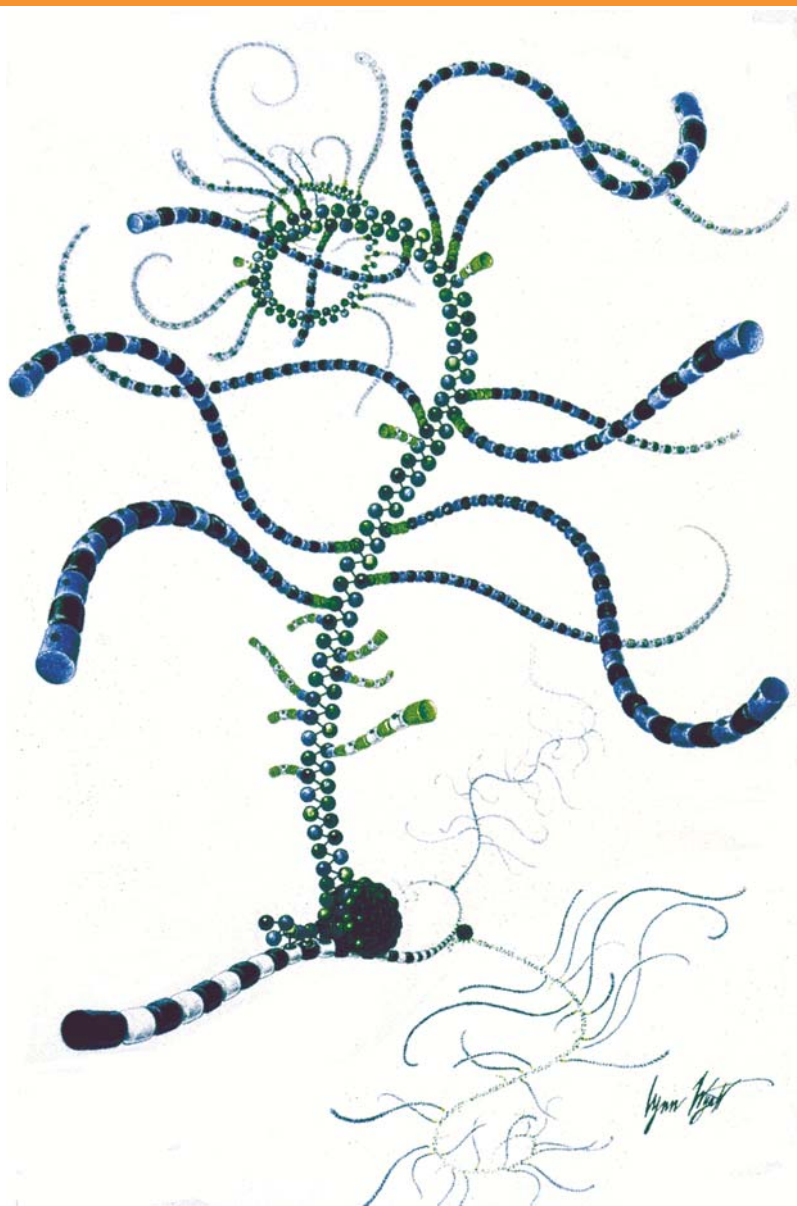


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2008 Annual Report



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CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

I am delighted to present the Australian Dental Research Foundation 26th Annual Report together with our Financial Statement for your perusal.

Thirty-eight years have now passed since the inception of the ADRF. Over 800 grants together with some 400 undergraduate research scholarships and awards have been provided to researchers with the ultimate aim of both fostering and assisting research to open and expand the quite remarkable knowledge the profession has here in Australia. While the ADRF provides most valuable ongoing support for established researchers, a very important phase is the assistance given to both new and upcoming researchers. Many, many top dental academics here in Australia were introduced to research via ADRF-funded projects.



2008 witnessed 70 grants funded and the ADRF can lay claim to having involvement in all aspects of dental research for just on 40 years and assisting the careers of a variety of individuals along the way; for that we are extremely proud.

Again, a favourite 'hobby horse' of mine is the ever difficult fundraising area and we are greatly indebted to those companies and individuals who contribute. We thank you all for your gesture and appreciate the assistance given. We do need more funds for this all important area of dentistry to positively flow and I encourage others to give strong consideration to assist this very worthy cause. Supporting Membership would be a fine way for you to contribute.

On your behalf I thank the hard working and dedicated Vice-Chairman, Professor Ian Meyers, and his team of Research Advisory Committee members for an outstanding job done yet again. Dr Richard Hardham (Honorary Treasurer) and his Finance Committee personnel are diligent in their approach to matters financial. Dr Fred Widdop (Immediate Past Chairman) provides a great sounding board with his many years of experience and quality judgement. Mr Robert Boyd-Boland (Honorary Secretary), together with Ms Jan Bellette (ADRDF Services Officer) and Ms Elaine Cook (Finance Manager), handle with authority and care the day-to-day working of the ADRF in a most efficient and dedicated manner. Robert's leadership, Jan's unbelievable understanding of matters ADRF and Elaine's wise financial acumen complement this Foundation in the highest possible way.

Finally, my second term of office as ADRF Chairman has been an absolute pleasure. To be involved with competent people all pulling in the right direction to enhance research in dentistry throughout this country has been most rewarding. Parent organizations, the ADA and ADIA, deserve deep gratitude for the disciplined way they pull together to give unflagging and able support in so many ways.

Ian N Crawford
Chairman



BOARD OF DIRECTORS



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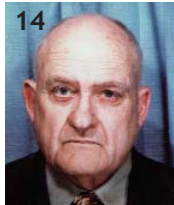
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The Directors of the Australian Dental Research Foundation Inc have pleasure in submitting the twenty-sixth Annual Report, which encompasses the calendar year 2008, including the Auditor's Report and Financial Statements for the financial year ended 30 June 2008.

The following meetings of the Foundation were held during the period under review:

Research Advisory Committee	16 July 2008
<i>(Prof Ian Meyers, A/Prof Stuart Dashper, Dr Camile Farah, Prof Neil Hunter, Prof Greg Murray, Prof Eric Reynolds, Prof Wayne Sampson, Prof Gary Slade)</i>	
Finance Committee	3 March 2008
<i>(Dr Richard Hardham, Mr Robert Boyd-Boland, Mr Ian Crawford, Mr David Dobbin, Mr John McGruther, Mr Peter Robins)</i>	
	15 September 2008
	27 October 2008
Executive Committee	4 March 2008
<i>(Mr Ian Crawford, Prof Ian Meyers, Mr Robert Boyd-Boland, Dr Richard Hardham, Dr Fred Widdop AM)</i>	
	16 September 2008
Board of Directors Meeting	28 October 2008
Annual General Meeting	28 October 2008



APPRECIATION

The ADRF Directors sincerely thank the Australian Dental Association Inc for making available both facilities and assistance of its staff as a home for this Foundation. It is greatly appreciated.

