

Alumni

Richard F. Greminger, M.D. (Residency 1968), died August 26, 2010. He was 71. After receiving his undergraduate and medical degrees from Princeton University and Cornell Medical College, respectively, he completed general surgery training at the U-M and in Nebraska, and plastic surgery training at the University of Miami. He practiced for 12 years in Albany, New York, then relocated to Pembroke Pines, Florida, where he retired as chief of plastic surgery at Memorial Hospital West in 1996. During his career Greminger made several volunteer trips to South America to repair cleft lips in children.

Carl P. Herkimer (M.D. 1960) died December 7, 2010, at age 76. An orthopedic surgeon, he trained at St. Vincent's Hospital and Maumee Valley Hospital in Toledo, Ohio. Herkimer served in the U.S. Navy from 1965-67, and afterward joined an orthopedic practice in Toledo, where he remained throughout his career. In addition to his private practice, Herkimer served on the staff at St. Luke's Hospital. He retired from surgery in 1999, but continued to treat patients part-time.

Charles R. Howie (M.D. 1961, Residency 1965) died January 7, 2011, at age 75. A dermatologist, he practiced briefly in East Lansing, Michigan, after completing his residency, then served in the U.S. Army as chief of dermatology at Walson Army Hospital in New Jersey. During the 37 years that followed, he practiced in Grand Rapids and Big Rapids, Michigan.

Jill C. Irvine (M.D. 1982, Residency 1985), 56, died November 11, 2010, after an 18-month battle with glioblastoma. Irvine earned a degree from the

U-M School of Nursing in 1976, then went on to the Medical School and a U-M residency in anesthesiology. She began practicing pediatric anesthesiology at Shriners Hospital for Children in Portland, Oregon, in 1985, and remained there throughout her 24-year career.

Mary Anne Mangelsen (M.D. 1972), of Chelsea, Michigan, died December 5, 2010, at age 76. Mangelsen served the Order of the Sisters of Mercy for 17 years while earning a Ph.D. in microbiology from the Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C. After completing her M.D. at the U-M, she practiced emergency medicine here and at W.A. Foote Memorial Hospital in nearby Jackson. In 1982 she became chair and medical director of Foote's Department of Emergency Medicine. She retired in 1997, but continued to serve the medical community as a surveyor of the Joint Commission on Hospital Accreditation.

William Standish Reed (M.D. 1945, Residency 1955), 88, died December 28, 2010. He served in the U.S. Navy as a medical officer, and practiced surgery abroad and in the



U.S., including as a member of the staff at Tampa General and University Community hospitals in the Tampa, Florida, area. Standish was widely known for his belief in and publications about the relationship of faith, prayer and medicine. He founded and was president of the Christian Medical Foundation International, and was featured many times in the national media.

Ivan John Roggen (M.D. 1940, Residency 1948), 96, died November 28,

2010. Roggen interned at Iowa Methodist Hospital, then entered the U.S. Army and was assigned to the 82nd Airborne Division as the surgeon of the 504th Parachute Infantry Regiment. He served overseas in 1943, and received Legion of Merit, Bronze Star and Purple Heart medals. After the war, Roggen returned to the U-M and completed a residency and fellowship in pediatrics, then practiced privately in Saginaw, Michigan, until retiring in 1985.

Richard H. Schneider (M.D. 1952, Residency 1959), 83, died December 29, 2010. He served in the U.S. Navy as a medical officer between his medical school and residency training. An orthopedic surgeon, Schneider practiced in Jackson, Michigan, for 41 years.

Dennis W. Shermeta (M.D. 1965, Residency 1971) of Cheboygan, Michigan, and Cottonwood, Arizona, died October 24, 2010. He was 71. A pediatric surgeon, Shermeta trained at Johns Hopkins University and spent the majority of his career as a surgeon and professor at the University of Chicago.

Edward Stehouwer (M.D. 1957) died October 10, 2010. He was 85. For 10 years, Stehouwer and his wife, Flora Benka Stehouwer (M.D. 1952), who preceded him in death in 1981, served the Christian Reformed World Missions in Nigeria. In 1968 they settled in Cadillac, Michigan, where he became a family practitioner with the Medical Arts Group until 1999. Stehouwer served as medical director of Lakeview Lutheran Manor care facility for 21 years, retiring there in 2007, and helped establish a free clinic for the uninsured, where he also volunteered. With his second wife, Muriel, he made several medical mission trips to the Dominican Republic.

