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NATIONAL ATHLETIC TRAINERS' ASSOCIATION RESEARCH & EDUCATION FOUNDATION 2010 Investor Report

The NATA Foundation Board of Directors would like to thank each individual and corporate donor for contributions made to the organization in 2010. Due to their generosity, the NATA Foundation was able to support the many programs and projects detailed in this report, which benefit each and every athletic trainer by advancing the mission of the profession through research and education.

Research Programs

- Nine Master's and Doctoral Gants were awarded in 2010, totaling \$11,999
- From the Foundation's inception in 1991 to December 31, 2010, the organization has awarded 207 grants totaling more than \$2.8 million
- Approximately 266 Free Communications Oral and Poster presentations were given at the NATA Annual Meeting in Philadelphia
- 22 Foundation grant recipients presented their findings to the NATA membership in Philadelphia
- Abstracts of original research were published in the Supplement to the Journal of Athletic Training
- Published the *Supplement to the Journal of Athletic Training,* which was made available to NATA members
- Grant Information Summaries, published from funded research projects, were made available to NATA members through the NATA Foundation website and at national and district meetings
- The Medal for Distinguished Athletic Training Research was presented to Thomas Weidner, PhD, ATC, FNATA in honor of Joseph S. Torg, MD
- The Doctoral Dissertation Award was presented to Erik Wikstrom, PhD, ATC in honor of David H. Perrin, PhD, ATC, FNATA
- Outcomes Research Grant continued funding

Education Programs

- 57 graduate and undergraduate scholarships, totaling \$131,100, were awarded in 2010
- Presentation of annual Lecture Exchange Program with the AMSSM, AOSSM and ACSM continued in 2010

Capital Campaign

- The goal of the Capital Campaign was to generate a significant portion of the annual resources needed to continue advancing the profession from interest generated by the Foundation's endowments
- Although the Capital Campaign is officially complete, volunteers and staff continue to work diligently to raise funds for the 39 new endowments established as part of the campaign

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