Mr Robert Boyd-Boland (Chief Executive Officer), Ms Jan Bellette (ADRF Services Officer) and Ms Elaine Cook (Finance Manager) are to be congratulated upon the diligent and dedicated work done together with Mr Duncan Campbell (ADIA Chief Executive Officer) who manages so well the ADRF Appointment Books. Thank you all.

To Professor Ian Meyers and his extremely energetic and well disciplined team of the Research Advisory Committee, we also say many thanks indeed for your efforts over the past 12 months. A job very well done.

To the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Dr Richard Hardham and his Committee, we do acknowledge the onerous role you take in satisfying all and ensuring that monies are spent and invested wisely. Congratulations.



HISTORY

The Australian Dental Research Foundation Inc is a joint project of the Australian Dental Association Inc and the Australian Dental Industry Association (ADIA), to support research in dentistry for the purpose of improving the dental health of the community.

The Foundation was established in 1970 on the initiative of Mr Colin Cormie OBE, Chairman of the Australian Dental Trade Association (later ADIA). Mr Cormie, who was ADRF Chairman from 1974 to 1982, was inspired by the American Fund for Dental Health and the enthusiastic support of many people in the Australian Dental Association and the Australian Dental Trade Association. It came into being initially as the Australian Dental Research and Education Trust, which was an unincorporated body.

The Fund (as it was originally known) became an incorporated body in 1983 and adopted the name Australian Dental Research Fund. Annual Reports have been published since that date. In July 1996 a change of name from 'Fund' to 'Foundation' was approved by the Registrar of Associations.



PRINCIPAL OBJECTIVES

- To foster and support dental research for the purpose of improving the health of the community with funds derived from investment income and use of any bequest, legacy, gift or other income.
- To encourage all fields of dental research by awarding grants to competent persons.
- To encourage, develop and support activities that stimulate a methodical approach to dental research and foster the continued advancement of dental knowledge.
- To make grants to Dental Schools and approved Research Institutes and individuals Australia-wide for research programmes.
- To provide for the publication and dissemination of the results of such research projects supported by the Foundation as the Board may consider appropriate.

Since its inception, the Foundation has funded well over 1,200 Grants and Scholarships in accordance with the above objectives.



The Foundation remains the principal source of dental research funding in Australia. This year 91 applications for grants were received for consideration by the Research Advisory Committee. All grants were initially assessed by the Chairman of the Committee and referees were assigned to assist with their evaluation. A meeting of the Committee was held in July to review referees' reports, rank the applications and adjust budgets where necessary. The 70 applications listed below were ultimately approved for funding.

RESEARCH GRANTS APPROVED IN 2008

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
Abbott A/Prof J	"Bond strength of resin composite to alumina - reinforced feldspathic ceramic"
Abuzar Dr M Humplik Dr A Perera Dr I Morgan Dr M	"The Shortened Dental Arch Concept: perceptions and attitudes of dentists in Victoria"
Adebayo Dr O Burrow Prof M Tyas Prof M	"Effects of pretreatments and casein phosphopeptide amorphous calcium phosphate application on bonding to enamel and dentine and surface roughness analysis of treated enamel"
Armfield Mr J	"Development of a modular index of dental anxiety as part of a national dental anxiety and fear survey"
Arora Dr A Zoellner A/Prof H Arora Dr M Cox Dr S	"Dietary nutrients and inflammatory cytokines in head and neck cancer"
Ashman A/Prof R	"Regulation of inflammation and host immune responses in <i>Candida albicans</i> infection"
Baros Ms H Slack-Smith Dr L	"Pilot study to investigate newspaper media portrayal of dentistry"
Barrett Dr R Cochrane Dr N Woods Prof M	"Enamel loss following deband and cement removal of orthodontic brackets surrounded by white spot lesions of varying depths and degrees of mineral loss"

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
Bartold Prof P M Marino Mr V Bates Dr C	“Connective tissue attachment to titanium implants coated with growth factors”
Bartold Prof P M Marino Mr V Chan Dr R	“Effect of growth factors on the osteoinductive potential of hydroxyapatite β -tricalcium phosphate (HA-TCP)”
Bradshaw Mr A Meyers Prof I	“Management of dentine hypersensitivity - clinical assessment and treatment modalities”
Brennan Dr D Spencer Prof A Roberts-Thomson Dr K Teusner Ms D	“Dental insurance status and its relationship to dental services’ utilisation”
Brent Dr S Swain Prof M	“A vibrational spectroscopic analysis of the composition, micro-structural arrangement and nano-mechanical characteristics of hypomineralised enamel”
Burrow Prof M Tyas Prof M Bagheri Dr R	“Fracture toughness of tooth-coloured restorative materials using nano-indentation method; the effect of water storage over six months”
Chang Dr A Sampson Prof W Fazzalari Dr N	“A characterisation of interradicular mineralized tissue adaptation in an aseptic necrosis model”
Chew Ms J Gully Dr N Zilm Mr P McNamara Dr T	“The effects of environmental redox potential (Eh) and pH on <i>Fusobacterium nucleatum</i> and <i>Porphyromonas gingivalis</i> co-cultured biofilms”
Clarkson Dr R Moule Dr A	“Factors affecting the effectiveness of sodium hypochlorite irrigating solution: presence of surfactant and interactions with EDTA”
Cochrane Dr N	“Immunolocalisation of CPP-ACP in remineralised enamel subsurface lesions and high resolution imaging of the enamel crystallites”
Cox Dr S Zoellner A/Prof H Kelly Ms L	“Evaluation of the carcinogenic initiator and the promotor activity in the areca nut salivary preparations”

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
David Miss M Zoellner A/Prof H Coleman A/Prof H	“The role of cytokines in mediating cellular fusion between malignant and stromal cells”
Dimitrijevic Ms T Moule Dr A Kahler Dr W	“Depth and distance perception of undergraduate dental students, general dental practitioners and dental specialists”
Erguven Dr E Zoellner A/Prof H Schifter Dr M	“Apoptosis and fusion of endothelium interacting with osteosarcoma cells”
Farmer Dr E Gully Dr N	“The role of <i>Porphyromonas gingivalis</i> -derived peptidylarginine deiminase (PAD) in the citrullination of α -enolase as a common link in the pathogenesis of periodontal disease and rheumatoid arthritis”
Figdor Dr D Davies Prof J	“Analysis of DNA binding to dentine”
Firouzabadi Dr S Parashos Dr P	“A study of endodontic referral patterns within Australia”
Fisher Miss E Meyers Prof I	“A clinical evaluation of Class II posterior composite resins placed using different interproximal matrix systems”
Hamlet Mr S Ivanovski Prof S	“The effect of titanium surface topography and chemistry on macrophage and monocyte gene expression”
Hampton Dr K P Arora Dr M Cox Dr S	“The risk of exposure to inorganic toxins from chewing tobacco and areca nut products”
He Dr L Jacques Prof N Rasthem Ms C	“Proteomics of human dental enamel”
Howe Dr A Webster Dr W Ritchie Dr H Oakes Dr D	“The role of foetal hypoxia in cleft lip and maxillary hypoplasia”
Hsieh Dr S Hibbert Dr S Somerville Dr H Arora Dr M	“A cohort study of the dental late effects of chemotherapy and radiotherapy in survivors of childhood cancer”

