

MOORE **FOUNDATION**

Moore Foundation Limited

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Our Mission

Our mission is to support activities that advance education by providing, facilitating and/or subsidising the following for disadvantaged gifted children and young adults in Australia and the Philippines:

- Life and educational mentoring by adults of good character.
- Indigenous cultural awareness.
- Cultural and educational exchanges between children with different cultural backgrounds.
- Facilities to study.
- Educational expenses.
- Accommodation expenses.
- Living expenses.

The Foundation endeavours to do this through already established and accredited organisations in the Philippines, which include schools, universities, and orphanages.

Our vision

Everyone deserves to be given the opportunity to prosper, regardless of their background. We believe the greatest gains can be made by encouraging and supporting the next generation in making decisions that will lead them to a better future. Their success will make them mentors for others in the future. By selectively supporting individuals who need a little help to get ahead and who are likely to return the favour to others, we can be a catalyst that results in a big change.

Our history

The ideas that lead to the formation of the Foundation came from the experiences of Dr Corey Moore when he was living and studying medicine in the Philippines. The glaring inequalities that existed between Australia and the Philippines, and within the Philippines itself, was unsettling. Despite the inequality, the Philippines had systems to provide education, food, and healthcare. This meant there were potentially great rewards in identifying and assisting individuals who were restricted from accessing these systems due to minimal financial constraints or knowledge. In addition, there was potential for sustainability in helping individuals who would one day, in the future, return the favour and help others who are in a similar situation.

The Foundation was registered with the Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC) on 9 March 2018, and with the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (ACNC) on 13 September 2018. It has since established collaborations with universities and high schools in the Philippines to identify and support the educational needs of disadvantaged and gifted young adults. To date, the Foundation has supported 23 students.

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Section 1. Overview

About us

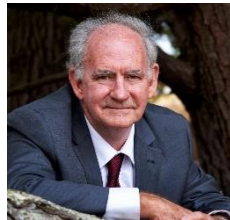
Our People

Directors

Name	Position	Experience	Date of Appointment
Corey Moore	Director	Company director, medical doctor, project manager	9 March 2018
John Moore	Director	Company secretary, consultant, project manager	9 March 2018
Gail Moore	Director	Consultant, clinical psychologist	9 March 2018



Dr Corey Moore
Director



John Moore
Director



Gail Moore
Director

Section 2. Structure and Management

The Moore Foundation is a not-for-profit income tax exempt organisation incorporated as an Australian Company Limited by Guarantee. It is a registered with the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (ACNC).



Chairperson's Report

I am pleased to present my chairman's report for 2020.

The Moore Foundation is an established and professional charity that is recognised by the Australian Charities and Not-for-Profit Commission. In 2020, the Foundation continued to establish and fund scholarships to support financially disadvantaged students who demonstrated high academic results and personal determination.

A remarkable 98 percent of all expenses this year went directly to these scholarships. This is noteworthy as most charities experience high developmental costs in their early years, and established charities spend around 70 percent on administration. We have been able to achieve this through the personal and professional contacts, experience, and skills of the directors. This has allowed us to selectively establish agreements with institutions that have existing structures to identify students and administer programs. We have now demonstrated the success of this approach. The next challenge will be to expand our activities, and to do so in a sustainable way. To this end, we are developing programs that will help Australians gain an appreciation and real understanding of the health, social and cultural issues in the Philippines by offering scholarships to study in the Philippines. In turn, we hope the scholarship recipients will one day support the programs that supported them.

On a personal note, this charity was founded from ideas I began to form almost ten years ago when I studied medicine in the Philippines. This year my professional career progressed on a path seeded by those experiences, as I started training as a public health physician. My training is formalising the ideas and feelings I experienced a decade ago and providing me with an understanding of the multiple social, health and wellbeing factors that influence all of us over our lifetime. By chance, my training began in a year in which everyone become acutely aware of public health issues. COVID-19 has exposed our vulnerabilities and strengths, it has affected different groups of people differently, and it has demonstrated the importance of evidence and policy in protecting the health and wellbeing of groups and individuals. When I compare my experience of COVID-19 with my former classmates and colleagues who are working on the front line in the Philippines, I am reminded how fortunate we are to be living in Australia and how we are in the privileged place to be able to help others.

