



Although 2019 is coming to a close, Phoenix Society still has so much planned for this year. We're launching a new website, introducing virtual support groups, expanding our team with Phoenix Fellows, and more!

Become a Phoenix Fellow

We're now accepting applications for our 2020 Phoenix Fellowship program. The Phoenix Fellowship program provides professional development and transformational support to a global burn community.

We are seeking eight Phoenix Fellows to join our team in the following areas:

- Advocacy
- Community Events Planning
- Marketing and Communications
- Peer Support Programming
- Philanthropy
- Virtual Support and Education
- Young Adult and Supportive Programming
- Youth Supportive Programming

[Learn more about each position and apply here!](#)

We Need Your Help

We're still looking burn survivors to join the LIBRE Journey Study! The study was designed with the goal of better understanding the social recovery of burn survivors. By participating in the LIBRE Journey Study, survivors can earn up to \$100 in Amazon gift cards. To learn more, call (617) 952-6302 or email Boston-HarvardBIMS@partners.org.

Phoenix Society Travels to Seoul, South Korea



Amy Acton and Barbara Kammerer Quayle traveled to South Korea for Hallym Burn Foundation's annual conference. Sharing knowledge across continents and language barriers, Amy gave a keynote speech and Barbara led an image enhancement training. We enjoyed another opportunity to connect with our friends in Seoul!

Remembering Frank McGonagle



Frank McGonagle was a steadfast leader and a loyal friend, and this loss will be felt throughout the burn community. He played a significant role in the transformation of Phoenix Society over the years. A memorial article will be included in the next edition of *Burn Support Magazine*.

Coming Soon: Our New Website!



Throughout 2019, we have been working on building an entirely new website! We wanted a website that no matter who you are or where you are, you can find exactly what you need. During Phoenix World Burn Congress (WBC), we showed a preview of our new website - and we're almost ready to launch!

Special Thanks to Integra



Earlier this month, Integra hosted a Plainsboro Day of Service with a 5K Fun Run / Walk benefitting Phoenix Society - raising more than \$30,000! Special thanks to the Integra team for their ongoing support of our mission and for all they do to provide life-saving therapies to the burn community.

Virtual Support Group

Join us for a live, interactive support group on Thursday, November 21 from anywhere in the world! In a virtual setting, moderated by Phoenix SOAR trained peer supporters and emotional support providers, survivors, and their loved ones can address questions and concerns about burn recovery. The group will meet through WebEx, a video conference platform, in which users can use a webcam and phone to connect. If you are interested in joining the group, please email Jessica Irven at Jessica@phoenix-society.org. Please note - if you are located outside of the United States, there are international call-in numbers for use (provided upon request).

Learn and Get Support

Were you or a loved one recently injured? Or, have you ever thought you could use help increasing your confidence in social situations? Join our new Education + Support Groups from anywhere in the world! We will be offering two group options for survivors and loved ones:

- A series of three conference calls based on an educational packet (we'll mail it to you before the calls). We'll focus on supporting one another as well as tackling "getting back out there" in social situations.
- A series of three WebEx (video conferencing) group sessions to explore our brand-new online education site! We'll combine online education resources with webcam-based meetings to learn skills and support each other along the way. (We recommend high bandwidth and quiet space for signing in to meetings).

Both group options will be offered in early December - be sure to follow us on [Facebook](#) for more information! If you are interested in joining either group, please email Jessica Irven at Jessica@phoenix-society.org.

Save the Date - Giving Tuesday

Did you know there is a global day dedicated to giving back? On Giving Tuesday - December 3rd, millions of people will come together to support organizations they believe in. Follow Phoenix Society on [Facebook](#) for our #GivingTuesday updates and activities!

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