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
Karanicolas Ms S Winning Dr T Snelling Ms C Spencer Ms L	“Outcomes of learning brief motivational interviewing techniques”
Kempster Mr C Roberts-Thomson Dr K Luzzi Dr L	“The knowledge of clinical remittance and attitudes towards dually qualified therapist-hygienists amongst Australian dentists”
Leishman Ms S Ford Dr P	“Systemic inflammatory response resulting from experimental gingivitis”
McNamara Dr T Gully Dr N Zilm Mr P	“Identification and quantification of periodontal pathogens by real-time polymerase chain reaction”
Menicanin Miss D Gronthos A/Prof S Bartold Prof P M	“Genomic characterisation of mesenchymal stem cells present in human bone marrow stromal and periodontal ligament tissues”
Mihailidis Dr S Khoury Mr J Townsend Prof G Ghabriel Dr M	“Relationships of the inferior alveolar nerve, artery and vein: clinical implications for local anaesthesia in dentistry”
Mistry Dr S Seow A/Prof W K Holcombe Dr T	“Evaluation of Mineral Trioxide Aggregate (MTA) for pulpotomy and indirect pulp therapy in primary molars”
Moore Dr J Parashos Dr P	“A micro computed tomographic evaluation of apical preparation sizes using a variety of preparation techniques”
Murray Prof G Peck Prof C Henderson Dr L	“Structural and functional brain changes underlying orofacial pain”
Nadkarni Dr M Hunter Prof N	“Immune responses to biotype specific regions of the lysine gingipain (Kgp) of <i>Porphyromonas gingivalis</i> in patients with periodontitis”
Peck Prof C Murray Prof G Henderson Dr L	“Central neural changes associated with repetitive non-functional tooth contact (RNTC) habits”

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
Pyke Mr J Tan Mr K Veith Dr P	“Proteomic analysis of <i>Porphyromonas gingivalis</i> and <i>Treponema denticola</i> interactions in continuous culture”
Ranjitkar Dr S Hall Mr C Lewis Dr A Townsend Prof G Kaidonis Dr J Richards Prof L Smart Prof R	“Changes in the nanomechanical properties of eroded enamel after treatment with Tooth Mousse, Tooth Mousse Plus and fluoride”
Ranjitkar Dr S Lewis Dr A Hall Mr C Townsend Prof G Kaidonis Dr J Richards Prof L Smart Prof R	“Characterisation of enamel surface treated with Tooth Mousse and Tooth Mousse Plus by using mass spectrometry (ToFSIMS)”
Seet Dr A Cathro A/Prof P Zilm Mr P McNamara Dr T Gully Dr N	“An <i>in vitro</i> evaluation of the effectiveness of endodontic irrigants, with and without ultrasonic activation, in the eradication of <i>Enterococcus faecalis</i> biofilm”
Slack-Smith Dr L Messer Prof L	“Pilot study of family characteristics associated with dental caries in young children attending School Dental Service”
Solomon Dr R Blinkhorn Prof A Arora Dr M	“An assessment of the oral health of a group of factory workers”
Steffens Ms M Parker Dr E Jamieson Dr L Cathro A/Prof P	“A home for oral health: quantifying, addressing, and evaluating the oral health needs of homeless people in Adelaide, South Australia”
Strange Dr J Arora Dr M Martin Prof F	“Leaching of phthalates from dental composite resins”
Taji Dr S Seow A/Prof W K Townsend Prof G	“A controlled study of the oral health of twin children”

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
Tan Dr C W Dreyer Dr C	“The effects of local administration of osteoprotegerin on experimentally induced root resorption in the rat”
Tan Mr K H Seers Dr C	“The influence of glycine on <i>Treponema denticola</i> ”
Tsao Dr C Borromeo Dr G McCullough A/Prof M Ebeling Prof P	“A case-control study investigating an association between periodontal disease and jaw osteonecrosis in subjects using intravenous bisphosphonates for malignancy”
Vlacic Dr J Hamlet Mr S Ivanovski Prof S	“Regulation of BMP-2 and BMP-6 expression by titanium surface topography and chemistry”
Vorster Miss Z Meyers Prof I	“A laboratory and clinical evaluation of the surface wear and marginal integrity of a ring-opening polymer resin composite restorative material compared with a conventional composite resin in posterior teeth”
Wada Dr N Mrozik Mr K Gronthos A/Prof S Bartold Prof P M	“Immunosuppressive mechanisms of allogenic periodontal ligament stem cells on T-lymphocytes”
Walsh Prof L	“Disinfection of root canals using ozone”
Walsh Prof L	“Implant surface debridement using lasers”
Walsh Prof L	“Effectiveness of the EndoVac negative pressure irrigation system in comparison to needle delivery irrigation”
White Dr I Abbott A/Prof J McIntyre Dr J	“Investigating whether highly demineralized dentine can be remineralized”
Whittle Ms T Murray Prof G	“Effect on salivary cortisol levels by a stressful experience in chronic TMD patients”
Winning A/Prof T Suksudaj Mrs N Lekkas Dr D Townsend Prof G Kaidonis Dr J	“Factors influencing dental students' learning of psychomotor skills”

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
Wong Dr R Burrow Prof M	“Comparison of image analysis versus hydraulic conductance measurements of human dentine in a laboratory study”
Wong Mr P M Keelan A/Prof J Bird Dr P	“Stimulation of the inflammatory response in human placental tissues by periodontal organisms”
Zavgorodniy Mr A Swain Prof M	“Regulatory effect of ameloblastin proteins on biomineralisation during tooth enamel formation”
Zilm Mr P Hoffmann Dr P	“The use of MALDI mass spectrometry and biotyper software to identify oral bacteria”
Zilm Mr P Bagley Dr C Seerone Mr A	“Investigation of the nature and expression of post-translational modifications to Hsp60 and Hsp70 in <i>Fusobacterium nucleatum</i> ”
Zilm Mr P Cathro A/Prof P Plutzer Dr B McNamara Dr T	“Efficacy of antimicrobial treatment involving sodium hypochlorite, ledermix and calcium hydroxide against <i>Enterococcus faecalis</i> cultured as biofilm on a dentine substrate”
Zoellner A/Prof H Kelly Ms L Braga Dr C	“Enzymatic digestion of serum albumin for identification of the active anti-apoptotic site for endothelium”

