Recent prizes/ awards

Winner of the 2014 Top National SAMA-Bonitas Award: Fellowship in Art & Science of Medicine Award

Content :
· Iconic International Footprint.
· International acclaim of Excellence in the Practice of Medicine both as an Art and a Science.
· This will be an exclusive group of members who have been endowed with the special privilege of being elected onto it for break through contribution to medicine, for moving the frontiers of medicine forward or widening the horizon in the greater understanding of medicine both as an Art and a Science fully acknowledging the philosophy and the Ethical constraints of the profession as a whole.
· Championing the cause of Healthcare despite obstacles
· Equal in prestige and status to: Heroes in Medicine Award (CANADA) and Member of the Institute of Medicine (USA)
Prof Mike Sathekge was honoured by being invited to give the Highlights Lecture of the World Federation of Nuclear Medicine and Biology Congress in August 2014.

Ralph Kirsch Golden Pen Award
University of Pretoria’s article scoops the prestigious Golden Award for the most cited article in 3 years (2010-2012) in the South African Medical Journal (SAMJ). SAMJ is ranked number 1 among peer-reviewed medical journals in Africa.

**The Department of Nuclear Medicine Research Excellence**

Best Overall Clinical Paper (FDG in HIV and TB): UP 2012 (First author; M Sathekge)

Young Investigator Award (FDG PET and NaF Cocktail): SNM 2012 (First author; A Iaguru)

Published a highlighted article in the number one imaging journal (Journal of Nuclear Medicine 2011) on FDG PET in TB(First author; M Sathekge)