## Young Dermatologists in Norway

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There is at the moment no specific association for young dermatologists in Norway.

However, the Norwegian Dermatological Society has focus on some important fields affecting especially young dermatologists:

Contribute to a strengthening of dermatological research.
 This has so far been done by initiating a meeting for dermatologists engaged in research projects, establishing a research-committee, and providing funds and scholarships.

2) Expand the amount of courses approved as a part of the dermatological education. In Norway, a number of courses are not approved as part of the dermatological education, even though they cover important aspects also considering dermatology. An increase of approved courses will hopefully strengthen the dermatological education.

## **Recently Published Books**

**Läroboken i Dermatologi, Venereologi** by Hans Rorsman, Alf Björnberg and Anders Vahlquist. Hardcover, Edn. 7, 2007. Studentlitteratur

Fitzpatrick's Color Atlas And Synopsis Of Clinical Dermatology by Klauss Wolff, Richard A Johnson, Richard Suurmond. Paperback, 2007. ISSN 9780071440196. Mcgraw-Hill Education.

**Dermatology** by Jean L Bolognia, Joseph L Jorizzo, Ronald P Rapini. Hardback, 2007, ISSN 9781416029991. Mosby

**Dermatology** – An Illustrated Colour Text by David Gawkrodger. Paperback, 2007, ISSN 9780443104213. Elsevier Health Sciences

**Specialist Training in Dermatology** by Andrew Y. Finlay. Paperback, 2007, ISBN: 0723433992. Elsevier Health Sciences

**Laser Dermatology – Pearls and Problems** by David Goldberg. Hardback, 2007, ISBN: 1405134208. Blackwell Publishing Ltd

**Dermatologic Immunity** – Current Directions in Autoimmunity, by BJ Nickoloff and FO Nestle. Hardcover, Vol 10, 2008, ISSN 1422-2132, in preparation (released appr. 28.02.2008)

## **Scholarships**

**Utlysning av midler fra stiftelsen Arne Klems pris for norske dermatologer**. Søknadsbeløp 25.000-50.000. Søknadsfrist 15. november. e-post: tjthune@broadpark.no

Stipendium för dermatologer verksamma inom psoriasis. Wyeth AB: 2008, Summa: 100 000 kr, Sista ansökningsdag: 2008-09-01. http://wyethacademy.info/se/scholarship/scholarship.php?id=9.

**Trans-Ver-Sal stipendium 2008.** Stipendiesumma 15.000 kronor. e-mail: margaretha.moden@ltv.se

Wyeth Pharmaceuticals: Advances in Psoriasis Research Grant Program. 100.000 Euro sista ansökn. dag 29 feb 2008

Schering-Ploughs Immunologistipendium - 2008. 400 000 kronor. http://remicade.se/vardpersonal/stipendium/

**Anslag för HIV/AIDS forskning**. Upp till 70 000 kr kan anslås till varje beviljat projekt. Sista ansökningsdag 2008-02-29. www.aidsfond.se