AUSTRALIAN DENTAL INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION (ADIA) RESEARCH AWARD

The ADIA Research Award, valued at \$5,000, is awarded annually to the primary applicant for the highest-ranked research grant application. It is to be used for a new research programme, or for additional research into the project currently funded. The following have received the Award from the date of inception:

YEAR	AWARD WINNER	PROJECT
2002	Dr Jane Chalmers	“The Practical Oral Care Video – evaluation of a Dental Awareness Month initiative”
2003	Dr Saso Ivanovski	“Confirmation of protein expression encoded by transcripts that are differentially expressed in periodontal regeneration”
2004	Dr David Manton	“The correlation of quantitative light-induced fluorescence (QLF), digital photography (DP) and transversal microradiographic (TMR) measurements of enamel demineralisation and remineralisation with CPP-ACP”
2005	Dr Annetta Tsang	“Rapid assessment of plaque acid production and its relationship to plaque microbiota”
2006	Mr Alexander Zavgorodniy	“Microstructure and growth mechanisms of human dentine crystals”
2007	A/Prof Robert Ashman	“Innate defence against infections with the yeast <i>Candida albicans</i> mediated by the acute phase protein, serum amyloid A”

The 2008 Award was made to the primary grant applicant, Dr Andrew Chang from the University of Adelaide, for his grant application entitled: “A characterisation of interradicular mineralized tissue adaptation in an aseptic necrosis model”.

R W HESSION AWARD

Thanks to an extremely generous donation made by Dr Reginald Hession AM K LJ, it is possible to make available funds for a new award, the ‘R W Hession Award’. The donation was used to establish an entirely new entity, separate from the ADRF’s annual round of grants. The capital sum that generates income to make this possible will be sequestered and managed within the Foundation’s overall investment portfolio. Every second year, beginning in 2008, its attributed income will fund a travel grant or other submitted programme of surpassing merit. It is anticipated that the R W Hession Award will become both highly regarded and very competitive. Its inaugural recipient will receive an amount of \$15,000.

The 2008 Inaugural Award was made to Dr Nathan Cochrane of the University of Melbourne. The award will be used for post-doctoral research in the United Kingdom and Japan for his research project:

“Characterisation and remineralisation of natural white spot lesions by X-ray microtomography (micro-CT) and synchrotron X-ray microtomography (synchrotron-CT) analysis”.

PREVIOUS RESEARCH PROJECTS COMPLETED IN 2008

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
Afifah Ms R M Schwarz Prof Eli	“The effect of a Government anti-smoking campaign on patient demand for health advice in dentist offices”
Al-Farsi Dr M Bickel Prof M	“CAD/CAM fabricated implant-supported all-ceramic crowns with their ceramic abutments. An <i>in vitro</i> proof of principle”
Arora Dr M Chan Dr S Kennedy A/Prof B Jaric Ms J	“Lead in enamel and dentine of developing rodent teeth”
Banomyong Dr D Messer Prof H Burrow A/Prof M Palamara Dr J	“Can 'seal' resin composite restoration be achieved?”
Barker Dr K Savage A/Prof N	“Investigation into the therapeutic effectiveness of clonazepam in treatment of burning mouth syndrome”
Bartold Prof P M Bendyk Dr A Marino Mr V Zilm Mr P	“The effect of omega-3 polyunsaturated fatty acids on experimental periodontitis”
Borromeo Dr M Clement Prof J McCullough A/Prof M Little A/Prof D	“Assessment of jaw and long bones in rats being treated with bisphosphonates”
Brennan Dr D S Spencer Prof A J	“Longitudinal assessment of practice beliefs and preferences for patients over a 10-year period”
Butler Dr C Dashper Dr S	“Purification and characterisation of the Fur protein from <i>Porphyromonas gingivalis</i> ”
Cheng Dr L Darendeliler Prof M A Alatli-Burt A/Prof I Shen A/Prof G	“Repair of root resorption four and eight weeks following the application of continuous and controlled light and heavy forces for four weeks: a micro-CT and histology study”

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
Chivatxarunukul Dr P Messer Prof H Dashper Dr S	“A study of endodontically related bacteria”
Crowther Dr L Darendeliler Prof M A Shen A/Prof G	“The effect of systemic casein phosphopeptides on root resorption in rats. A micro-CT study”
Curtis Dr B Evans A/Prof W Schwarz Prof E	“Is non-invasive management of dental caries in private practice cost effective? A multi-centre clustered randomized controlled trial”
Dadgarmehr Dr A Phan Dr T Makha Dr M Boyd Dr N	“An investigation into the effects of adding a novel antibacterial agent to composite resin and bonding agent”
Do Dr L G Slade Prof G D Spencer Prof A J Ha Dr D H	“Validation of a Vietnamese version of the Oral Health Impact Profile”
Eggers Dr R Hibbert Dr S Curtis Dr B Widmer Prof R	“A case control study to investigate the level of dental caries and salivary function in children with velocardiofacial syndrome”
Farah Dr C	“Confirmation of immune response gene expression in IL-12p40 knockout mice”
Farah Dr C	“Human papilloma virus associated inflammatory infiltrate in oral squamous cell carcinoma”
Farah Dr C Ashman A/Prof R	“Relative contribution of IL-12 and IL-23 to recovery from oropharyngeal candidiasis”
Farah Dr C Ashman A/Prof R	“CD40-CD40L ligation is critical to IL-12 secretion in response to <i>Candida albicans</i> ”
Gully Dr N Zilm Mr P	“A proteomic assessment of environmental pH on <i>Fusobacterium nucleatum</i> biofilms”
He Mr L H Swain Prof M	“Investigation of stress-strain property of dental materials and enamel by nanoindentation”

