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2025

# Annual Report



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# Message From Our President

This past year has been one of meaningful progress for the Foundation for Physical Therapy Research, marked by growing investment in the future of our profession and the people who will shape it. It is an honor to serve as President today, and to reflect on what we have accomplished together.

Before looking more closely at last year's milestones, I want to recognize the extraordinary leadership of our immediate past president, Paul A. Rockar, Jr., PT, DPT, MS, FAPTA. His dedication, vision, and deep commitment to advancing physical therapy research have left a lasting impact on the Foundation. The momentum we are experiencing today is, in many ways, a reflection of his leadership.

In 2025, we saw continued growth in support of physical therapy research, and that growth is translating directly into opportunity. One of the most exciting developments has been the introduction of our Health Services Research Grant. This new funding opportunity was met with tremendous enthusiasm, highlighting the increasing interest in research that improves how care is delivered and experienced.

At the same time, we were proud to relaunch our postdoctoral fellowship, an important step in advancing the research pipeline and supporting investigators as they advance their careers. Alongside this, our established grant programs continue to attract strong interest and highly competitive applications, reinforcing the depth of talent and innovation within our community.

None of this progress would be possible without the support of our donors. APTA, individuals, components, and corporate partners continue to invest in the profession, including through the creation of new funds and endowments that will sustain research for years to come. Your generosity is what allows us to expand opportunities, respond to emerging areas of need, and support researchers at every stage of their journey.

As we build on this year's progress, I am energized by what lies ahead. In the year to come, we will continue to grow our impact—expanding support for high-quality research, fostering the next generation of investigators, strengthening capacity in grant writing, and ensuring that physical therapy is guided by strong evidence and innovation.



Thank you for being part of this work and for your continued commitment to advancing physical therapy research.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rebecca L. Craik". The script is fluid and cursive.

**Rebecca Craik, PT, PhD, FAPTA**

President, Foundation for Physical Therapy Research

# Strategic Plan Update

As we complete year two of our 2024–2028 Strategic Plan, our work continues to center on strengthening the research pipeline in physical therapy.

We are focused on supporting researchers across career stages, from early-stage investigators to established researchers, while building foundational evidence and creating pathways that enable long-term impact. While much of this work is early by design, it is essential to ensuring the profession's future value and leadership in healthcare.

## Where We Are - Year Two Highlights

- Provided over \$1M in annual research funding, reinforcing sustained investment.
- Expansion of scholarship and fellowship support, reaching more early-career scholars and researchers.
- Progress toward new endowed funds, helping ensure long-term sustainability of research support.
- Increased visibility of funded research and researchers through presentations, publications, digital storytelling, and professional engagement.

## What Your Support Enables

### A Strong Research Pipeline

Building a strong and sustained research pipeline by investing in people at every stage through funding, mentorship, and career development.

### Research Aligned with Professional Priorities

Aligning funding with the APTA Research Agenda, prioritizing healthcare value and patient outcomes, and supporting research that highlights the distinct contribution of PT.

### Pathways to Larger Impact

Supporting research that generates early evidence, informs larger studies, strengthens policy advocacy, and helps researchers compete for larger federal funding.

## Looking Ahead

- Increased emphasis on integrating cost-effectiveness analysis into research infrastructure.
- Advancement of key priority areas, including primary care physical therapy.
- Development of new endowments to provide stable, long-term funding for research and researchers.
- Continued emphasis on demonstrating the value and impact of physical therapy within a rapidly evolving healthcare landscape.

# Who We Are

## Our Mission

**To fund research and develop researchers to optimize movement and improve the health of society.**

## Our Vision

**To shape the future of health through physical therapy research.**

Founded in 1979, the Foundation for Physical Therapy Research is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization governed by a Board of Trustees. As the research funding organization for the American Physical Therapy Association (APTA) and the only national nonprofit focused exclusively on advancing physical therapy through research, our sole purpose is to fund physical therapy research and support the development of physical therapy researchers.

Through the generosity of our donors, our investments support a sustainable pipeline of highly skilled physical therapy researchers who generate evidence demonstrating the value and effectiveness of physical therapy interventions that can be accessible to all who need them.



