



ANNUAL REPORT
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AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR
THE STUDY OF LIVER DISEASES

Vision

To Prevent and Cure Liver Disease

AASLD Mission

To advance and disseminate the science and practice of hepatology, and to promote liver health and quality patient care

AASLD Foundation Mission

To support liver research and provide education about liver disease and its treatment to those providing care to patients.

2015 was another exciting year for AASLD, highlighted by strong attendance at our meetings, and the continuation of recent initiatives to extend educational reach to primary care physicians. In addition, AASLD established a global outreach and engagement task force and co-sponsored seven international meetings during 2015. New hepatitis B practice guidelines, which include three systematic reviews, were published using the GRADE approach. Several future guidelines will also be subject to this rigorous approach.

The AASLD Foundation, established in July 2014, awarded more than \$2.4 million to clinicians and investigators in 2015.

Membership achieved record growth in 2015. In addition, a new logo and branding launched at The Liver Meeting® 2015.

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AASLD's New Logo



At The Liver Meeting® 2015, AASLD launched its new logo. The rounded triangle shape references the shape of the liver and the ribbon motif represents AASLD's inclusive and collaborative nature, illustrating how diverse members come together as one to achieve their goals. The design is modern and forward-thinking, yet references the association's history by retaining a triangle shape and AASLD's distinctive green.

Since its founding in 1950, AASLD has grown in size and scope while remaining a leader in the field, and today includes nearly 5,000 members.

Treatment Advances & Awareness

Clinical Practice Guidelines



HCV Guidance—
1.48 Million page views
at hcvguidelines.org



New HBV Treatment Guidelines (GRADE)
(Includes 3 Systematic Reviews)
Released November 2015

Global Outreach & Engagement



Created Global
Outreach Task Force



Co-sponsored 7
international meetings



Offered International
Travel Awards



Awarded LIFER Clinical/
Translational Research Fellowship



Translations of
Educational Material in
Chinese and Spanish



Signed Global Agreements with European Association
for the Study of the Liver (EASL) and Asociación
Latinoamericana para el Estudio del Hígado (ALEH)

AASLD
THE LIVER MEETING[®]
 2015 SAN FRANCISCO
 NOVEMBER 13-17 • MOSCONE WEST CONVENTION CENTER



10,000+

Attendees



3,286

Accepted
Abstracts



Record
Attendance

3,500+

Postgraduate
Course

1,500+

New Basic Science
Symposium

Professional Development

Industry Colloquium:

Novel Targets and
Therapies in
Liver Disease



237

Participants

Midyear Course:

Clinical Hepatology:
State-of-the-Art
Management



191

Participants

New Special Interest Group:

Public Health &
Healthcare Delivery



114

Members

Organizational Health

AASLD Membership Growth



34%

Amount AASLD Membership has grown since 2012



82

New AASLD Fellows
(414 Total)