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
Hopcraft Dr M Mahoney Dr G	“Dental caries experience of Australian Defence Force recruits”
Jonarta Dr A Seymour Prof G Symons A/Prof A	“The effect of high density lipoprotein (HDL) and lipoxin A4 (LXA4) on alveolar bone destruction in rats”
Kilpatrick A/Prof N Waters Prof E Gussy Mr M	“A controlled multi-faceted community intervention trial to improve the oral health of pre-school aged children in rural Victoria [Country KIDS (Kids Improved Dental Status)]”
Lichanska Dr A M Hamlet Mr S M Cullinan Dr M Seymour Prof G J	“Profiling of the leukocytes from periodontitis-susceptible and non-susceptible patients before and after treatment”
Lo Mr A Seers Dr C	“The role of PG1431 and PG1342 in gene expression and biofilm formation of <i>Porphyromonas gingivalis</i> ”
Luzzi Ms L Spencer Prof A J	“Job satisfaction survey of the Oral Health Labour Force in Australia, 2004”
McCullough Dr M Farah Dr C	“The assessment of oral cytology utilizing ploidy analysis and virtual microscopy”
McIntyre Dr J M Vu Thanh Dr M A Abbott Dr J	“The effect of simulated dentine tubule fluid on remineralisation of demineralised dentine”
Mariño Dr B Morgan A/Prof M Schwarz Prof E Kiyak Dr A	“Impact of cultural values and immigration on oral health in Australia”
Matias Dr M Ivanovski Dr S Farah Dr C	“Expression of osteogenic markers and angiogenic factors in bone regeneration”
Matias Dr M Ivanovski Dr S Farah Dr C	“Role of inflammatory mediators during wound healing of the oral mucosa”

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
Mrozik Mr K Gronthos Dr S Bartold Prof P M Zilm Mr P	“Proteomic assessment of mesenchymal stem cells within ovine periodontal ligament and dental pulp”
Murray A/Prof G M	“The influence of a reversible alteration of the natural inclines of teeth on jaw movement and activity of jaw muscles”
Nadkarni Dr M Hunter Prof N	“Immunity to lys-gingipain domains in chronic periodontitis”
Nguyen Miss K Bickel Prof M	“The comparison of three methods of occlusal analysis in a clinical setting”
Paetyangkul Dr A Darendeliler Prof M A Alatli-Burt A/Prof I	“The extent of root resorption after the application of continuous and controlled orthodontic forces for 12 weeks using micro-CT scan”
Palamara Dr J Burrow A/Prof M Tyas Prof M	“TEM observations of bonded resin-dentine interface from samples prepared by selected area argon-ion-beam thinning”
Peck A/Prof C Dennison A/Prof P	“The effect of vibration as a counter stimulation on pain perception during local anaesthesia injections”
Peng Dr B	“Chronic inflammatory signaling in human gingival fibroblasts during periodontitis”
Ranjitkar Dr S Kaidonis Dr J Townsend Prof G C Lewis Dr A	“Biology of tooth wear: wear prevention”
Skinner Ms V Winning Dr T Townsend Prof G C	“A cross-site comparison of the role of groups in a problem-based learning environment”
Srisuwan Dr T Thompson A/Prof E Messer Prof H	“Dental pulp tissue engineering”
Tan Dr A Darendeliler Prof M A Shen A/Prof G	“Effect of mandibular displacement on condylar cartilage remodelling in Sprague Dawley rats: a microstructural analysis”

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
Tan Mr K H Seers Dr C	“Characterisation of gene expression of <i>Porphyromonas gingivalis</i> and <i>Treponema denticola</i> in co-culture using microarray technology”
Tennant A/Prof M Kruger Dr E	“Solutions to the rural dental shortage: Rural Student Recruitment”
Tsang Dr A Walsh Prof L J	“Improving critical thinking, metacognition, professional development and evidence-based practices through reflective learning”
Vucicevic Boras Dr V Savage A/Prof N	“Evaluation of substance P, neurokinin A and calcitonin gene-related peptide in saliva and sera of patients with Burning Mouth Syndrome”
Webb Dr B Whittle Ms T Schwarz Prof E	“Dental care in Australian aged care facilities: a questionnaire to carers”
Winning Dr T A Lekkas Dr D Townsend Prof G C	“Improving clinical performance in undergraduate dental students by supporting them to become effective self-assessors”
Winning Dr T Skinner Ms V Townsend Prof G	“The role of groups in learning within a problem-based learning context”
Winning A/Prof T Suksudaj Mrs N Lekkas Dr D Townsend Prof G T Kaidonis Dr J	“The development of psychomotor skills in dental students”
Xiao Dr Yin	“Tissue engineering for dental pulp tissue <i>in vitro</i> ”
Yee Dr J Darendeliler Prof M A Shen A/Prof G	“The rate of tooth movement and alveolar bone remodeling under heavy and light continuous orthodontic forces studied with a 3D finite element model”

RESEARCHER/S	PROJECT TITLE
Young Dr G Figdor Dr D Davies Prof J Parashos Dr P	“The fate of DNA and mRNA following cell death in root canals <i>ex vivo</i> ”
Zilm Mr P Gully Dr N	“The expression of cell envelope proteins by <i>Fusobacterium nucleatum</i> in response to growth pH”
Zoellner A/Prof H	“Physiological feedback in regulation of endothelial apoptosis”
Zoellner A/Prof H Bayl Ms P	“Identification of the second messenger pathways mediating the anti-apoptotic activity of serum albumin for endothelium”
Zoellner A/Prof H Donald Ms C	“Molecular identification of the anti-apoptotic site of albumin for endothelium”



UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH GRANTS

A valuable function of the Australian Dental Research Foundation has been the provision of research grants for dental undergraduates. Such grants are offered annually to all Australian dental schools. Up to three students each may be selected by:

- The University of Adelaide
- Griffith University
- The University of Melbourne
- The University of Queensland
- The University of Sydney
- The University of Western Australia

Recipients receive the sum of \$2,200 each to support research and comprehensive reporting thereof. Each becomes eligible for the Leonard Hansen prize of \$500 if the requisite report is delivered by 31 July of the following year. A further \$500 is made available to the department in which the research is conducted for expenditure on consumables.

The Undergraduate (and Trebitsch) Research Grants were originally conceived as summer vacation projects – awarded in November, implemented mainly during the vacation period, then written up for submission by 31 July. However, due to curriculum changes at Australian dental schools, vacation time has become less, thus necessitating an altered approach to undergraduate grants. Since 2004, the grants have been awarded in August/September, but the submission date for final reports remains unaltered at 31 July (the following year). This allows student researchers much more latitude.

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH GRANTS 2008/2009

The following students were selected by their respective dental schools, and subsequently approved by the Foundation Executive, as grant recipients for projects to be completed in 2009. There were no applications submitted by Griffith University this year.

