The Mont Reid Surgical Society of the University of Cincinnati, founded in 1950, is composed of graduates of the general surgery training program who are active in encouraging professional fellowship among the alumni to advance the art and science of surgery. The Society assists the current resident staff and the Department through funding, lectures, symposiums, publications, and other programs. In addition, the Society annually sponsors the Mont Reid Surgical Society Visiting Professor Lectureship with both social and academic activities at the UC Department of Surgery, including Surgical Grand Rounds. The Society also meets annually at the American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress where members can renew or make new acquaintances. A newsletter is sent periodically to update members on various activities and events.