# 2025 Funding At A Glance

TOTAL FUNDING AWARDED

# \$1,170,000

35 FUNDING  
AWARDEES

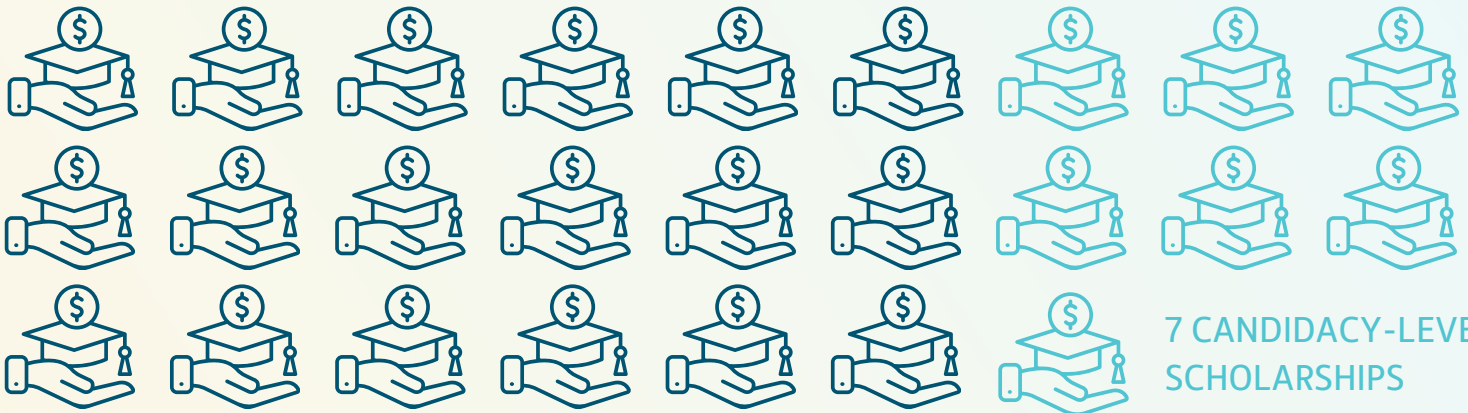


**\$75,000** POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP FUNDING



1 POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP

**\$240,000** ACADEMIC DOCTORAL SCHOLARSHIP FUNDING



18 PRE-CANDIDACY SCHOLARSHIPS

**\$135,000**

7 CANDIDACY-LEVEL  
SCHOLARSHIPS

**\$105,000**

**\$855,000** GRANT FUNDING



9 RESEARCH GRANTS

# Funding Updates

## New Support for Health Services Doctoral Studies and Research

With the wrapping up of its transformative 10-year, \$3.7m support to the groundbreaking Center for Health Services Training and Research (CoHSTAR) in 2025, the Foundation took important steps to help ensure that strengthening this specialty will continue. The Foundation launched an annual scholarship for a promising health services doctoral student. The new health services research grant ensures that early career physical therapy health services researchers have grant funding available to support high-quality, impactful research in this area.

## Postdoctoral Fellowship Relunched

The Foundation relaunched its Postdoctoral Fellowship after a one-year hiatus during which the requirements and funding level were updated. The award attracted nine applicants, which was a 200% increase over 2023.

## Continued Commitment to Supporting Grant Writing Training

The Foundation remained committed to supporting grant writing training through programs such as the Workshop in Implementation Science and Health Services (WISH) Workshop, Training in Grantsmanship for Rehabilitation Research (TIGRR), and Grant Writing and Mentorship in Education Research (GAMER), helping researchers strengthen their ability to develop competitive proposals. This work reflects an ongoing dedication to building grant writing capacity and ensuring PT researchers are prepared to secure funding that advances the profession's research priorities.

# Donor Support: New Funds

Working in close collaboration with APTA academies and individual donors, the Foundation secured both restricted and unrestricted funding through pledged gifts, support of existing funds, and the creation of new endowments.

**March 2025** .....

**Academy of Neurologic PT Pledge**

The Academy of Neurologic Physical Therapy deepened its longstanding partnership with a \$110,000 pledge to support neurology research. Combined with a \$140,000 bequest from Isabelle Bohman, this investment establishes the Neurologic Physical Therapy Research Grant Fund—creating sustainable support to advance research and strengthen clinical practice.