Ensuring the Future of Hepatology



Number of Matches in the New Mentorship Program

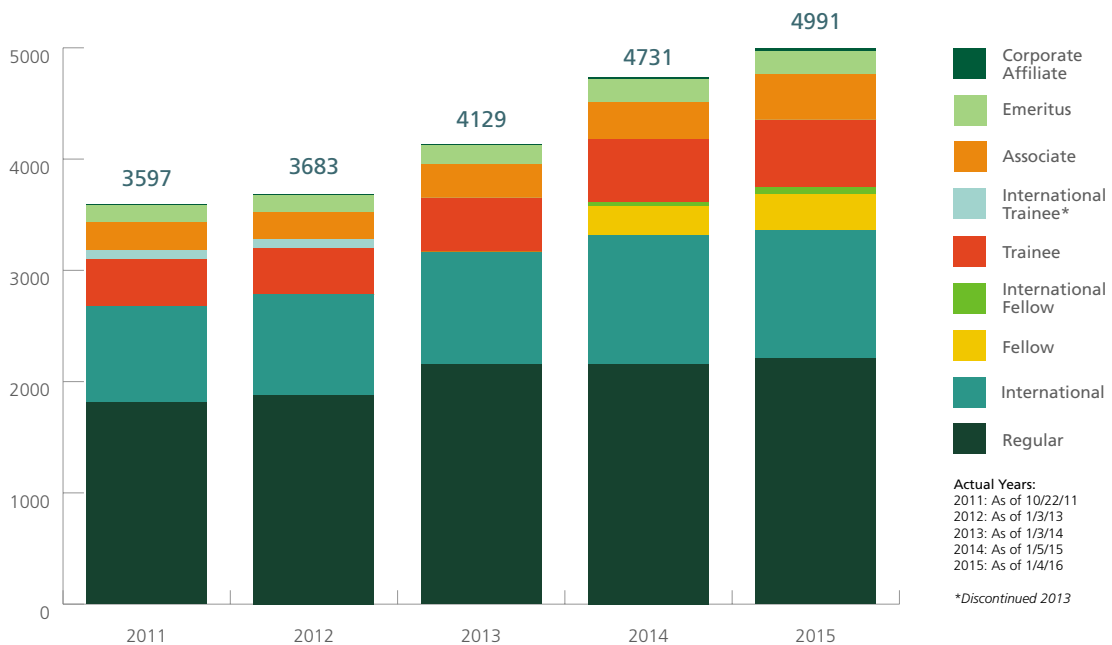


New Emerging Liver Scholars (112 since 2012)

