Research and Audit Committee vacancies

Are you passionate about research and audit, committed to promoting the highest standards of care and keen to support our members to deliver high quality innovative echo services? The British Society of Echocardiography is looking for volunteers to join our Research and Audit Committee to help us to deliver a portfolio of primary research in echocardiography, supporting educational resources for research and contributing to national audits and innovation projects.

Echocardiography is practiced by an ever-increasing range of specialists situated in diverse settings and the BSE is keen for all its committees to represent its members as widely as possible. We therefore encourage applications from all specialities and members with all types of BSE accreditations.

The Committee meets four times a year either face to face or virtually. Members will be asked to lead on projects and will need to meet agreed timelines, we would therefore encourage you to consider how you would allocate time to work on a project.

The BSE Research and Audit Committee is responsible for:

* Designing and delivering primary echocardiography research (observational cohorts and trials)
* Undertaking and presenting clinical audits of practice and measurements
* Ensuring mentorship for anyone seeking a clinical academic career
* Proactively sharing educational resources related to research and audit

We are committed to treating all people equally, with respect and without discrimination. We are looking for Committee members who can uphold our organisational values in their work, including being:

* Passionate about excellence in echo
* Professional, transparent and ethical
* Member-driven, collaborative and inclusive

Interested members should completed the attached expression of interest form and send together with a copy of their CV to [events@bsecho.org](mailto:events@bsecho.org?subject=Research%20and%20Audit%20Committee%20application).

Full membership of the BSE is required. **The closing date is Sunday 28 January 2024.**

Expression of Interest

Please complete and return to [education@bsecho.org](mailto:education@bsecho.org)

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| **Membership number** |  |
| **Email address** |  |
| **Work address** |  |

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| **Job title** |  |
| **Professional role** (e.g. cardiologist, cardiac physiologist, clinical scientist) |  |
| **Organisation** |  |
| **Highest relevant education qualifications** (e.g. BSc, MBBch, MSc, PhD) |  |

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| **Please tell us why you would like to be a member of the Research and Audit Committee and what you believe you will contribute to the organisation**  (500 words) |  |
| **Please let us know how you will manage the time commitment required**  **(**200 words) |  |

**I confirm that in accepting one of these positions I will commit time to the Education Committee including four meetings a year. I confirm that I have approval from my supervisor or head of department to participate. I understand my details will be held in accordance with GDPR regulations.**

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