**Steve Teppner's AIRE Endowment** .....

**October 2025**

Steve Teppner, PT, PhD, FAPTA, created the AIRE Endowment—Angels Investing in Research and Education was established through a generous \$250,000 gift, with plans for an additional planned estate donation to ensure its long-term impact.

The AIRE Endowment will support research in cardiovascular and pulmonary physical therapy and physical therapy education, funding grants that alternate between advancing clinical evidence and strengthening doctoral education. Rooted in Steve's early experience as a Foundation-funded researcher, the endowment reflects a deep commitment to investing in the next generation of researchers and educators.

**December 2025** .....

**Fund for Excellence**

Stuart Binder-Macleod, PT, PhD, FAPTA, and Catriona Binder-Macleod made a generous \$250,000 pledge to support the Foundation's mission through flexible, unrestricted funding. Once their pledge is fulfilled, the Foundation will recognize the Stuart and Catriona Binder-Macleod Fund for Excellence, the first named fund within the Fund for Excellence. Their leadership and generosity help ensure the Foundation can sustain core operations, respond to emerging opportunities, and advance strategic priorities.

# Donor Support: New Ways to Fundraise

These fundraising efforts, taking place outside of the Foundation's 'usual' programs, are recognized for showcasing creative, out-of-the-box thinking from the community that surrounds and supports the Foundation.



## New Orleans Pelicans PT Appreciation Night

The Foundation partnered with the New Orleans Pelicans to host a Physical Therapy Appreciation Night, creating an opportunity to engage fans while highlighting the profession. A portion of ticket sales from the game supported physical therapy research, turning an exciting night of basketball into a meaningful opportunity to give back. The partnership contributed to the Foundation's work and helped raise awareness of how physical therapy supports athletes and active communities. It also demonstrated the potential for creative collaborations to connect with new audiences.

## NDC Exhibition Charity Partner



The Foundation was selected as the charitable partner for the 2025 National Distribution & Contracting, Inc. (NDC) Exhibition, where an interactive putting challenge encouraged donations in exchange for a chance to win prizes. Supported by healthcare distributors, manufacturers, and industry professionals, the activity raised several thousand dollars and reinforced the importance of investing in physical therapy research, while demonstrating how creative engagement can bring industry partners together around a shared mission.

# Conferences & Events

## CSM Donor Networking Event

February 2025

Houston, TX



## CSM Marquette Challenge Student Event

February 2025

Houston, TX



## Education Leadership Conference

October 2025

Kansas City, MO



## APTA Private Practice Conference & Inaugural Foundation Corporate Stakeholder Meeting

November 2025

Orlando, FL



# 2025 VCU-Marquette Challenge

The 2025 VCU-Marquette Challenge marked another inspiring year of student-led support for the future of their profession. Throughout the year, participating programs hosted a wide range of creative events and fundraisers—bringing students, faculty, and communities together in support of physical therapy research and the advancement of the profession.

For the first very first time, the University of Delaware earned the top spot, demonstrating exceptional dedication and impact in this year's Challenge. This year also reflected exciting momentum nationwide, with eight new schools joining the Challenge. Their involvement signals a strong upward trend and reinforces the collective commitment of students to give back to their profession.

The Challenge remains one of the Foundation's most significant annual fundraisers and, since its inception in 1989, has raised more than \$5 million to advance physical therapy research.



**Northwestern University Musical Chairs**



**Shenandoah University 5K**



**University of Delaware Pie Time**

## BY THE NUMBERS

**\$194,605.09**

**TOTAL AMOUNT RAISED**

**72**

**Participating  
Schools**

**8**

**New  
Schools**

**27**

**Awardees**

# 2025 VCU-Marquette Challenge

## TOP 3 WINNERS



## SPECIAL AWARD WINNERS

### Award of Excellence (\$10,000+)

Marquette University  
Northwestern University

### Award of Merit (\$6,000+)

New York University  
Shenandoah University  
Somesert Community College  
The Ohio State University  
University of Miami

### Honorable Mention (\$3,000)

Arcadia University  
Duke University  
Emory University  
LSU Health Shreveport  
Regis University  
University of Illinois Chicago  
The University of Iowa  
Washington University in St. Louis  
William Carey University

