following positions: Chairman, Leonard W. Cronkhite; Vice-Chairman, Dr. Stuart M. Sessoms; Secretary, Dr. Clifton K. Hii; and Treasurer, Dr. J. Ed. Dunlap.

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1. Call to Order.
2. Roll Call.
5. Report of Secretary-Treasurer.
6. Federal Funding for Biomedical Research.
8. Policy - Faculty Salaries.
10. Committee on Graduate Medical Education.
12. Staff Report and Plans for Next Year.
15. Other Business.
The Second Annual Meeting of the CAS was held in Houston, Texas, November 1 & 2, 1968. It consisted of three parts:

1. Afternoon program centering around a discussion of what medical schools' faculties could do to help to expand student enrollment.

2. An account of the Workshop on the Role of the University in Graduate Medical Education. Presiding: Dr. Daniel C. Tosteson.

3. The annual business meeting. Presiding: Dr. Thomas E. Kinney.

Expansion of Enrollment

Nine speakers covered various aspects of the problem from the possibilities of decentralizing of study in the sciences basic to medicine to a scheme for double scheduling classes in the same facilities. Experiences reviewed were:

1. Simultaneously offering two differently structured anatomy courses.

2. Concentration of the laboratory experience in the basic sciences into intensive study in a single discipline with the resultant conservation of curriculum time, faculty effort, and facility use.

3. Power of newer mechanisms and extension of devices to assist in the transmission of factual material from teacher to student.

4. The use of extramural facilities for intensive instruction of clinical clerks.

These four newer approaches were described in positive terms. Each discussion alluded to actual mechanisms for the redirection of facilities and resources already on hand which could result in expanded enrollment studies, some attesting the fact that medical schools with large enrollments are not necessarily inferior but are in some ways superior to smaller schools were reviewed.

The meeting closed with estimates of the possibilities for securing students for enrollment in advanced standing in medical schools and with a discussion of the additional hospital facilities that increased medical student enrollment might require.

The CAS Workshop on the Role of the University in Graduate Medical Education

Drs. Thomas E. Kinney, Jonathan Rhoads, Thomas D. Brem summarized for the membership their impressions of the Workshop on the Role of the University in Graduate Medical Education. This three-day conference was held in Washington, D.C. on October 2-5, 1968. It was attended by approximately 140 medical educators and representatives of many groups and organizations deeply involved with graduate medical education. The three speakers reflected the apparent consensus of the workshop. The conceptualization of medical education as a continuum requires for its realization an increasing role by the universities in graduate medical education. The attitude that the specialty boards should evolve toward examination
and certifying agencies without heavy emphasis on determining the content or 
duration of training was emphasized. The need for approval of graduate medical 
education programs on an institution-by-institution basis rather than a program-
by-program basis was stressed. Strong support was offered for a Commission on 
Graduate Medical Education, whose function remained to be defined.

**National Biomedical Educational Communications Network**

Drs. Martin Cummings and Ruth Davis of the National Library of Medicine reported 
on the potential value of a National Biomedical Education Communications Network 
for strengthening medical student education. They described in broad terms the 
current state of the technology and the possibilities it permitted. They pointed 
out that support from the more effective and thoughtful medical teachers would be 
necessary for such a network to reach optimal use.

**Business Meeting**

The annual business meeting was convened by Dr. Kinney. He reported on the 
activities of the Executive Committee, and Dr. Harry A. Feldman gave the report 
of the Secretary-Treasurer. The Executive Committee proposed three resolutions 
to the membership. All were approved unanimously. They were:

1. The CAS goes on record as favoring an increased role and responsibility 
of the universities for graduate medical education.

2. The CAS recommends that the AAMC support the formation of a Commission 
on Graduate Medical Education.

3. The Executive Committee recommends the formation of a Standing Committee 
on Graduate Medical Education of the CAS.

The membership directed that these actions be forwarded to the Executive Council 
of the AAMC and on to the Assembly. The first two were approved and the third 
was interpreted as an internal affair of the CAS by the Executive Council of the 
AAMC. The CAS voiced its support of the Biomedical Educational Communications 
Network described above and urged its Executive Committee to cooperate with the 
National Library.

