



## A Career in Infection for Juniors

A **FREE** evening event aimed at senior medical students, and all doctors below registrar level contemplating a career in Infection related specialties including infectious diseases, microbiology, virology and tropical medicine.

The evening is attached to the BIA Spring meeting and will be held in **SOAS, London** after the Trainee's day **6-9pm** on **24<sup>th</sup> May 2017, with food provided.**

The evening consists of a variety of topics including advice on working abroad and tips on how to successfully apply for specialty training, delivered by experts in their various fields. A provisional programme can be found [here](#).

### ***Case presentations***

There is also an opportunity to submit an abstract for consideration of a 10-minute long case presentation. The abstract can be a case report, audit, research or any project undertaken relating to infection. 3 will be chosen for presentation and the best on the evening will receive a **NATIONAL PRIZE (with a £100 cash prize)**.

Once registration has been confirmed, please send an abstract with Background, Methods, Results and Conclusion (where applicable), **maximum 250 words**, to [naeemdesai@nhs.net](mailto:naeemdesai@nhs.net) AND [bia@hartleytaylor.co.uk](mailto:bia@hartleytaylor.co.uk) by 5pm 14<sup>th</sup> April 2017. Successful applicants will be notified by End of April/ Early May.

### ***Registration***

In order to confirm your place please register [here](#). Registration is **free of charge** to BIA Members, new members (trainee level and below only) can join for free online by visiting the BIA website <http://www.britishinfection.org/> There is no deadline for registration but there are a **limited number of places**, so register early to avoid disappointment.

We look forward to seeing you in May.

Reception and evening meal

**Event Introduction and overview of Combined infection training (CIT)**

- Overview of CIT pathway, including application and interview advice
- ‘Sales-pitch’ style talks on individual pathways:
  - Infectious diseases and general internal medicine
  - Microbiology
  - Tropical medicine
  - Virology

**Diploma in tropical medicine and hygiene (DTM&H) – Where, when and how?**

- Course content
- Potential differences in courses
- How to make the most of it

**Opportunities for work abroad**

- When and how to volunteer/work abroad
- How to maximise international experience
- Case examples

**Break**

**Research, audit and leadership in infection – How to be innovative**

- Maximising opportunities
- How to develop and lead infection projects

**Case presentations (x3)**

**Prizes and close**