### Most Successful Newcomer

Saint Joseph's University

### Biggest Stretch

Northwestern University

### Most Successful PTA School

Somerset Community College

### Most Creative Fundraiser

The George Washington University

### Best Comeback

Hunter College

### Best Effort to Raise \$1,000

Texas Tech University Health  
Sciences Center

## PHILANTHROPY CIRCLE (CUMULATIVE AWARDS)

### Crest Society (\$400,000+)

University of Miami

### Challenge Society (\$100,000+)

Northwestern University

## PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS

|                                                       |                                                 |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Arcadia University                                    | Shenandoah University                           |
| AT Still University-Arizona School of Health Sciences | Simmons University                              |
| Bellarmine University                                 | Somerset Community College                      |
| Boston University                                     | St. Ambrose University                          |
| Briar Cliff University                                | Stockton University                             |
| Brookline College                                     | Temple University                               |
| Carrington College - Mesa Carroll University          | Texas State University                          |
| Chaffey College                                       | Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center    |
| Creighton University                                  | The George Washington University                |
| Duke University                                       | The Ohio State University                       |
| Emory University                                      | The University of Iowa                          |
| Franklin Pierce University - Goodyear AZ              | The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill |
| GateWay Community College                             | Thomas Jefferson University                     |
| Hofstra University                                    | Touro University Nevada                         |
| Hunter College                                        | University at Buffalo                           |
| Ivy Tech Community College - Northwest                | University of Cincinnati                        |
| LSU Health Shreveport                                 | University of Delaware                          |
| Marquette University                                  | University of Hartford                          |
| Marymount University                                  | University of Illinois Chicago                  |
| Maryville University of St. Louis                     | University of Kentucky                          |
| Mayo Clinic School of Health Sciences                 | University of Maryland Eastern Shore            |
| MGH Institute of Health Professions                   | University of Miami                             |
| Midwestern University - Downers Grove                 | University of Mississippi Medical Center        |
| Midwestern University - Glendale                      | University of Nebraska Medical Center           |
| Mohave Community College                              | University of Pittsburgh                        |
| Nassau Community College                              | University of South Carolina                    |
| Nazareth College of Rochester                         | University of South Dakota                      |
| New York University                                   | University of Utah                              |
| Northern Arizona University - Flagstaff               | University of Washington                        |
| Northwestern University                               | University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point         |
| Old Dominion University                               | Virginia Commonwealth University                |
| Pima Medical Institute - Mesa Campus                  | Washington University in St. Louis              |
| Pima Medical Institute - Tucson Campus                | Widener University                              |
| Regis University                                      | William Carey University                        |
| Sacred Heart University                               |                                                 |

# Researcher Spotlight: Pathways to Research

In 2025, we continued to elevate the scholars and researchers supported by the Foundation with an added video component. We developed the series, Researcher Spotlight: Pathways to Research, a feature designed to illustrate the journey of a physical therapy researcher from the initial decision to pursue an academic doctoral degree through mid-career advancement and into academic leadership. These stories were shared in the APTA Magazine and through video interviews on the Foundation's YouTube Channel.

## Exploring the Doctoral Student Experience With Two Aspiring Researchers

Rowena Tam, PT, DPT, PhD .....  
Kiersten McCartney, PT, DPT, PhD



## Mid-Career Perspectives and Advice from Physical Therapy Researchers

..... Kirby Mayer, PT, DPT, PhD and  
Richard Souza PT, MPT, PhD

## Advancing Physical Therapy Education

Gail Jensen, PT, PhD, FAPTA .....



## The Impact of Mentorship in Physical Therapy: Reflections on a Career of Teaching, Research, and Leadership

..... Rick Segal, PT, PhD, FAPTA

# 2025 Service Award Recipients

These recipients are recognized for their contributions to the Foundation and ongoing commitment to advancing physical therapy research.

**Drew Bossen, PT, MBA &  
Joe Farrell, PT, DPT, MA, FAPTA**  
Bartlett Trustee .....  
Recognition Service Award

Watch Drew's  
acceptance video!