Upon recommendation by its Executive Committee, three new societies were elected 
to the CAS, bringing its total membership to 30. These are:

1. The Society of University Surgeons

2. The American Association of Plastic Surgeons

3. The American Association of Neuropathologists

The nominating committee headed by Dr. Ralph J. Wedgwood, following the provisions 
of the constitution, brought in two nominations for all open positions. After 
written ballots were tallied, the following elections were announced: Jonathan 
E. Rhoads, M.D., Chairman; Daniel C. Tosteson, M.D., Chairman-Elect. Thomas D. 
Kinney, M.D., and James V. Warren, M.D., were elected to serve on the Executive 
Council.
Under "Other Business," Dr. Clarence Dennis reported the concern of the Society of Surgical Chairmen with developments in the Deans Committee of the Veterans Administration Hospitals. After discussion of a number of points, Dr. Dennis' recommendations were referred to committee for final action. The Council passed the following resolution which was forwarded to the Executive Council of the AAMC and on to the Assembly:

A motion was made and carried that the CAS express its concern for continued support for biomedical research in addition to urgently needed increased support for the delivery of health services.

The Academic Society representatives present were urged to attend the Association meeting scheduled for Monday, November 4. The meeting adjourned at 5:00 P.M.
REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
OF THE COUNCIL OF ACADEMIC SOCIETIES
TO THE COUNCIL OF ACADEMIC SOCIETIES
November 2, 1969

In reporting for the Executive Committee, I have the opportunity of reviewing very briefly our stewardship of the CAS since the last annual meeting which was held in Houston in October, 1968.

The Executive Committee met on February 8 and March 23 in Washington, D.C. Subsequent meetings were held in Washington, D.C., 6/24/69 and in Cincinnati on 10/31 and 11/1.

Your representatives on the Council of the AAMC have met with that body on December 16, February 8, April 8, June 24, and September 17.

The principal work project of the year has been the contract with the National Library of Medicine to develop with them plans for a national medical communications network. On February 25 and 26 a conference was held at the NLM which brought together representatives of the constituent societies and resulted in a report which has been accepted by the Library. Dr. Cheves Smythe will report on this development which has gone very well and should result in a definitive report in the next year and a progress report in June.

At the June meeting emphasis was on the development of the very fine programs which you have heard yesterday afternoon and this afternoon.

The standing committee on graduate medical education, under the chairmanship of Dr. Thomas Kinney, drafted a report on which he will comment, which has led to plans for visits to view residency programs of 4 university hospitals on a trial basis in order to test in a preliminary way the possibilities of institutional accreditation should universities accept as a corporate responsibility graduate education programs in clinical fields. The final report will of course be influenced by this experience.

The plans for a Commission on Medical Education are in a state of suspended animation. The proposal on this was first laid on the table by the Council of Medical Education of the AMA, but later revised and referred to the Liaison Committee of the AMA and the AAMC, which is scheduled to discuss it again in November.

The Executive Committee reviewed 10 applications for membership and recommends 7 as fulfilling all of our criteria. These will be presented to you by ballot for election. If favorable action ensues, there will be more than 35 member organizations—a larger number than we have seats in the Assembly. During the coming year, the Executive Committee will study mechanisms for adjusting this discrepancy and probably will recommend an addition to the Bylaws to cover it.

The policy of excluding the larger professional colleges from membership of the CAS was reviewed. This had been an interim policy in the formation
of the CAS, but it had always been recognized that many of these colleges and academies not only did much to maintain high professional standards among their members, but were also heavily engaged in education, especially continuing education.

Your Executive Committee recommends that the professional colleges now be considered for membership in the CAS and unless the Council objects at this meeting, the new Executive Committee will review applications and recommend the admission of some of the major professional groups on a carefully selected basis.

An important issue came to us from the Council of Deans which concerns the remuneration of faculty from federal funds and deserves your closest attention and the reactions not only of yourselves, but also of those whom you represent. An inter-council committee will be proposed to study the matter in depth and bring further recommendations back to each Council.

A statement reviewing the fields of interest of the AAMC as a whole and indicating the degree of interest of each council in each field has been drafted by the staff. The Executive Committee had a preliminary discussion of this draft on Saturday morning, but thought it best that the new Executive Committee devote a full meeting to it later on in the year before bringing its recommendations and those of the staff for your consideration and possible action. It contains no radical departures, but as it may well become a blueprint for the developments of the next few years, it merits careful attention, both as to content and emphasis.

