

## **The Finnish Society of Nephrology**

The Finnish Society of Nephrology is founded already in the 1970. Its purpose is to enhance teaching and studying of nephrology and to improve treatment of nephrological patients. The Society gives statements concerning its interests in Finland and among international nephrological societies. It arranges national, open lectures and has even hosted international meetings. The main nephrological educational congresses in Finland are the two annual meetings of the Society. The Society rewards biannually an outstanding member with the Börje Kuhlback award and also biannually a promising young researcher with the Young Scientist award. At present, the Society has 191 members. President of the Society is MD, PhD, Docent Niina Koivuviita ([niina.koivuviita@tyks.fi](mailto:niina.koivuviita@tyks.fi)) and secretary is MD Louise Aaltonen ([louise.aaltonen@tyks.fi](mailto:louise.aaltonen@tyks.fi)).