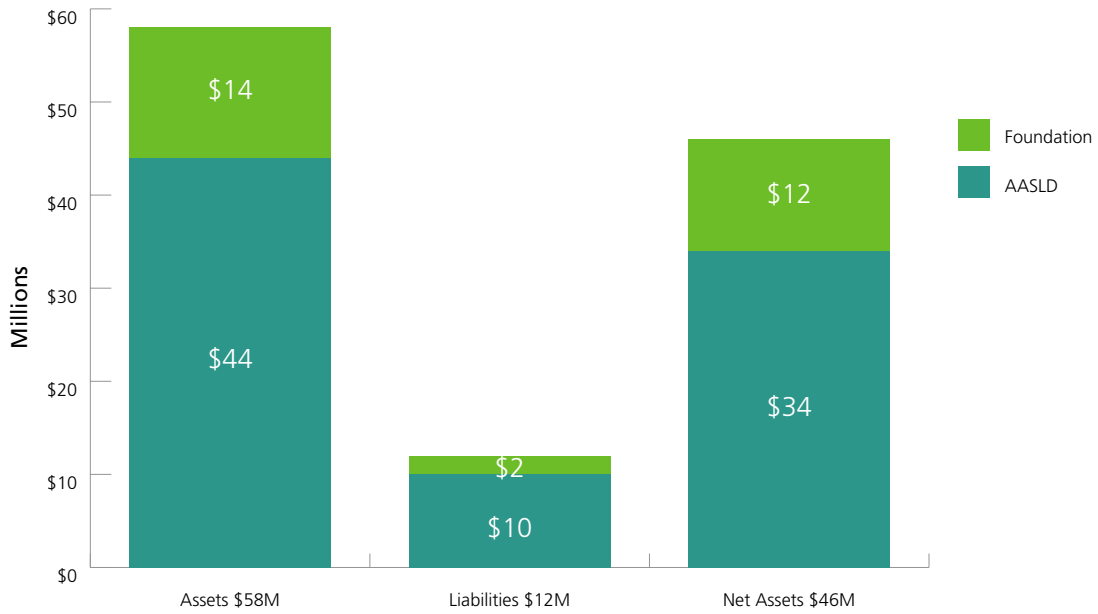


MOC Taskforce

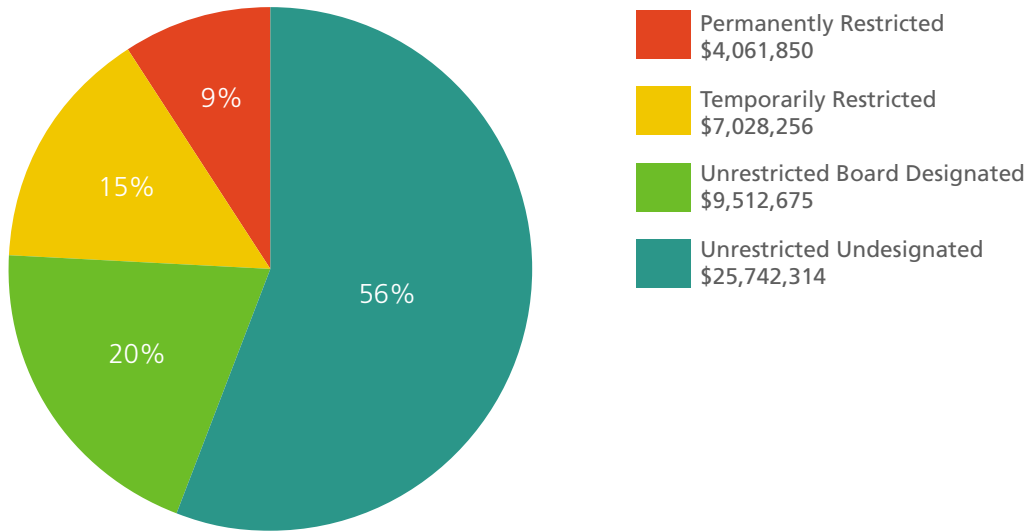
AASLD Membership Growth



FY2015 Combined Financial Position



Combined Net Assets

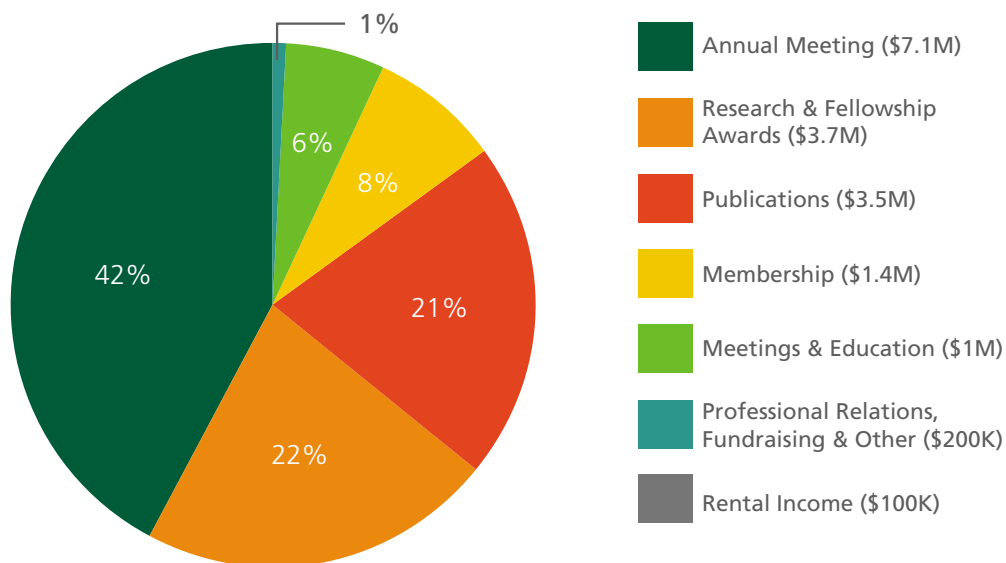


FY2015 Combined Revenue & Expenses

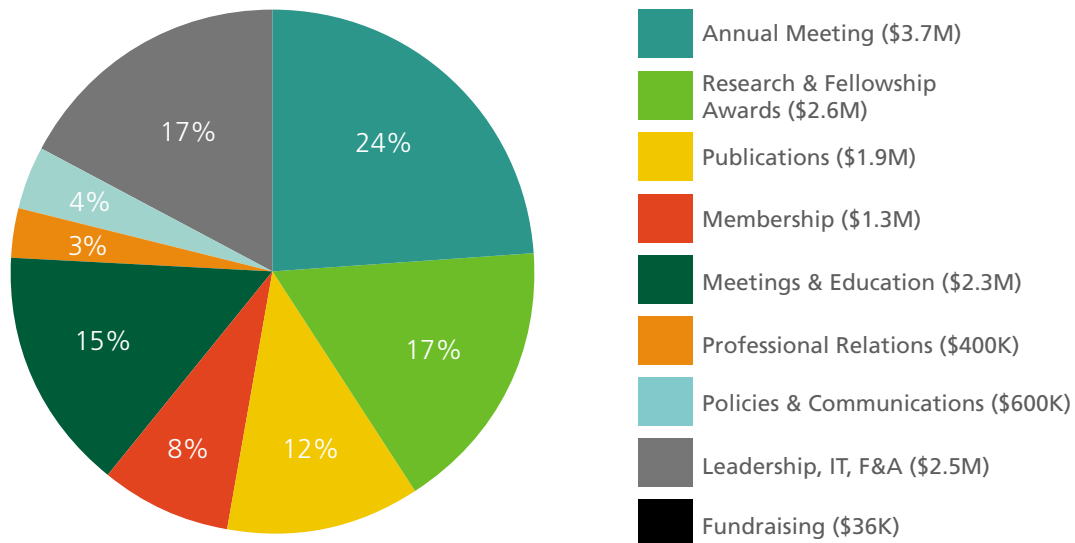
Revenue	\$17,073,209
Income from Investments	\$1,385,716
Expenses	-\$15,492,319
Surplus	\$2,966,606

For full financial statements refer to aasld.org

FY2015 Combined Revenue



FY2015 Combined Expenses



AASLD & AASLD Foundation spends 83% on Programs service functions and 17% on leadership, administration and fundraising.

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clinicians in hepatology.



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