Respectfully submitted,

Jonathan E. Rhoads
Chairman
MEMO TO: Council of Deans
FROM: John A. D. Cooper, M.D., Ph.D., President
SUBJECT: Recommendations on Limitation of Federal Contributions to Faculty Salaries, from an Ad Hoc Committee appointed by the Southern Deans and chaired by Manson Meads.

Background and Progress Report

You will remember that the committee was established because of serious concerns of medical school administrators and the N.I.H. on the impact of Federal Institutional Grants on faculty salaries, particularly at a time when the demand for well qualified faculty in a number of disciplines seems to far exceed supply. Through your excellent cooperation, baseline information on faculty salaries, total income, and fringe benefits was collected through a method of reporting which we feel is as accurate and practical as is possible at this time. Preliminary discussions were held with you at our last Atlanta meeting on possible approaches to a policy that would be acceptable to both the medical schools and the federal government which would give reasonable assurance that funds from federal institutional grants would not accentuate the present problem of academic inflation.

Your committee met on several occasions in Houston and three alternatives developed:

1. Using the precedent of the Career Award program, federal funds would participate only in salary support of strict full-time faculty in accord with institutional ranges and up to a maximum level which no institution could exceed.

2. Make complete salary information of an institution available to Review Committees and Councils and rely on the process of peer rating to determine whether the proposed use of federal funds would be inflationary.

3. Federal funds could participate in the salary support of any faculty member on the basis of the customary "percent of effort" of an individual up to nationally accepted levels by rank and discipline. Each school would retain the right to supplement above these levels if it so desired.
We had the opportunity to discuss these three approaches with Ernest Allen. He advised against the first alternative because of the problems encountered by many institutions with Career Awards, and objected to the second proposal on the basis that this is a responsibility that should not be assigned to Review Committees and Councils. He was very enthusiastic about the third alternative, felt it would be well received at the federal level and that "even Mr. Fountain should be satisfied."

Your committee recognizes that alternative 3 is not the total answer to faculty salary inflation which is in part governed by factors beyond our control. However, alternative 3 does give reasonable assurance that federal funds will not participate in stimulating further salary escalation.

Because of the urgency and importance of this matter we seek your comments and approval to refer the following recommended policy from the Southern Deans to the Council of the AAMC for prompt consideration and discussion with proper representatives of the federal government.

**Recommended Policy**

Funds from federal institutional grants may be used to support the salary of any faculty member on the basis of percentage of effort in the approved program up to nationally accepted levels for each academic rank and discipline. Such levels will represent the median salary level for strict full-time faculty in the medical schools of this country as determined by the AAMC Faculty Salary survey for the year in which this policy is adopted. These levels will be adjusted annually thereafter in accord with changes in the cost of living index. Faculty salaries established on this basis may be supplemented by an institution from non-federal funds if so desired. Federal funds may continue to be used to pay the prorata share of the cost of fringe benefits of each respective institution. This policy should be subject to review and possible revision after an adequate period of trial.

**Action Requested**

We recognize that, in the final analysis, minor modifications may be necessary in this policy statement. However, because of urgency, we would appreciate your immediate reply as to whether you approve or disapprove of sending this recommended policy forward to the Executive Council with the endorsement of the Southern Deans Group.

Please reply on the attached sheet as soon as possible.
1. Name of Society
   Association for Medical School Pharmacology

2. Purpose
   To foster best possible contribution of pharmacology in medical education

3. Membership
   The membership will consist of one representative from each medical school in the United States of America. Invitation to membership will be extended to the head or the acting head of the department or subdepartment of pharmacology in each medical school, or, where there is no such person, to a person chosen by the dean of that school to represent pharmacology in this association. A member may designate as his substitute a member of the faculty of the medical school represented by the member.

4. Number of Members
   About 100

5. Constitution and Bylaws available

6. Minutes and agenda of meeting held 4/14/69 available

7. Organized
   April 14, 1969
1. Name of Society

American Association for Thoracic Surgery

2. Purpose

To encourage and stimulate investigation and study that will increase the knowledge of intrathoracic physiology, pathology and therapy; to correlate such knowledge, and disseminate it...to hold at least one scientific meeting each year...to publish a journal.

