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The DeGregorio Family Foundation Seeks To Fund Innovative Research Focused On Curing Gastric And Esophageal Cancers

Upper Gastrointestinal Malignancies — including cancers of the stomach, esophagus, and the gastroesophageal junction (GEJ) — are responsible for over one million new cancer diagnoses worldwide, and are the second most common cause of global, cancer-related deaths. In the United States, despite the near epidemic rise in GEJ malignancies, these cancers remain orphan diseases - underfunded and under-researched by the medical community, and largely by the pharmaceutical industry.

The DeGregorio Family Foundation provides seed money for innovative research focused on curing gastric and esophageal cancers. This seed money is crucial for scientists to take innovative ideas and nurture them to a level where institutional funding is possible.



Welcome to 2019 DeGregorio Family Foundation Annual Gala!

Thank you for joining us this evening at Tiro A Segno — established in 1888 and the oldest Italian heritage organization in the United States — as we get a few steps closer to turning the fact of gastric and esophageal cancers into fiction.

The funds raised this evening will help provide seed money for innovative research to underwrite scientists whose work is 100% focused on finding cures for esophageal or stomach cancer.

The DeGregorio Family Foundation calls for grants annually and they are carefully reviewed and scored by our fully independent Scientific Advisory Board. Then the Board of Directors chooses the top two for up to approximately \$250,000. This year we hope to be able to offer even more grants and to raise between \$500,000 and \$1 million.

The Foundation has deployed \$3.2 million of capital since its founding in 2006 that has led to follow-on funding of more than \$20 million by organizations like the National Institute of Health (NIH), The Starr Foundation and various other private institutions.

Special thanks to our gala patrons and silent auction donors.

And, I would like to recognize our newest board member Nick Savone for the work he put into ensuring our 2019 Annual Gala would be the success it will undoubtedly be.

Enjoy!



Lynn DeGregorio

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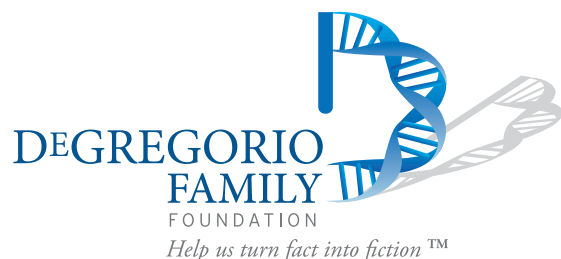
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HOW OUR FUNDS TURN RESEARCH INTO ACTIONS



There are an estimated 45,160 new cases of Stomach and Esophageal Cancer each year. Each year, an estimated 27,220 are terminal.



2 of 3 people diagnosed with Stomach and Esophageal Cancers are not diagnosed until Stage 3 and Stage 4.

2.4%



Out of **739 grants** awarded by The American Cancer Society funded in 2019 **only 18** were dedicated to Stomach and Esophageal Cancer research.

YOUR IMPACT AND FOLLOW- ON FUNDING

In 13 years DFF has funded **~\$3.2MM** through 17 grants. Our 13 completed grants have received over **\$20MM** in follow on funding. For every \$1.00 donated \$6.25 is generated by follow on funding; turning research into action.



12 of our 13 completed grants received follow-on Funding by the NIH, where only 3% of NIH applicants receive funding. One of the Grants received the very prestigious Starr Foundation Grant for just under 1MM-it was a collaborative grant with Dana Farber and MSKCC led by Dr. Shah.

WHAT DFF DOES

Early diagnosis is key. Stage 1 has 45-68% survival rate. Unfortunately, symptoms arise around stage 4 where the survival rate is ~5%. DFF is dedicated to promoting and facilitating education and collaborative research on the pathogenesis, early diagnostic, and treatment of Upper Gastrointestinal Malignancies.

TURNING FACT INTO FICTION



100% of Team DeGregorio's, DFF Gala, and all other donated funds go directly to research



DFF Scientific Advisory Board Look for the best research that will attract follow on funding



Doctors use research for early diagnosis



Grant recipients publish papers and attract follow on funding to implement their research



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