SIOMEDICAL SCIENCES EXCHANGE PROGRAM

THROUGH SHARED KNOWLEDGE, WE CAN ADVANCE BIOMEDICINE



An international alumni exchange programme that promotes sharing cutting-edge biomedical research for the common good

For over 40 years, the Biomedical Exchange Programme (BMEP) has provided biomedicine alumni with international opportunities to expand and share their knowledge.

By funding their scientific and personal development through research visits to the USA or Canada, we help them forge international partnerships that can lead to significant developments in life sciences.

BMEP believes encouraging this transdisciplinary exchange of ideas helps young biomedicine alumni grow academically and personally, stimulating the development of outstanding life science projects for the good of all society.

In our view, this is the future of biomedicine.



BMEP support

Biomedical students interested in researching in North America can apply for a scholarship through the BMEP. We are constantly expanding our network of European and North American universities, to maintain the strongest possible links to pioneering research.

In addition, we offer the Hilmar Stolte Award for students who have used their stay abroad to achieve an outstanding research result. We currently represent around 800 former students, of which 200 are now successful professors in science. We hope to enable many more students to reach the upper echelons of biomedical research in the future.



A vision inspired by people and medicine Professor Hilmar Stolte

Born in 1935, Hilmar Stolte studied medicine in Kiel, Cologne and Gottingen, gaining his Doctorate in 1964, and later becoming University Professor for Inner Medicine (Nephrology) and Head of Experimental Nephrology at Hannover Medical School.

Following an academic visit to the USA, Professor Hilmar Stolte was enthused by the idea of sharing knowledge between professors and students in the USA and Germany. Together with John Boylan, M.D. University of Connecticut, in 1979 he founded the BMEP Biomedical Exchange Program, an ideologically and politically independent non-profit organisation.

The need for funding

Professor Dr. Hilmar Stolte was wholly committed to developing students' scientific careers, and we know he would want many more to benefit from his initiative. To achieve this, the BMEP requires ongoing funding.

To sponsor the BMEP and help build the future of biomedicine through academic excellence, please contact a member of the BMEP Board.

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