CCA Career Research Award

The CCA Career Research Award is presented to five individuals who have made a tremendous contribution to the chiropractic research community in Canada which has flourished over the past 30 years as a direct result of their insight and vision in 1975.

The original Founders of the Chiropractic Foundation for Spinal Research (CFSR) in 1975, now the Canadian Chiropractic Research Foundation (CCRF), were all from Winnipeg, Manitoba and are:

Dr. Ronald Henderson Collett DC
Dr. Terry Alan Watkins DC
Dr. Edward Allan Hawkins DC
Dr. John Kenneth Bloomer DC
Dr. Walter Joseph Savickey DC

The chiropractic research community in Canada would not be where it is today without their insight and vision in the mid 70’s. Collectively, these doctors inspired and advanced our profession in its relationship with patients, the public, and with government and provided outstanding service to the chiropractic profession and to the research community. Each has distinguished themselves and set a direction which today has grown to include university-based Chiropractic Research Chairs, and chiropractors who have undertaken research as a career and obtained their PhD’s. In addition, the profession has a Research Consortium composed of a dozen chiropractic researchers across Canada and a Research Symposium every 2 to 3 years that attracts hundreds of attendees.

All five individuals exemplify the best of our profession and the high standards of service expected from the research community at large and are clearly deserving of the recognition afforded by the CCA Career Research Award.

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Recipients of the 2006 CCA Career Research Award

Dr. Ronald Henderson Collett DC
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Dr. Edward Alan Hawkins DC
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Dr. John Kenneth (Steve) Bloomer
St. Anne, Manitoba

Dr. Walter Joseph Savickey DC
Winnipeg, Manitoba

Congratulations to the five original founders of the CFSR!
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