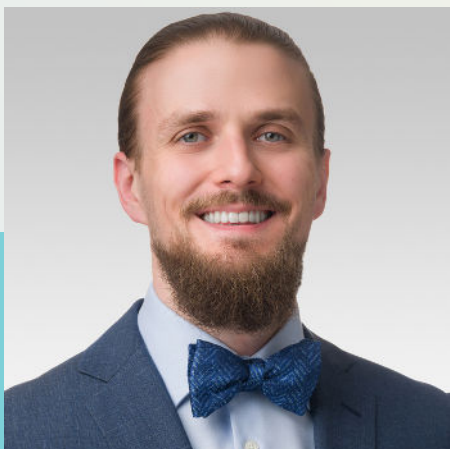
**APTA Academy of Cardiovascular  
and Pulmonary Physical Therapy .....**  
Premier Partner in Research Award



**Stuart Binder-Macleod,  
PT, PhD, FAPTA**  
2025 Magistro Distinguished  
Service Award .....

..... **HPSO/CNA**  
Spirit of Philanthropy Award





**Alexander Bengtsson, PT, DPT**

Northwestern University  
Feinberg School of Medicine  
Paris Patla Manual Therapy Research Grant

*Effects of Noxious vs Non-noxious Knee  
Mobilization on Cortical Activity in  
Chronic Joint Pain*



**Stacey Dusing, PT, PhD, FAPTA**

Northwestern University  
Feinberg School of Medicine  
Paris Patla Physical Therapy Research Grant

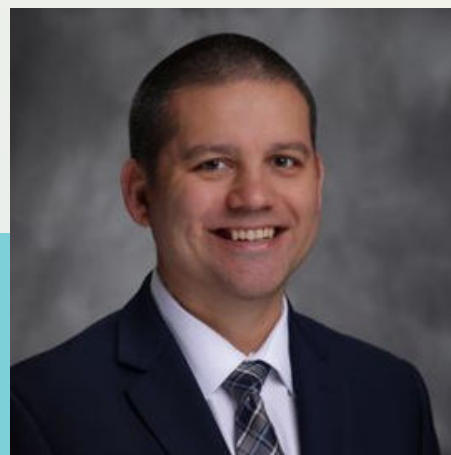
*Comparative Effectiveness of Telehealth  
vs in-Person Delivery of the Supporting  
Play Exploration and Early Development  
Intervention in Underserved Urban and  
Rural Populations*



**Jill Heathcock, PT, MPT, PhD**

The Ohio State University  
Cardiovascular & Pulmonary Physical  
Therapy Research Grant

*Intensive Physical Therapy for Young  
Children With Ventricular Assist  
Devices Prior to Heart Transplant*



**Joshua Johnson, PT, DPT, PhD**

Duke University School of Medicine  
Acute Care Physical Therapy Research Grant

*Defining and Evaluating the "Integrated  
Practice Unit" as a Model for Acute  
Care Physical Therapy Delivery*

# 2025 Research Grants



**Emily Kahnert, PT, DPT, PhD**

University of Minnesota Twin Cities  
Physical Therapy Health Services  
Research Grant

*Cost-Effectiveness of  
Telerehabilitation for Individuals With  
Temporomandibular Disorders*



**Rebecca Molinini, PT, PhD**

The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
Pediatric Physical Therapy Research Grant

*Brain-Heart Behavior Connections:  
Understanding Associations Between Patient-  
Infant Relationships, Infant  
Neurodevelopment, and Parent  
Neurophysiology*

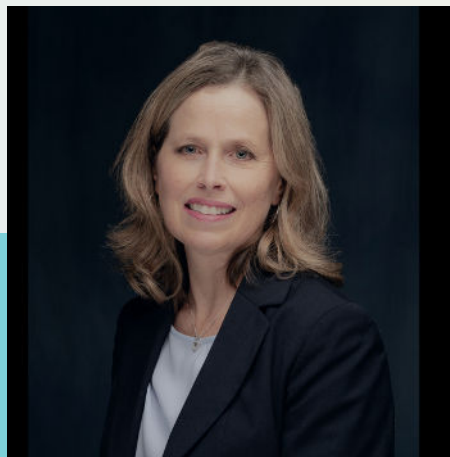


**Jayakrishnan Nair, PT, MSPT, PhD**

Thomas Jefferson University  
Magistro Family Foundation Research Grant

*Respiratory Neural Drive in Down Syndrome*

# 2025 Research Grants



**Barbara Smith, PT, PhD**

University of Florida

VCU-Marquette Foundation Research Grant

*Rehabilitation-based Approaches to Prevent Mechanical Ventilation-Induced Breathing Dysfunction*



**Oscar Vila-Diequez, PT, MSc, PhD**

University of California, San Diego

Orthopedic Physical Therapy Research Grant

*Supraspinatus Muscle Response to Exercise in Individuals With Rotator Cuff Tears Who Failed Physical Therapy*



Watch this video to learn more about Oscar's research!

