



National Conference on Medical Journalism

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University of Health Sciences, Lahore

January 18-20, 2019

In Collaboration with

PAME, EMAME, HEC, PM&DC, KEMU, FJMU

Theme: Challenges in Medical Journalism

Registration Fee Workshops: Rs. 500/- Conference: Rs. 1,000/-

Scientific Programme

Pre-Conference Workshops on January 18th, 2019

Time: 9:00 AM to 12:30 Afternoon

Workshops

1. Medical Writing Venue: UHS
(Coordinator: Dr. Aisha)
2. Peer Review Venue: KEMU
(Coordinator: Saira Afzal)
3. Publication Ethics Venue: FJMU
(Coordinator: Director DME)
4. Proposal Writing for Funding for Research Venue: AZNMC
(Coordinator: Prof. M. Akbar Chaudhry)

Facilitators

Shaukat Ali Jawaid

Jamshed Akhtar

Akhtar Sherin

Muhammad Irfan

Anwar Siddiqui

Conference Workshops on January 20th, 2019

Time: 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM

5. Manuscript Management System Venue: UHS
(Open Journal System)
(Coordinator: Dr. Saima Chaudhry)

Masood Jawaid

Inaugural Session

Saturday, 19th January, 2019

Time

09:25 am
09:30 am
09:35am
09:40 am

09:50 am
10:05 am
10:20 am
10:35 am
10:45 am

Program

All participants to be seated
Arrival of the Chief Guest and Guest of Honour
Recitation of the Holy Quran
Objectives of the conference by the Chairman Scientific Committee,
Mr. Shaukat Ali Jawaid, Chief Editor, Pakistan Journal of Medical Sciences.
Welcome address by Prof. Javed Akram, Vice Chancellor, UHS
Address by the Guest of Honour
Address by the Chief Guest
Souvenir Distribution
Refreshment

Scientific Session-1 January 19th, 2019 Time: 11:30 AM to 12:40 Afternoon

Chairperson: Prof. Javed Akram, Prof. Khalid Masood Gondal, Prof. Jamshed Akhtar

Key note Presentations

- 1. Past, Present and Future of Medical Journalism in Pakistan**
Shaukat Ali Jawaid Chief Editor Pakistan Journal of Medical Sciences, Pakistan
- 2. Science & Innovative Research in Pakistan: 1947-2018 Appraisal**
Prof. Sultan Ayub Meo, Saudi Arabia
- 3. Role of Universities, Medical Institutions in promoting Medical Journalism**
Maj. Gen. M. Aslam Pro VC NUMS, Pakistan.

Discussion Time: 12:40 Noon to 1:00 PM

Lunch / Prayers: 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM

Scientific Session-2 Time: 2:00 PM to 3:20 PM

Chairperson: Prof. Amar Zaman Khan, Prof. Sultan Ayoub Meo, Prof. Hamid Hussain

- 4. Challenges of peer review**
Prof. Jamshed Akhtar Editor, JCPSP, Karachi-Pakistan.
- 5. How to get the Journal indexed in PubMed, PubMed Central and Web of Sciences** MB Rokni,
Chief Editor, Iranian Journal of Public Health, Tehran University, Iran Chair, Indexing and
Visibility Committee, EMAME
- 6. Role of Regulatory bodies in promotion of medical journalism**
Prof. Akhtar Sherin, Chief Editor, Khyber Medical University Journal, Pakistan
- 7. Bridging Gaps in Medical Journalism: from Mass Media to Specific Health Journals**
Dr. Hamid Hussain, Vice President EMAME UAE.

Discussion Time: 3:20 PM to 3:40 PM

Scientific Session-3 Time: 3:40 PM to 4:20 PM

Chairperson: Prof. M.B. Rokni, Prof. Ahmad Badar, Prof.M. Akbar Chaudhary

- 8. Publication Ethics**
Dr. Fatema Jawad, Chief Editor, JPMA, Pakistan.
- 9. Beyond the citation style ... credibility of the cited assertions**
Prof. Ahmad Badar, Saudi Arabia.

Discussion Time: 4:20 PM to 4:40 PM

Experts Committee Meeting (Master's in Medical Journalism) Time: 5:00 PM

Scientific Session-4 January 20th, 2019 Time: 9:00 AM to 12:00 Afternoon

Chairperson: Prof. Akhtar Sherin, Prof. Saira Afzal, Dr. Fatema Jawad, Dr. Imdad Ali

- 10. The rise of the predatory journals in the 21st century: how to detect and avoid this academic scam?"**
Dr. Farooq Rathore, PNS, Shifa, Karachi - Pakistan.
- 11. PM&DC Guidelines for recognition of Journals.**
Dr. Imdad Ali, Officer In-charge Publications and Journals Committee PM&DC.

Discussion Time: 9:40 AM to 10:00 AM

- 1. Open House Session Time: 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM**
- 2. Concluding Session Time: 11:30 AM to 12:00 Noon**

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