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2                                   **ANNUAL REPORT OF THE IAFP FOUNDATION**

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4   **Indianapolis, IN**

**July 20, 2018**

5                                   **Windel Stracener, MD**  
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7   Student support continues to be the top priority for the IAFP Foundation. We were happy to provide  
8   scholarships for six students from Marian and Indiana universities to attend Family Medicine Midwest  
9   meeting outside of Chicago last fall. We look forward to providing additional funds for the 2018  
10   meeting, which will take place in Madison, WI. The Foundation remains committed to funding a  
11   scholarship for any student currently attending medical school in Indiana.  
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13   The Board of Trustees will be meeting during the Annual Convention in Indianapolis, and looks forward  
14   to discussing the future of the IAFP Foundation Family Medicine Scholarship, and efforts to potentially  
15   honor a student from each university at that time.  
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17   Staff maintains a good working relationship with the student interest groups at both IU and Marian, and  
18   the Foundation has funded several programs at each campus. The highlight of the year was again a  
19   combined event titled "Match Madness" in April. Students from both Indiana and Marian came together  
20   to learn from a panel of graduating students that matched in family medicine. It was a great opportunity  
21   to start preparing for "The Match" - as well as get to know students at both of the medical schools.  
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23   *Family Practice Stories* was honored as the recipient of the 2017 AAFP Foundation Outstanding  
24   Program Award. The award was presented to Richard Feldman, MD on behalf of the Board of Trustees  
25   in San Antonio last fall. Students at both Indiana and Marian have been given copies of the book from  
26   their respective schools, with some financial support from the Foundation.  
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28   The true highlight of the year was one that resulted from tragedy, as the IAFP Foundation - with the  
29   support of the IAFP - collected funds for physicians in Puerto Rico following Hurrican Maria. To date,  
30   funds raised have surpassed \$103,000 - which provided 66 generators, 8 "Go phones" to coordinate  
31   efforts, and many more supplies. Nearly 200 donations were received, representing 24 chapters and/or  
32   chapter foundations and family physicians from at least 38 states. We will continue to work with the  
33   Puerto Rico chapter on this effort, as many remain without power - 10 months after landfall.  
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35   I would like to thank all of you who have donated to the Foundation this year. With a single  
36   commitment of potentially \$35,000 now included in our annual budget, it is now more important than  
37   ever that our membership gives. This life-changing scholarship simply would not be possible without  
38   these contributions. If you have not yet donated, allow me to take this time to ask you to strongly  
39   consider a gift to the Foundation before the end of the year. There are many opportunities to give...so  
40   please give generously!  
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42   Respectfully submitted,  
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44   Windel Stracener, MD

45   Chairman, IAFP Foundation Board of Trustees