# 2025 Postdoctoral Fellowship



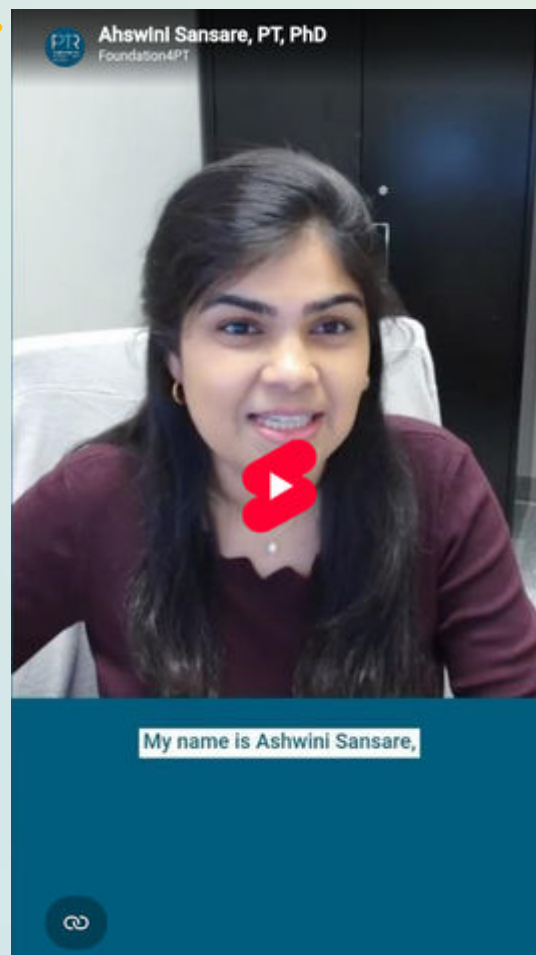
**Ashwini Sansare, PT, PhD**

Texas A&M University

Ashwini's research and training focuses on the impact on balance control in older adults following somatosensory cortical and cerebellar non-invasive brain stimulation.

She also received a Promotion of Doctoral Studies Scholarship in 2022 from the Foundation while on her PhD journey.

Watch this video to learn more about Ashwini's research!



