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MEDIA RELEASE

NAPSA welcomes new National Council

The National Australian Pharmacy Students' Association would like to announce the election of their new council for 2011-12 at their Annual General Meeting held over the weekend in Canberra.

Incoming National President Timothy Mizzi (Charles Sturt University Wagga Wagga) will be leading an executive committee of Stacey Gough (Curtin University of Technology, Perth), Arron Sparkes (University of Queensland, Brisbane) and Ezekiel Steindl (Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane).

The six committee chairs -

Education Chair: Madeline Orange (Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane)
Industrial Affairs Chair: Jon Cooper (Griffith University, Gold Coast)
IPSF Chair: Steve Stanton (University of Sydney, Sydney)
Pharmacy Awareness Chair: Julia Hruz (University of Canberra, Canberra)
Publications Chair: Bethany Cooper (Griffith University, Gold Coast)
Rural and Indigenous Chair: Ellen Pedler (University of South Australia, Adelaide)

This year NAPSA affiliated two new Branches, PhUNE (University of New England, Armidale) and RMIT-PSA (Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology, Melbourne). Timothy Mizzi said "This is an important step in representing all pharmacy students across Australia; now more than ever, with such a volume of students graduating every year, advocacy for our members is paramount".

NAPSA are also very proud to announce the 2013 Congress will be hosted by the University of Tasmania in Hobart, chaired by Ayden Brown.

A cheque was presented to Ron Delezio, on behalf of Day of Difference, for \$12,079.82. This money was fundraised from NAPSA's branches for our annual Charity Cup event, which has seen over \$30,000 raised for Australian Charities over the last 3 years.

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NAPSA National Executive 2011-12

L-R: Ezekiel Steindl (Treasurer), Timothy Mizzi (President), Stacey Gough (Vice-President), Arron Sparkes (Secretary)



NAPSA Committee Chairs 2011-12

L-R: Ayden Brown (Congress Chair 2013), Julia Hruz (Pharmacy Awareness), Madeline Orange (Education), Jon Cooper (Industrial Affairs), Stacey Gough (Vice-President), Steve Stanton (IPSF), Ellen Pedler (Rural & Indigenous), Bethany Cooper (Publications)



Presenting the \$12,079.82 cheque to Ron Delezio, Day of Difference Foundation
L-R: Ashleigh Coome (Immediate Past-President), Ron Delezio (Day of Difference), Hannah Soon
(Outgoing Pharmacy Awareness Chair)