

## THE ELLIOT M. STONE AWARD OF EXCELLENCE IN HEALTH DATA LEADERSHIP HISTORY

### 2017--Mark McClelland, MD

The 12th Elliot M. Stone Award of Excellence in Health Data Leadership was presented to Mark McClelland, MD, PhD, the Director of the Margolis Center for Health Policy at Duke University, and a dedicated advocate for the use of administrative data for health policy, market, and research. He supports and conducts research, evaluation, implementation, and educational activities to improve health policy and health, through collaboration across Duke University and Health System, and through partnerships between the public and private sectors. Dr. McClelland is a doctor and an economist, and his work has addressed a wide range of strategies and policy reforms to improve health care outcomes and lower costs. Before coming to Duke, he served as a Senior Fellow in Economic Studies at the Brookings Institution, as Director of the Health Care Innovation and Value Initiatives and led the Richard Merkin Initiative on Payment Reform and Clinical Leadership. Dr. McClelland is a former administrator of the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) and former commissioner of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), where he developed and implemented major reforms in health policy. Dr. McClelland is the founding chair and a current board member of the Reagan-Udall Foundation for the FDA, is a member of the National Academy of Medicine and chairs the Academy's Leadership Council for Value and Science-Driven Health care, cochairs the guiding committee of the Health Care Payment Learning and Action Network, and is a research associate at the National Bureau of Economic Research. He has also previously served as a member of the President's Council of Economic Advisers and senior director for health care policy at the White House, and as Deputy Assistant Secretary for Economic Policy at the Department of the Treasury. He was previously an associate professor of economics and medicine with tenure at Stanford University, and has twice received the Kenneth Arrow Award for Outstanding Research in Health Economics.

### 2016- Dr. Anne Elixhauser

The eleventh Elliot M. Stone Award of Excellence in Health Data Leadership was presented to Dr. Anne Elixhauser, Senior Research Scientist with the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality where she is a champion for hospital administrative data. As a key team member of the AHRQ Healthcare Cost and Utilization Project (HCUP), she has been a leader in development and evolution of the National Inpatient Sample and the Kid's Inpatient Database and the development and implementation of scientifically-validated open-source analytic tools and methods in use throughout the country today. She led the development of the HCUP Statistical Briefs series for the past ten years, which continues today. Dr. Elixhauser was also involved in the initial development of MONARHQ (My Own Network, powered by AHRQ) and AHRQ Quality Indicators, important tools for states to display their local data and identify variances and target improvement initiatives. Other tools and methods that enhance the utility of state hospital discharge databases include the Clinical Classification Software and the Comorbidity measures. Because of her dedicated vision and expertise and AHRQ's partnership with states that supply the data, hospital administrative data are the cornerstone of national, state, and private-sector health services research, public and population health, and quality improvement initiatives. Dr. Elixhauser's contributions to the field have enabled health data organizations to optimize the quality and use of their own data.

### 2014 – Karen M. Bell

The tenth Elliot M. Stone Award of Excellence in Health Data Leadership was presented Karen Bell, MD, Director of the Center for Sustainable Health and Care at JBS International, focusing on improving the health of vulnerable and underserved populations in the US and worldwide. She has been ranked among the top 25 physician executives by Modern Healthcare. As the Chair of the Certification Commission for Health Information Technology, she was primary author on the first publicly available consensus developed in support of clinician readiness to successfully assume financial risk. serves on the boards of several state health information exchange organizations and data analytic companies and on committees for the Federal Advisory Committee Act, advising Health and Human Services on ways in which health data and health information technologies can better support health reform and accountable care. Dr. Bell She received her medical degree from Tufts University School of Medicine, Boston, Massachusetts, and her master of medical science degree from Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island. She was an Associate Professor at the University of Rochester, and Clinical Instructor at Harvard University School of Medicine where she continues to conduct seminars and workshops for clinicians of all types interested in improving the health and welfare of their patient populations. Prior appointments held by Dr. Bell include Director, Office of Health Information Technology Adoption of the Office of the National Coordinator, US Department of Health and Human Services where she focused on programs to support integration of HIT into clinical practice.

### 2013 – Richard E. Johannes

The ninth Elliot M. Stone Award of Excellence in Health Data Leadership was presented to Dr. Richard Johannes. Dr. Johannes has over 30 years in health services research as well as a practicing physician. Dr. Johannes publishes extensively on clinically-based risk adjustment outcome metrics for use in comparative hospital performance reporting. Most recently, he has focused on the epidemiology and economics of hospital-acquired infections. Dr. Johannes also maintains an appointment in gastroenterology at Brigham and Women's Hospital, Harvard Medical School. He was previously Vice President of Clinical Development at Datamedic in Waltham, MA where he lead two NIST Advanced Technology Program grants. From 1979-1989, Dr. Johannes was a faculty member in Gastroenterology and Biomedical Engineering at The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine.

### 2012 – WILLIAM F. DAVENHALL

Bill has spent four decades in the field of health data, and continues to be an outspoken advocate for greater innovation in the access and use of all types of health relevant data, particularly the vast collections of data generated by governments, hospitals, physicians, payers, and social service providers. Bill has championed the need for more geographically accurate health and human services data through the wider use of geographic information system technology. Bill's expertise has been focused on the secondary use of health and health relevant data collected by large scale national data collection efforts, such as those of the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS), and the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). Since joining ESRI in 1997, Bill has made geographic information systems a household word in the health and human services field across the globe. In 2012, Bill was also appointed to the "HHS Data Access and Use" that will make recommendations to the National Committee of Vital and Health Statistics which will make recommendations to the Secretary of DHHS on health data, statistics and national health information policy.

2011-- MARJORIE S. GREENBERG

2010 – CAROLYN M. CLANCY, MD

2009 – ARNOLD MILSTEIN, MD

2008 – MICHAEL PINE, MD, MBA

2007 – DAVID CARLISLE, MD, PHD

2006 – DAVID NASH, MD

2005 – ELLIOT M. STONE

2001 – DR. LOUIS SULLIVAN

2004 – ROBERT DAVIS

2000 – SENATORS KASSEBAUM AND KENNEDY

1997 – ERNEST SESSA

1996 – BRUCE VLADECK, PHD

1995 – WILLIS GOLDBECK

1994 – DOROTHY RICE, ScD

1993 – KERR WHITE, MD

1992 – ROBERT FETTER, PHD AND