# 2025 Promotion of Doctoral Studies Scholarships

## Pre-candidate Awardees



**Amelia Cain, PT, DPT**

University of Southern California  
Award Funded by  
California PT Fund



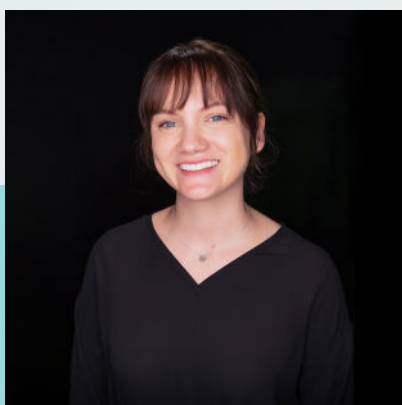
**Nina Carson, PT, DPT**

University of Colorado Denver  
Charlene Mae Nelson Award



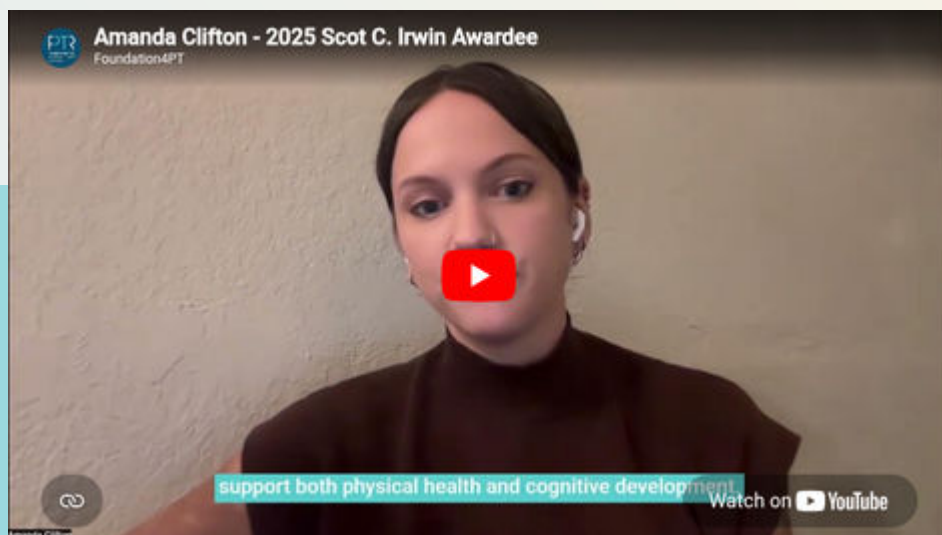
**Stacey Chen, PT, DPT**

Washington University in St. Louis  
Phoebe Rhomberger Award



**Amanda Clifton, PT, DPT**

University of Miami  
Scot C. Irwin Award



**Kellie Collins, PT, DPT**

University of Wisconsin-Madison  
Neurology Award



**Jessica Elliot, PT, DPT**

University of Colorado Denver  
Acute Care Award



**Christina Kea Holl, PT, DPT**

University of Southern California  
Mildred L. Wood Award

# 2025 Promotion of Doctoral Studies Scholarships

## Pre-candidate Awardees



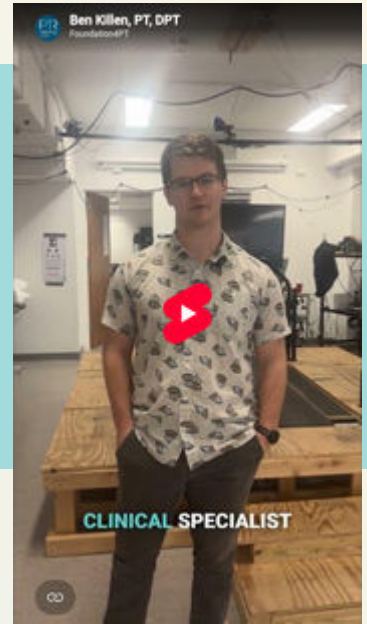
**Claudia Kacmarcik, PT, DPT**

University of Delaware  
Florence P. Kendall Award



**Benjamin Killen, PT, DPT**

The University of North Carolina  
at Chapel Hill  
Viva J. Erickson Award



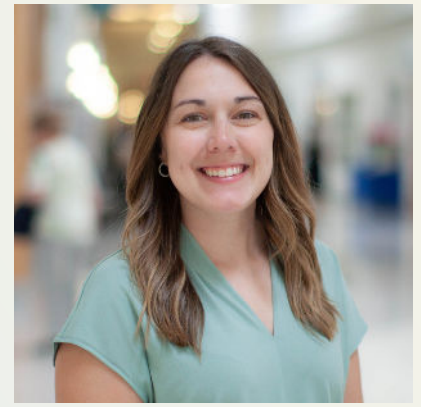
**Jemma Kim, PT, DPT**

University of Delaware  
Patricia Leahy Award



**Matthew Lee Kuik, PT, DPT**

University of Wisconsin-Madison  
Phoebe Rhomberger Award



**Sydney Liles, PT, DPT**

University of Delaware  
Goergen Award



**Matthew Paponetti, PT, DPT**

The Ohio State University  
APTA Pediatrics Award



# 2025 Promotion of Doctoral Studies Scholarships

## Pre-candidate Awardees



**Ben Reader, PT, DPT**

The Ohio State University  
Scot C. Irwin Award



**Zoe Sirotiak, PT, DPT**

Iowa State University of  
Science and Technology  
APTA Pediatrics Award



**Joel Thompson, PT, DPT**

The University of North Carolina  
at Chapel Hill  
Legacy Award



**Melissa Kim Tran, PT, DPT**

University of Colorado Denver  
APTA Geriatrics Award



**Lauren Van Valkenburgh,  
PT, DPT**

University of Colorado Denver  
Pelvic Health Award

# 2025 Promotion of Doctoral Studies Scholarships

## Candidate Awardees



**Timothy Fleagle, PT, DPT**

The University of Iowa  
Phoebe Rhomberger Award



**Ben Friedman, PT, DPT**

University of Maryland, Baltimore  
APTA Geriatrics Award



**Samuel Jackson, PT, DPT**

University of Delaware  
VCU-Marquette Challenge Award



**Anne Leung, PT, DPT**

The University of Iowa  
Goergen Award



**Allison Nogi, PT, DPT**

Georgia Institute of Technology  
Mary Lou Barnes Award



**Matthew Picard-Fraser,  
PT, DPT**

MGH Institute of Health Professions  
Karen St. John Award



**Andrew Smith, PT, DPT**

University of Delaware  
Charlene Mae Nelson Award

# Financials

We are grateful for the trust you place in the Foundation and in our responsibility to steward your support with care and discipline. That trust guides our approach to financial management and our commitment to long-term sustainability.

Through careful oversight and prudent financial practices, we work to ensure that the Foundation remains well positioned to support physical therapy research—both today and in the years ahead. Your contributions allow us to invest in a strong and growing pipeline of investigators while maintaining the stability needed to sustain that work over time.

We are especially appreciative of those who, in 2025, strengthened the Foundation's future through planned giving, including new Legacy Society commitments and additional endowment-building gifts. These gifts play an important role in securing reliable resources for future research funding.