James W. Thornton, M.D. (Residencies 1984 and 1986), died in a plane crash October 15, 2010, on his way to perform volunteer surgery with the Flying Samaritans in Baja, Mexico. He was 59. Thornton completed residencies in general and plastic surgery at University Hospital after receiving his medical degree from the University of California, Irvine. He established a practice in the Central Coast area of California, where he worked and resided for 23 years. Donations in his memory may be made to the Bartlett Professorship in Pediatric Surgery, 1000 Oakbrook Dr., Suite 100, Ann Arbor, MI, 48104.



John Lyman Zimmerman (M.D. 1951), 86, of Bellevue, Ohio, died February 25, 2010, following a lengthy illness. He left his undergraduate studies at Oberlin College in 1943 to become a B-17 pilot in the U.S. Army Air Corps. Based in England during World War II, Zimmerman was co-piloting a plane which was shot down, and he subsequently was captured and held as a POW for nine months before being freed. He returned to Oberlin in 1945 and entered the U-M Medical School in 1947. Zimmerman completed residency training in internal medicine and pathology in Ohio, followed by fellowship training in Louisiana. Beginning in 1957, he practiced at several hospitals in central northern Ohio. In 1960 he became the pathologist at Memorial Hospital in Fremont, where he later co-founded ZIRRM Pathology. He retired in 2000, and continued his service as assistant coroner for Sandusky County until 2004.

Faculty

John W. Henderson, M.D. (Residency 1946, Ph.D. 1948), professor emeritus and former chair of the U-M Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences (1968-78), died January 19, 2011. He was 94. Henderson earned his M.D. and a master's in anatomy at Occidental College before coming to the U-M for his Ph.D. and residency training. He joined the U-M faculty in 1948. A clinician and surgeon, Henderson introduced corneal surgery to the department and helped found the Michigan Eye Bank.



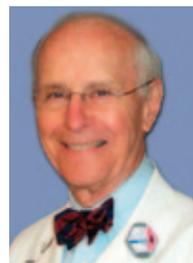
Frank N. Ritter, M.D. (Residency 1960), died November 16, 2010. He was 82. Ritter completed his M.D. at St. Louis University School of Medicine and a master's at the U-M. From 1950-57 he served in the U.S. Air Force in San Antonio, Texas, where he taught flight medicine and researched the effects of space travel on the ears of pilots and crew. He then completed an ear, nose and throat (ENT) residency at the U-M, and joined the U-M faculty in 1964. In the early 1970s, Ritter entered private practice at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor, and participated in the U-M ENT residency training program. He then rejoined the U-M faculty as a clinical professor, retiring here in 2005. During his career at the U-M, Ritter received the Silver Shovel Award and the Senior Award, both given by students. The Frank Ritter Teaching Award



is given annually to a faculty member in the Department of Otolaryngology.

Friends

Theodore E. Keats, M.D. (Residency 1951), 86, died December 10, 2010, from pneumonia; he also had been battling cancer. During medical school at the University of Pennsylvania, Keats served in World War II as part of the Army Specialized Training Program. Following a radiology residency at the U-M, he served as captain in the Army Medical Corps during the Korean War. At the time of his death, Keats was an active alumni professor of radiology in the University of Virginia School of Medicine, where he chaired the Department of Radiology for 29 years. Keats and his wife, Patricia, who survives, have generously supported the U-M Department of Radiology.



Thomas R. Berglund (M.D. 1959), 76, died January 18, 2011. He practiced family medicine in Kalamazoo for 48 years, and during his career served as president of the Michigan State Medical Society and as chair of the American Medical Political Action Committee. Berglund and his wife generously established the Jill and Thomas Berglund, M.D., Scholarship Fund in the U-M Medical School; donations to the fund in his memory may be sent to 1000 Oakbrook Dr., Suite 100, Ann Arbor, MI, 48104. —MF

