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To honor the life of Dr. T. Michael Moles, the World Association for Disaster and Emergency Medicine (WADEM) has established a fund to award a two year free membership in WADEM to enthusiastic people with an interest in pursuing a career in Disaster and Emergency Medicine. This fund is directed at those who otherwise cannot afford to become members. Membership includes a two year subscription to Prehospital and Disaster Medicine, the WADEM Newsletter (Insights), access and networking with leaders in the field, and discounts at regional and world Congresses.

Application Process

There are simple guidelines for those who wish to apply for an award.

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- ♦ A copy of a current Curriculum Vitae
- A personal statement (not exceeding two sides of A4) as to why you deserve this Fellowship and what benefits you expect to gain from it, as well as stating how you will continue your involvement in the WADEM
- The name of one reference

Candidates selected must submit an annual report of his/her WADEMrelated activities to the WADEM Board of Directors and will submit a scientific paper or poster for presentation and discussion at the WADEM World Congress.

All applications will be reviewed by a Committee consisting of: The President of WADEM The Immediate Past-President The Treasurer

Successful candidates wtll be announced at the 14th World Congress to be convened in Edinburgh, Scotland, 16-20 May 2005.

Wherever possible, applications should be made electronically to pdm@medicine.wisc.edu

Or, if this is not possible, please send your application to the WADEM International Office by mail or fax

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All applications received will be acknowledged

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- Mediterranean Club for Burns and Fire Disasters
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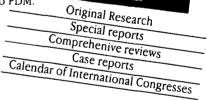
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The World Association for Disaster and Emergency Medicine (WADEM) shares the common goal of improving and standardizing the quality of prehospital and emergency care that is available to citizens of all nations. WADEM is dedicated to the ideals of Learning and Practice through a commitment to publishing the journal, Prehospital and Disaster Medicine. WADEM also recognizes the organizations that have shown commitment and dedication in the fields of public education, continuing medical education, scientific research, and analyses of medical field practices.

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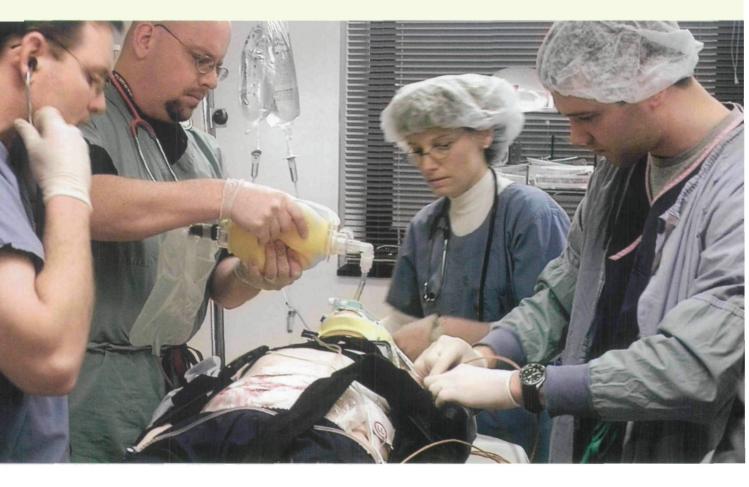
The World Association for Disaster and Emergency Medicine is Seeking Nominations for **The Peter Safar Award** for Services to Disaster Reanimatology



This award is presented to honor one of the founding members of the World Association for Disaster and Emergency Medicine (WADEM) and the first editor of *Prehospital and Disaster Medicine*. Professor Peter Safar has devoted his entire professional life to the science and teaching of reanimatology. This award will be given at the 14th World Congress on Disaster and Emergency Medicine in Edingurgh, Scotland in May of 2005 to a worthy practitioner in Disaster Medicine, who, in the opinion of the Board of Directors of the WADEM has made outstanding contributions to this field.

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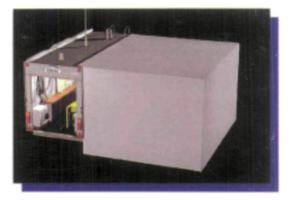


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