RESEARCH PROJECT		SUPERVISOR/S
THE UNIVERSITY OF ADELAIDE		
Mr Jarrod Dean	“Descriptive review of archival specimens clinically diagnosed as oral lichen planus, lichenoid dysplasia and lichenoid tissue reactions”	Dr Richard Logan

RESEARCH PROJECT		SUPERVISOR/S
THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE		
Mr Chieh Chun Gan	“Ion release from luting agents incorporated with casein phosphopeptide amorphous calcium phosphate (CPP-ACP)”	Dr Rebecca Wong
Ms Jennifer Lo	“A retrospective immunohistochemical analysis of cyclo markers in oral mucosal dysplastic lesions that have been treated with laser resection”	A/Prof M McCullough A/Prof Andrew Smith
Mr Yinchen Zheng	“Bonding to glass-ionomer cements using all-in-one resin-based adhesives”	Prof M Burrow Dr J Palamara
THE UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND		
Ms Elizabeth Grounds	“Oral fluid biomarkers in periodontitis”	Dr Pauline Ford
Ms Jenny Wang	“The effect of p40 in bone regeneration in a calvarial bone healing model”	Dr C S Farah Dr M A Matias
THE UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY		
Mr Yifan Lu	“The prevalence of neuropathic pain following endodontic treatment”	A/Prof Chris Peck
Ms Tina Raj	“Influence of implant abutment angulations on the fracture resistance of overlaying restorations”	Dr Ayman Ellakwa
Mr Benjamin Yang (1)	“The pharmacokinetics of midazolam with non-enzymatic glycosylated human serum albumin”	Prof Hans Zoellner
THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA		
Mr Rohan Jagota	“The effects of asthma on the buffering capacity and pH of saliva in children in Perth”	Dr Boyen Huang
Ms Sarah Lam	“Evaluation of feasibility of founding a tooth bank in Australia”	Dr Boyen Huang
Ms Natalie Leow	“A SEM evaluation of the effect of bicarbonate soda in root canal irrigation”	Prof Paul Abbott Dr Jacqueline Salgado

LEONARD HANSEN UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH PRIZE

In 1994, the ADRF received a bequest from the estate of the late Dr Leonard Hansen. In honour of his memory and generosity, the Board of Directors instituted the Leonard Hansen Undergraduate Research Prize.

The Prize is awarded each year to the dental undergraduate who is judged to have submitted the most comprehensive final report of his/her research project. It consists of a commemorative certificate and cash prize of \$500.

The judges appointed for 2008 were:

A/Professor J K Harcourt OAM (Convenor), Professor L Brearley Messer and Professor Roland Bryant.

Following their deliberations, the Leonard Hansen Prize was awarded to:

NAME	PROJECT TITLE	SUPERVISOR/S
Ms Carol Tran <i>The University of Melbourne (2)</i>	“Pathways to care”	Mr Mark Gussy

TREBITSCH GRANT

In addition to the Undergraduate Research Grants, the Foundation also offers an annual single grant known as the Trebitsch Research Grant. This was made possible by a generous donation from the late Professor Fred Trebitsch of the University of Sydney who, having undertaken some bacteriological research early in his career, had gained much satisfaction and knowledge from this experience. Professor Trebitsch proposed the Grant bearing his name to give others a similar opportunity. Recipients are also eligible for consideration for the Leonard Hansen Prize if their final report is submitted by the due date.

Dental students from the six dental schools who wish to undertake a limited research project in microbiology, biochemistry, immunology or molecular biology are nominated to compete for this grant.

The 2008-09 Trebitsch Research Grant was awarded to:

NAME	PROJECT TITLE	SUPERVISOR/S
Ms Yasmina Andreani (2) <i>The University of Sydney</i>	“The pharmacokinetics of midazolam with non-enzymatically glycosylated human serum albumin”	Prof Hans Zoellner



COLIN CORMIE SCHOLARSHIPS

The Foundation owes a considerable debt to the initiative of the late Mr Colin Cormie, who played a major role in the establishment of the ADRF.

His contribution is recognized by way of these particular scholarships which aim to foster dental research in Australia by candidates who are willing to interrupt their undergraduate dental course proper for one year to undertake an intercalate degree, or part thereof, or who within three years after graduating as a dentist undertake a suitable one year research-based programme leading to a further degree, or part thereof.

One Colin Cormie Scholarship is available annually at each of the Australian dental schools. The value of each scholarship is \$8,600. The Foundation also makes available an amount of up to \$1,500 for consumable expenses to the department or institution where the research is conducted.

There were two Scholarships taken up in 2008. The successful applicants were:

NAME	PROJECT TITLE	SUPERVISOR/S
Mr Alex Wirianski <i>The University of Sydney</i>	“Exercise training and jaw movements”	A/Prof Chris Peck
Dr Stephen Kwan <i>The University of Western Australia</i>	“Bacterial contamination of dental restorations in teeth with pulp and periapical diseases: a SEM study”	Prof Paul Abbott



BOOK OF LIVING MEMORIALS

The Foundation's *Book of Living Memorials* is a unique medium specifically designed for the purpose of perpetuating the memory of a colleague, friend or loved one.

The name of the deceased is inscribed, together with the name of the donor(s), in an elegant leather-bound book as a tribute.

The *Book of Living Memorials* is permanently displayed in the Secretariat of the Australian Dental Research Foundation, which is based in the Australian Dental Association Headquarters at St Leonards. A letter acknowledging each memorial donation is forwarded to the bereaved family. All contributions are promptly acknowledged.

The Foundation acknowledges with grateful thanks the assistance of Sydney oral and maxillofacial surgeon, Dr Bruce Edelman, who inscribes the *Book of Living Memorials*.

Generous donations were received this year from:

Mr and Mrs Armin Roth, in memory of:

Mr Patrick McPherson, Former Chairman/CEO of Wright Dental Group, Dundee, Scotland

Mr Bill and Mrs Pam Clark of Cattani Australia, in memory of:

Mr Phil Turley of Ivoclar Vivadent, Victoria, Australia



DONATIONS 2008

The Foundation is grateful for the response from the dental profession and dental industry to the request for donations in support of its activities. Donations were received from the following:

*Australian Dental Association Inc [Victorian Branch]
Australian Dental Industry Association Inc [Victorian Branch]
GE Money CareCredit*

Donations of more than \$2 for the purpose of scientific research are tax deductible. Donations may also be given posthumously. Information on how to make a bequest to the Foundation can be obtained by contacting:

The Honorary Secretary
Australian Dental Research Foundation
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ST LEONARDS NSW 1590
Telephone: 02 9906 4412
Facsimile: 02 9906 4676
Email: adrf@ada.org.au
Website: www.ada.org.au



PATRONS 2008

The Foundation is pleased to recognize and thank the following:

Patron in Chief
Dr R W Hession AM KLJ

Patrons
*The Australian Dental Association Inc
The Australian Dental Industry Association Inc
GE Money CareCredit*



SUPPORTING MEMBERS 2008

The Australian Dental Research Foundation's amended articles of incorporation permit the admission of Supporting Members. Since 2005, such membership has been made available to interested individuals and businesses within the dental community – profession and industry. Participation assists the continuing growth of the Foundation. Enquiries can be directed to adrf@ada.org.au or any of the other contacts detailed in this Report.

