Joint BSGAR-BSUR Annual Meeting - Liverpool 2019

This is an advert for submissions for the Interesting Cases Session, Scientific Session and Poster Presentations at the 2019 BSGAR-BSUR Joint Annual Meeting 2019.

Interesting Cases Session and Derrick Martin Prize

The session is one of the annual highlights of the BSGAR meeting and is usually heavily oversubscribed. For 2019 we will welcome presentations on the full range of abdominal pathology, so we expect it to be as hotly contested as ever! The Interesting Cases Session is also open to Consultants, but they are not eligible for the Derrick Martin Prize.

Presentations are 4 minutes long, and are judged on style, content and impact on practice. The best 10 cases submitted will be invited to present at the meeting and offered publication on the BSGAR website. Please submit as a Powerpoint presentation using the following template:

- 1. Cover slide: title, authors and affiliations
- 2. Clinical Information: brief summary/relevant past medical history
- 3. Figures: selected images with legends
- 4. Final diagnosis: include means of confirming diagnosis
- 5. Key learning points
- 6. Discussion: pathophysiology, clinical findings, imaging findings etc.

The Derrick Martin Prize will be awarded for the best interesting case presented by a trainee. The winner will receive a prize of £200 in John Lewis vouchers.

Poster Presentations, Scientific Session and John Spencer Prize

BSUR have a tradition of welcoming abstract submissions for poster and oral presentations at their Annual Meeting. The best scientific reports are invited to give an oral presentation in the Scientific Session, and a chance to win the prestigious John Spencer Prize. For 2019 we will welcome abstracts on both GI and GU topics.

We can accept submissions from both Consultants and trainees. These might be audit and quality improvement projects, educational exhibits, education projects, technical developments, or scientific reports. Please ensure the type of submission is indicated in the description via the link below. Abstracts should be submitted as a Word document and include the Title, Authors and Institutions above the body of the abstract. The body of the abstract should not exceed 250 words. If you are submitting a scientific report, please use the following headings: Background, Methods, Results, Discussion.

All scientific reports invited for oral presentations will be offered publication as abstracts in an online supplement of Clinical Radiology. The John Spencer Prize will be awarded for the best scientific report presented by a trainee. The winner will receive support up to £500 to attend an appropriate conference of their choosing. In addition, there is a Poster Prize for the best poster, the winner of which will receive a prize of £200 in John Lewis vouchers.

Deadline, Conference Attendance and Notification of Success

Please submit your entries via https://www.bsgar.org/education/interesting-cases/upload/. The deadline for entry is **15th December 2018**. Late submissions will not be considered. If you have an questions please email office@bsgar.org.

We anticipate accepting 10 interesting cases for oral presentation, 5 scientific reports for oral presentation and 10-20 abstracts for poster presentation. Successful candidates will be contacted by email. Please note that poster and presentation places will only be confirmed with registration for the conference. Posters will need to be displayed from the start of conference (Thursday 7th February) and authors of interesting cases and scientific reports accepted for oral presentation need to be available to present (and registered for the conference) on Friday 8th February. The prize winners will be announced on Friday 8th February.

Submissions are now open! We look forward to receiving your entries.