3. Membership

Active, associate, senior, honorary. Candidates for membership shall have achieved distinction in the thoracic field or shall have made a meritorious contribution to knowledge pertaining to thoracic disease or its surgical treatment.

4. Number of Active Members

400; other classes unlimited

5. Constitution and Bylaws available

6. Minutes and programs of meetings available

7. Organized

1920
1. Name of Society

Association of Anatomy Chairmen

2. Purpose

To provide a forum for discussion and a medium for communication among chairmen of departments of anatomy or the equivalent organizational units in American schools of medicine or approved related organizations in order to foster their common concerns in medical education and research.

3. Membership

Chairmen and acting chairmen of departments of anatomy or equivalent organizational units in AAMC member schools.

4. Number of Members

About 100

5. Constitution and Bylaws available

6. Minutes and programs of meetings

For meetings on 1/31/69 and 3/31/69 available

7. Organized

January 31, 1969
1. Name of Society

American Gastroenterological Association

2. Purpose

To foster the development and application of the science of gastroenterology by providing leadership and aid in all aspects of this field, including scientific communication, research, teaching, continuing education and patient care. For the accomplishment of these purposes, to solicit and receive donations and dues; to receive, manage, invest and reinvest real and personal property, money and securities; and to disburse monies and assets for activities in keeping with the stated purposes.

3. Membership

Honorary, affiliate, active, and associate. No conditions for membership are stated, but it is implied that activity in the field of clinical gastroenterology and certification by the Specialty Board of Gastroenterology are necessary.

4. Number of Active Members

Approximately 800

5. Constitution and Bylaws submitted to CAS

6. Minutes and program of meeting submitted to CAS

7. Organized

1898
1. Name of Society

Association of University Professors of Neurology

2. Purpose

Objectives shall be the promotion of medical education, research and patient care, particularly with respect to neurology.

3. Membership

Heads of departments and divisions of neurology in accredited medical schools throughout the United States.

4. Number of Members

About 70

5. Constitution and Bylaws available

6. Minutes and programs of meetings available

7. Organized

1968
1. Name of Society

Society of Academic Anesthesiology Chairmen, Inc.

2. Purpose

To encourage progress in teaching, patient care, research, and science in Anesthesiology. To promote the growth and continuing development of the discipline of Anesthesiology. To provide a forum for discussion and exchange of ideas among medical school departments of Anesthesiology. To provide liaison between chairmen and various individuals and organizations whose activities bear on the objectives of the Society. To have the power to take other actions as deemed desirable and necessary by the Society to accomplish its objectives.

3. Membership

Heads of departments or divisions of anesthesiology

4. Number of Members

91

5. Constitution and Bylaws available

6. Minutes and programs of meetings available

7. Organized

1968
1. Name of Society

Association of Academic Physiatrists

2. Purpose

To promote the advancement of teaching and research of physical medicine and rehabilitation within the area of academic medicine. It will promote the dissemination of information to future young physicians who will be practicing this art and science for the benefit of the public health and welfare of this nation. It will become involved in the exchange of information from other areas of the field of medicine both in the basic sciences and in the clinical areas of teaching and research.

3. Membership

Full-time teachers of physical medicine and rehabilitation. Not limited to chairmen.

4. Members

About 60

5. Constitution and Bylaws available

6. Minutes and program of meetings available

7. Organized

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   Expenditures
   Balance 9/30/69 $ 2,323.69

2. Project - Role of the University in Graduate Medical Education
   Contract Total $27,000.00
   Expenditures to 9/30/69 23,078.22
   Balance 9/30/69 $ 3,922.78
   This will be sufficient to cover costs of publishing the report of this conference.

3. Project - National Library of Medicine
   Potential Educational Services from a Biomedical Communications Network
   Contract Total $67,000.00
   Expenditures 9/30/69 19,204.64
   Balance 9/30/69 $47,795.36

4. Expenditures within the Department of Academic Affairs allocated against programs of the Council of Academic Societies
   7/1/68 through 6/30/69 $14,051.99
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