The following took up or renewed Supporting Membership:

Dr Ben Armenores, Dr Andrew Barnes, Dr Gerald L Bartlett of Gerald L Bartlett & Associates, Dr R T Biggs, Braeside Dental Partnership, Cattani Australia, Dr R M Cook AM, Dr J R Cribb, A/Prof W L Dawes, Dr Adrian DeAngelis, Dr Paul Dixon, Dr I M Eltenn, Dr David Goldsmith, Dr J K Harcourt OAM, Dr T J Higgins, Dr Chaplin Hsiong, Dr Graham Jones, Dr Chris Karikios, Dr Paul Kotala, Dr Sonja Kuehl, Dr P H U Le, Dr Dimitra Lekkas, Dr G J Little of Oral Experts Group, Dr Graeme Lowe, Dr Daniel Lu, Dr A S Malcolm, Dr M J May, Mr Ken McInnes of Heraeus Kulzer Aust Pty Ltd, Dr John McIntyre, Dr T W McKiernan, Dr K H Morris, Dr Graham J Mount, Dr Christopher Muir, Dr Donald Munro of Bundoora Dental Clinic, Dr Garry J Nervo, Dr Lawrence Nguyen, Dr R A Nixon, Dr David Osie of Pymble Dental Loving Care, Drs Jackie & Ron Robinson, Mr Armin Roth, Dr Charles M Savage RFD, Prof Eli Schwarz, Dr Stephen Shelton, Dr J H Southwick, Dr R H Spencer of Bardon Dental Centre, Dr Paul Standish, Dr J M Sullivan, Dr Seng H Tan, Dr I N Terrill, Mr Hans Ravik of Trollplast Pty Ltd, Dr Susan Upham, Dr David Van Eldik of Specialist Endodontics, Dr Mario Wais, Dr M R Walsh, Dr Peter Yeung.



APPOINTMENT BOOKS

It was noted that there was a significant reduction in orders for the 2009 Appointment Book although the sales are still a source of income for the Foundation. The ADIA is holding stocks of the 2009 book.

The RRP for the Appointment Books remained at \$34 each, inclusive of GST.

Preparation is in hand for the 2010 Appointment Book and a review is proposed of the ADIA donation of over 1,000 books to undergraduates to determine their future usefulness.

Acknowledgement and recognition is given to the advertisers who take up the advertising spaces and the Australian Dental Association for printing and including the advertising/order brochure in its *News Bulletin* at no cost to the Australian Dental Research Foundation.

*D B Campbell
Convenor
Appointment Book Sub-Committee*

CONCISE FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008



EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE'S REPORT

The Executive Committee submits the Concise Financial Report of the Australian Dental Research Foundation Incorporated (the Research Foundation) for the financial year ended 30 June 2008. The Concise Financial Report is an extract from the Financial Report for the year ended 30 June 2008. The financial statements and disclosures in the Concise Financial Report have been derived from the Financial Report for the year ended 30 June 2008. A copy of the full Financial Report and auditor's report will be sent to any member, free of charge, upon request.

Executive Committee Members

The names of Executive Committee members throughout the financial year and at the date of this report are:

Mr I N Crawford	Chairman
Professor I A Meyers	Vice-Chairman
Dr R G Hardham	Honorary Treasurer
Mr R N Boyd-Boland	Honorary Secretary
Dr F T Widdop AM	Executive Officer

Principal Activities

The principal activity of the Research Foundation during the financial year was to aid dentistry by assisting and encouraging dental research by grants to promote the improvement of the health of the community.

Significant Changes

No significant change in the nature of these activities occurred during the year.

Operating Result

The profit from ordinary activities amounted to \$226,677 (2007: \$218,447).

After Balance Date Events

No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the Research Foundation, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Research Foundation in future financial years.

Discussion and Analysis of 2008 Financial Report

The discussion and analysis is provided to assist users in understanding the Concise Financial Report. The discussion and analysis is based on the Research Foundation's financial statements and the information contained in the Concise Financial Report has been derived from the Research Foundation's full 2008 Financial Report.

Operating Surplus

The profit from ordinary activities for the year was \$226,677, being an increase of \$8,230 on the 2007 result. Revenues from operating activities increased by \$22,194 compared to 2007. Operating revenue derived from dividends, property trust distributions and interest increased by \$23,161. Operating revenue from disposal of investments increased by \$10,032. There was a decrease in sales revenue of \$6,165 and a decrease in donation revenue of \$4,834. Allocations to research grants and undergraduate awards decreased by \$2,985 compared to 2007.

Balance Sheet

Total assets have decreased by \$682,603 primarily due to a decrease in the value of investments of \$736,188. Total liabilities have increased by \$209,257 due to an increase in grants payable of \$64,430 and an increase in deferred sales income of \$159,222. The decrease in net assets of \$891,860 is a result of unrealised loss on investments netting off with the surplus from ordinary activities. The unrealised loss on investments was \$941,315.

Statement of Cash Flows

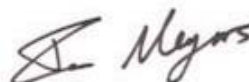
Net cash generated from operating activities decreased by \$206,258 primarily due to a decrease in cash receipts from donors and an increase in payments made for grants and undergraduate awards.

Net cash used in investing activities totalled \$214,152 in 2008 compared to \$353,568 in 2007. The decreased use of cash in investing activities has resulted from a decrease in purchases of shares in listed corporations of \$533,837 in 2008 compared to \$767,467 in 2007.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Members of the Executive Committee.



I N Crawford
Chairman



I A Meyers
Vice-Chairman

Dated this 16th day of September 2008



Operating Surplus FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

	Notes	2008 \$	2007 \$
Sales revenue	2	193,306	199,471
Dividend and trust distributions	2	254,601	244,602
Interest received	2	102,749	89,587
Gain on disposal of investments		168,198	158,166
Donations	2	20,815	25,649
Operating revenue from ordinary activities		739,669	717,475
Cost of sales		(44,731)	(41,856)
Administrative expenses		(106,788)	(92,714)
Surplus prior to research grants and undergraduate awards		588,150	582,905
Undergraduate awards and prizes		(50,680)	(42,700)
Research grants awarded		(310,793)	(321,758)
Surplus from ordinary activities		226,677	218,447

The accompanying notes form part of this concise report



Balance Sheet AS AT 30 JUNE 2008

	2008 \$	2007 \$
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	67,652	184,352
Trade and other receivables	239,261	71,416
Other current assets	2,440	-
Financial assets	1,340,595	1,244,810
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	<u>1,649,948</u>	<u>1,500,578</u>
NON-CURRENT ASSETS		
Financial assets	3,265,558	4,097,531
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS	<u>3,265,558</u>	<u>4,097,531</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>4,915,506</u>	<u>5,598,109</u>
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Trade and other payables	13,719	28,114
Provisions	839,627	775,197
Other liabilities	159,222	-
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	<u>1,012,568</u>	<u>803,311</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>1,012,568</u>	<u>803,311</u>
NET ASSETS	<u>3,902,938</u>	<u>4,794,798</u>
MEMBERS' FUNDS		
Asset revaluation reserve	414,208	1,532,745
General reserve	-	1,627,931
Accumulated surplus	3,488,730	1,634,122
TOTAL MEMBERS' FUNDS	<u>3,902,938</u>	<u>4,794,798</u>

