

have provided a new energy and momentum to those of us in the UK who wish to provide help and support. It is appropriate to ensure that modern technology is used in the most effective way possible to support learning and this will be the main focus of our work in the immediate future. However, direct input continues to be seen as important and one outcome of the meeting was that the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health is actively reviewing the possibility of an exploratory faculty visit to Juba.

This feels like a pivotal and exciting time for medical training in South Sudan and we look forward to supporting future developments.

Dr Liz Adamson, MBCbB, MSc (Clin Trop Med), FRCPC has recently retired as a Consultant Paediatrician specialising in child development and safeguarding. From 1981 to 1983 she was a member of the British Council team headed by Professor Alan Woodruff which supported the establishment of clinical teaching at the University of Juba medical school.

Gordon Memorial College Trust Fund

At its last meeting the Gordon Memorial College Trust Fund (GMCTF) awarded scholarships/grants to the following applicants from South Sudan and to organisations supporting students at universities in the Sudan.

MAGRABI BEQUEST

Name	Course	Institution of study
1. Dr. Lucy Theophilus	Master of Restorative Dentistry	Muhimbili University of Health and Allied Sciences, Tanzania
2. Dr. Fardous Abeya	Master in Internal Medicine	Mbarara University of Science and Technology, Uganda

Women's Educational Partnership (W.E.P) – pays fees for 14 scholars and hopes to recruit 9 new scholars to study health sciences at Ahfad University for Women. This will enable more disadvantaged women to acquire the necessary skills to help in the displaced areas, improving the lives of families and the economic growth in poor communities.

Windle Trust - provides accommodation in four hostels in Omdurman to approximately 70 young female students from South Sudan studying at Ahfad University for Women.

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Name	Course	Institution of study
1. Dr. John Koat	Ophthalmology	Makerere University
2. Dr. John Biar Anyieth	Obstetrics & Gynaecology	Muhimbili University, Tanzania
3. Dr. Koma Akim	Master of Medicine in General Surgery	Kilimanjaro Christian Medical College, Moshi, Tanzania
4. Dr. Gawar Gel	Master Degree Paediatrics and Child Health	Makerere University College of Health Sciences
5. Dr. Moses Taban	Master of Medicine in Obstetrics & Gynaecology	Makerere University