Finally, I would like to thank the directors for their helpful insights that have aided the Foundation to continue its valuable work. Special thanks to Dr Melfer Montoya, Dr Francisco Tan, and Grace Regalia for their support in supporting the activities of the Foundation in the Philippines. Thank you to everyone else involved in the charity for helping to create a strong foundation from where we can shape a better future.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'C. Moore'.

Dr Corey Moore
24 December 2020

Activities

This year saw the establishment of an agreement with the University of Cebu and the continued support from Porac Model Community High School.

Medical School Scholarship



The Foundation signed a memorandum of understanding (MOU) with the University of Cebu Medical School. This MOU agrees that the Foundation will cover the tuition fees of a student studying medicine at the University of Cebu Medical School. The student must demonstrate that without the assistance of the scholarship he or she would be unable to attend the school. The student is selected by the school on a competitive basis by a panel formed by the school. The agreement leverages off existing relationships with the Dean of the school and existing structures in place within the school and university.

The inaugural scholarship was won by Mr Joseph Quinto. Joseph was chosen for his outstanding academic ability and extracurricular activities despite of his financial hardship. He graduated with flying colours as a Cum Laude before pursuing medicine at the University of Cebu. He is the school's student representative for the Association of the Philippines Medical Colleges and is currently in the top 5 of his batch, academically. Since high school, Joseph's ability to continue his studies has relied on uncertain financial support and discounts of several institutions. This scholarship will allow him to obtain his medical degree and become a doctor without further financial uncertainty.

University Scholarships



The Foundation continued supporting the university scholarships established through MOUs with Porac Model Community High School. These scholarships provide full university tuition fees for a student to attend an accredited university in the Philippines. Candidates are chosen through a panel set up by the school based on financial need, academic results, and recommendation. These scholarships currently support Jessa Mae Alvaro Lazatin to study for a Bachelor of Technical-Vocational Teacher Education at Don Honorio Ventura Technological State University, and for Jeremia B. Juliano to study for a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration at Don Honorio Ventura Technological State University.

Looking to the Future

Australian-Filipino Medical Elective Cultural Exchange Scholarship

This proposed scholarship will cover the airfares and accommodation for a student enrolled in an Australian medical school to complete their medical elective at a medical school in the Philippines. A condition of the scholarship is to return the favour and sponsor another student in the future to complete their elective in the Philippines. The aim is to create a sustainable scholarship program that exposes our future doctors to the health and social issues faced by people living in a developing country.



Perpetual Filipino Medical School Scholarship

This program covers the tuition fees for an Australian citizen to study medicine in the Philippines. Like the medical elective scholarship, after the completion of the scholarship, the awardee is encouraged to support another student to attend medical school in the Philippines.

Section 3. Finance

The reporting year is 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020. The total revenue for this period was \$6,400, coming entirely from donations. The expenses were \$5,715.95, with \$5,575.41 (98%) going directly to scholarships. Full details can be seen the Financial Report.

Income and Expenses

Revenue

Revenue from government (including grants):	\$ 0.00
Donations and bequests:	\$ 6,400.00
Revenue from providing goods or services:	\$ 0.00
Revenue from investments:	\$ 0.00
Other revenue/receipts:	\$ 0.00
Total revenue/receipts:	\$ 6,400.00
Other income:	\$ 0.00
Total income/receipts:	\$ 6,400.00

Expenses

Employee expenses:	\$ 0.00
Grants and donations made for use in Australia:	\$ 0.00
Grants and donations made for use outside Australia:	\$ 5,575.41
Other payments/expenses:	\$ 140.54
Total expenses/payments:	\$ 5,715.95
Net surplus/(deficit):	\$ 684.05

Balance Sheet

Assets

Total assets:	\$ 993.60
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Liabilities

Total liabilities:	\$ 0.00
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Net assets/liabilities:	\$ 993.60
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Section 4. Other Important Information

How You Can Help

Become a member

New members are welcome to apply to join the foundation.

Make a donation

Donations to the Foundation can be made by contacting the Foundation directly or through our website, www.moorefoundation.org.au.

Other ways you can help our cause

The Foundation is interested in hearing about potential collaborations with individuals and organisations; as well as ideas of sustainable programs that will further our mission.

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