The accompanying notes form part of this concise report



Statement of Changes in Members' Funds FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

	Retained Earnings \$	Asset Revaluation \$	General Reserve \$	Total \$
Balance at 1 July 2006	1,872,153	1,124,349	1,171,453	4,167,955
Surplus from ordinary activities	218,447	-	-	218,447
Transfer to profit and loss on disposal of investments	-	(211,290)	-	(211,290)
Revaluation increment	-	619,686	-	619,686
Transfer between reserves	(456,478)	-	456,478	-
Balance at 30 June 2007	1,634,122	1,532,745	1,627,931	4,794,798
Surplus from ordinary activities	226,677	-	-	226,677
Transfer to profit and loss on disposal of investments	-	(177,222)	-	(177,222)
Revaluation decrement	-	(941,315)	-	(941,315)
Transfer between reserves	1,627,931	-	(1,627,931)	-
Balance at 30 June 2008	3,488,730	414,208	-	3,902,938

The accompanying notes form part of this concise report



Cash Flow Statement FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

	2008	2007
	\$	\$
CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Receipts from customers and donors	209,545	349,191
Receipts from investment income	253,443	257,252
Payment of grants and undergraduate awards	(299,989)	(229,697)
Payments to suppliers	(170,719)	(157,202)
Interest received	105,172	84,166
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>97,452</u>	<u>303,710</u>
CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from sale/redemption of investments	319,685	413,899
Payment for investments	<u>(533,837)</u>	<u>(767,467)</u>
Net cash used in investing activities	<u>(214,152)</u>	<u>(353,568)</u>
Net increase in cash held	(116,700)	(49,858)
Cash at beginning of financial year	184,352	234,210
Cash at end of financial year	<u>67,652</u>	<u>184,352</u>

The accompanying notes form part of this concise report



Notes to the Concise Financial Report

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Concise Financial Report is an extract from the full Financial Report for the year ended 30 June 2008. The Concise Financial Report has been prepared in accordance with Accounting Standard AASB 1039: *Concise Financial Reports*. The Financial Report is a special purpose financial report prepared in order to satisfy the financial report requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 1991 of the Australian Capital Territory and the Research Foundation's Constitution. The Executive Committee has determined that the Research Foundation is not a reporting entity.

The financial statements, specific disclosures and other information included in the Concise Financial Report are derived from and are consistent with the full Financial Report of the Research Foundation. The Concise Financial Report cannot be expected to provide as detailed an understanding of the financial performance, financial position, or financing activities of the Research Foundation as the full Financial Report.

The accounting policies have been consistently applied by the Research Foundation and are consistent with those of the previous financial year.

The Financial Report of the Australian Dental Research Foundation Incorporated has been prepared in accordance with the following applicable Australian Equivalents to International Reporting Standards (AIFRS):

AASB 101:	Presentation of Financial Statements
AASB 107:	Cash Flow Statements
AASB 108:	Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors
AASB 110:	Events after the Balance Date
AASB 1031:	Materiality
AASB 1048:	Interpretation and Application of Standards

The report has been prepared in Australian dollars.

Income Tax

Australian Dental Research Foundation is exempt from income tax as it is a charitable entity under subsection 50-B of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.

NOTE 2: REVENUE

	2008	2007
	\$	\$
Operating activities		
Sale of goods	193,306	199,471
Dividends – listed entities	194,798	188,880
Interest – external entities	102,749	89,587
Trust distributions	59,803	55,722
Donations	20,815	25,649
	<u>571,471</u>	<u>559,309</u>

NOTE 3: FOUNDATION DETAILS

The principal place of business of the Research Foundation is:

Australian Dental Research Foundation Incorporated
75 Lithgow Street
St Leonards NSW 2065



Report on the Concise Financial Report

The accompanying Concise Financial Report of the Australian Dental Research Foundation Incorporated (the Research Foundation) comprises the balance sheet as at 30 June 2008, the income statement, statement of changes in members' funds and cash flow statement for the year then ended and related notes derived from the audited financial report of the Australian Dental Research Foundation for the year ended 30 June 2008, and the discussion and analysis. The Concise Financial Report does not contain all the disclosures required by the Australian Accounting Standards.

Directors' responsibility for the Concise Financial Report

The Executive Committee of the Research Foundation is responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Concise Financial Report in accordance with Accounting Standard AASB 1039: *Concise Financial Reports* and the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 1991 of the Australian Capital Territory. This responsibility includes establishing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation of the Concise Financial Report; selecting and applying the appropriate accounting policies; and making estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Auditor's responsibility

Your responsibility is to express an opinion on the Concise Financial Report based on our audit procedures. We have conducted an independent audit, in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards, of the Australian Dental Research Foundation Incorporated for the year ended 30 June 2008. Our audit report on the Financial Report for the year was signed on 16 September, 2008 and was not subject to any modification. The Australian Auditing Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the Financial Report is free from material misstatement.

Our procedures in respect of the Concise Financial Report included testing that the information in the Concise Financial Report is derived from, and is consistent with the Full Financial report, and examination on a test basis, of evidence supporting the amounts, discussion and analysis, and other disclosures which were not directly derived from the full Financial Report for the year. These procedures have been undertaken to form an opinion whether, in all material respects, the Concise Financial report complies with Accounting Standard AASB 1039: *Concise Financial Reports* and whether the discussion and analysis complies with the requirements laid down in AASB 1039: *Concise Financial Reports*.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Independence

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of Australian professional ethical pronouncements.

Audit Opinion

In our opinion, the Concise Financial Report including the discussion and analysis of Australian Dental Research Foundation Incorporated for the year ended 30 June 2008 complies with Accounting Standard AASB 1039: *Concise Financial Reports*.

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Leah Russell
Principal

Dated this 16th day of September 2008



RESEARCH ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Professor I A Meyers, *Chairman*
Associate Professor S G Dashper
Dr Camile S Farah
Professor Neil Hunter
Professor G M Murray
Professor E C Reynolds AO (absent)
Professor W J Sampson
Professor G D Slade



Research Advisory Committee members [left to right]:

Professor Neil Hunter, Professor Gary Slade, A/Professor Stuart Dashper, Professor Ian Meyers (Chairman), Ms Jan Bellette (ADRF Services Officer), Professor Wayne Sampson, Professor Greg Murray, Dr Camile Farah

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*Mr Devan Naidu (The University of
Queensland) being presented with the
2008 Leonard Hansen Prize by
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