

# SAS NEWSLETTER

Spring 2016

Welcome to the tenth edition of the SAS newsletter, bringing you a round up of forthcoming events, current vacancies and issues relevant to SAS doctors

## Meetings

### **Clinical Dermatology Update Meeting** Crewe Hall, Weston Rd, Crewe, 5-7 Oct 2016

This years annual Clinical Dermatology Update Meeting will be held on 5<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> October at Crewe Hall. The meeting will follow the same two night format as the previous two years with presentations by delegates on the Wednesday night. Following feedback the brief will be more open this year, so hopefully many of you will feel able to contribute. Glenda is asking for 10 minute presentations under the heading “I thought you might find this interesting...?” This is an excellent opportunity to present in a friendly and non-threatening environment and looks good on the CV, particularly for those contemplating a CESR application.

To book a place and to receive further information, please contact the BAD Conference Manager at [christopherG@bad.org.uk](mailto:christopherG@bad.org.uk) . Alternatively, please email [conference@bad.org.uk](mailto:conference@bad.org.uk)

## CESR Workshop

The next Dermatology CESR workshop will be taking place on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June at BAD House. Previous attendees have found the workshops extremely helpful and places tend to fill quickly. At the time of writing there are 17 spaces left, preference will be given to those who haven't attended previously. Fees are £50 for BAD members and £100 for non-members.

Anyone interested please email Monica Parrondo [monica@bad.org.uk](mailto:monica@bad.org.uk)

Under the Education Unit, the BAD has created a guidance framework to help aid the CESR application process. The link to the CESR guidance framework is as follows:

<http://www.bad.org.uk/healthcare-professionals/education/education-unit/cesr-workshop>

## Annual meeting of the BAD

The 96<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the BAD takes place this year from 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> July in Birmingham. The preconference SAS session will take place on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July from 12.15-17.35. Jui Vyas has taken over the organisation of this session from Glenda Hill and has put together an interesting programme with some excellent speakers. The afternoon is always one of the highlights of the meeting and well worth arriving a day early for. The link to register for the meeting is as follows:

<http://www.bad.org.uk/events/annualmeeting/registration>

## SAS Workload Survey

Thank you to those of you who completed the recent workload survey, organised and collated by Jonathon Slater. The results make interesting reading confirming the huge contribution made by SAS doctors to Dermatology departments across the country. Thank you to Jonathan for his invaluable hard work collating the mass of data and if you haven't already seen the results I would encourage you to click on the link below:

<http://www.bad.org.uk/healthcare-professionals/sas-doctors/database-and-workforce>

## Vacancies

### Specialty Doctor, Staff and Associate Specialist Sub-Committee Vacancies

A vacancy is available on the Specialty Doctor, Staff and Associate Specialist Sub-committee. Applications are invited from SAS doctors who are BAD members.

The committee meets three times a year under the chairmanship of Dr Inma Mauri-Sole. Matters of current interest include postgraduate career development funding, work based assessment, appraisal/revalidation and entry requirements and streamlining of CESR applications.

If you would like to be involved, please send your CV and a brief covering letter to Monica Parrondo (Monica@bad.org.uk), outlining your background, details of your current post and the skills you can bring to the committee.

The closing date to receive applications is **Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June**.

## Fellowships and Awards

### UKDCTN

The UK Dermatology Clinical Trials Network has one award of up to £1,500 each year, available for Dermatology SAS grade clinicians based in the UK to apply for. Further information can be found on the UK DCTN website following the link below:

<http://www.ukdctn.org/ukdctn/awards-and-training/index.aspx>

If you are interested in the 2016 award please contact Carron Layfield at [carron.layfield@nottingham.ac.uk](mailto:carron.layfield@nottingham.ac.uk). The closing date is **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2016** with the fellowships to commence December 2016.

Previous recipients of awards:

<b>Name</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Location</b>
Dr Alison Devine	2010	Rhyl
Dr Penny Thomson	2011	London
Dr Areti Makrygerorgou	2012	Glasgow
Dr Sangeeta Punjabi	2013	London
Dr Susan Hatfield	2014	Bradford
Dr Urvi Popli	2015	Norwich

## **BAD/ DC SAS Travel Fellowships**

Two travel fellowships of £500 each, sponsored by Celgene, are available each year specifically for BAD and/or Dowling Club members who hold SAS posts and who wish to visit a dermatology centre or attend a dermatology meeting overseas. The closing date for applications is **20<sup>th</sup> May each year**.

### **2011**

Dr Elizabeth Ogden – American Academy of Dermatology 70<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, San Diego, 16-20 March 2012

Dr Morteza Moatamedi – American Academy of Dermatology 70<sup>th</sup> Annual meeting, San Diego, 16-20 March 2012

### **2012**

Dr Helen Horn – 11<sup>th</sup> Congress of the European Society for Contact Dermatitis, Malmo.

Dr Christie Reckling- 11<sup>th</sup> Congress of the European Society of Contact Dermatitis, Malmo

### **2013**

No applicants

### **2014**

Dr Vrinda Bajaj- 73<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Dermatology, San Francisco, California 20-24 March 2014

Dr Christine Reckling – 12<sup>th</sup> Congress of the European Society for Contact Dermatitis, Barcelona, Spain.

### **2015**

Dr Alison Goodwin – American Academy of Dermatology 74<sup>th</sup> Annual Meetings, Washington D.C. 4-8 March 2016

No applicant

For an application please email: [Siu@bad.org.uk](mailto:Siu@bad.org.uk)

## **Dermatology SCE Exam**

For those interested in sitting the Dermatology SCE Exam please click on the link below for further information:

<http://www.mrcpuk.org/mrcpuk-examinations/specialty-certificate-examinations/specialties/dermatology>

We are hoping to collate a database of successful SCE candidates who can offer advice and support to future applicants. If you would be happy to be included on this please contact one of the committee members.

## **BAD SAS Committee**

The BAD SAS committee meets three times a year under the chairmanship of Inma Mauri-Sole.

The role of the committee is to further and support the education and career progression of SAS doctors in dermatology and to raise the profile of this committed group of the dermatology medical workforce. We aim to share information and advice regarding contracts and signpost doctors to useful resources. To encourage career progression via educational opportunities, including clinical meeting suitable for these grades. We actively encourage application for SAS educational grants and funding and involvement in research. We offer resources on how to navigate the CESR application route, as well as audit, appraisal and revalidation. We encourage open communication between our members and sharing of good practice and achievements from SAS doctors on the wider NHS

### **Committee Members**

Dr Inma Mauri-Sole – Chairman [inma.mauri-sole@nhs.net](mailto:inma.mauri-sole@nhs.net)  
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Ms Monica Parrondo – BAD SAS sub-committee administrator [monica@bad.org.uk](mailto:monica@bad.org.uk)

Please email Monica if you have any SAS queries and she will forward your email to the BAD SAS sub-committee member who is most likely to help you. Also please let Monica know if you have any news that you think will be of interest to other SAS doctors and the sub-committee.