We remain mindful that every contribution represents both generosity and responsibility. Our continued 4-star rating from Charity Navigator and Platinum-level recognition from Candid (GuideStar) reflect our focus on sound financial management, transparency, and accountability. These distinctions serve as external validation of our efforts to manage resources wisely and in alignment with our mission.

In that spirit, we invite you to review the summarized financial information that follows this page. For full audited financial statements, please click [here](#) or visit our financials webpage.

With appreciation,  
Don Jackson, PT, MS  
Treasurer



Foundation for Physical Therapy Research, Inc.  
Statement of Financial Position  
December 31, 2025 and 2024

| <b>Assets</b>            | <b>2025</b>         | <b>2024</b>         |
|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Cash & Cash Equivalents  | \$358,722           | \$301,843           |
| Investments              | \$30,799,572        | \$28,065,701        |
| Contributions Receivable | \$2,503             | \$14,303            |
| Pledges Receivable, Net  | \$148,228           | \$127,480           |
| Other Assets             | \$69,525            | \$68,896            |
| <b>Total Assets</b>      | <b>\$31,378,550</b> | <b>\$28,578,223</b> |

| <b>Liabilities</b>                  | <b>2025</b>        | <b>2024</b>        |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Accounts Payable & Accrued Expenses | \$22,406           | \$23,935           |
| Grants & Awards Payable             | \$1,426,000        | \$1,358,750        |
| <b>Total Liabilities</b>            | <b>\$1,448,406</b> | <b>\$1,382,685</b> |

| <b>Net Assets</b>                       | <b>2025</b>         | <b>2024</b>         |
|-----------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Without Donor Restrictions</b>       |                     |                     |
| Undesignated                            | \$2,008,001         | \$1,741,460         |
| Board-Designated                        | \$3,427,875         | \$3,227,134         |
| <b>Total Without Donor Restrictions</b> | <b>\$5,435,876</b>  | <b>\$4,968,594</b>  |
| <b>With Donor Restrictions</b>          |                     |                     |
| Time & Purpose                          | \$14,103,288        | \$12,266,397        |
| Perpetuity                              | \$10,390,980        | \$9,960,547         |
| <b>Total Net Assets</b>                 | <b>\$29,930,144</b> | <b>\$27,195,538</b> |

|                                           |                     |                     |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Total Liabilities &amp; Net Assets</b> | <b>\$31,378,550</b> | <b>\$28,578,223</b> |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|



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Our work would not be possible without the support of our donors. Thank you for your continued generosity and dedication to advancing physical therapy research.

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## Magistro Founders Society

**\$50,000+**

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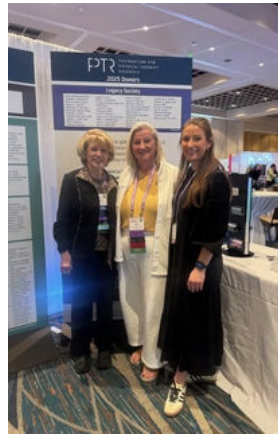


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