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Advancing burn & scar research

## Restore Burns Awareness Poster Competition- Terms & Conditions

Restore Burn and Wound Research has established the Restore Poster Prize to be awarded to one and/or several foundation doctors (pre-core/IMT training) who are interested in the field of Burns, Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery.

**Open to:** all Foundation doctors (pre-core/ IMT training) registered in the United Kingdom with the GMC either with provisional/full licence to practice.

**Prize:** The prize will be named 'The Restore Poster Prize' in all publicity. The winner of the prize will receive; a certificate, a prize fund of £500 and will have their winning poster disseminated on our social media pages/website. The prize fund of £500 will be expected to contribute towards a relevant surgical course/conference or such other use that will aid the foundation doctor's portfolio or surgical training (and will have with prior notice agreed with Restore's Director of Research). We will support the foundation doctor in gaining valuable clinical exposure in a relevant department.

**Frequency:** Annual at the discretion of Restore's Board of Trustees.

**Submission deadline:** 6<sup>th</sup> October 2022. The surgical course/ conference funded by the prize fund must take place within one year of the award, unless there is a justifiable reason as to a delay such as limited spaces on a desired course.

**Personal involvement:** the poster must have been personally designed by the applicant and confirmed in writing to be **original and the sole endeavours of the candidate** on a separate authorship form which is downloadable from the Restore website (CREATE AUTHORSHIP FORM +LINK HERE) to be submitted with the poster.

### Poster Submission Criteria

- Poster submission deadline is midnight on 6<sup>th</sup> October 2022.
- There must be no indication in the submission of the author's identity or parent institution.
- Contents of the poster must be relevant for National Burns Awareness Day. The design must be original.
- It should be designed to suitable for dissemination to the public via all social media platforms (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram) & our website.
- The poster must include up-to-date burns management principles for the lay population based on current research.
- The poster must contain jargon-free language that a lay person can understand.
- Submissions may include relevant figures, tables or diagrams where these improve the clarity of the text, but should not be included where the added value is minimal.
- Only one poster may be submitted per applicant and these should be submitted electronically to [restoresocialmedia@gmail.com](mailto:restoresocialmedia@gmail.com) by midnight on 6<sup>th</sup> October 2022.

- Posters will be judged according to visual appeal, communication of task objective, originality and overall impression by a panel of Restore scientific staff and advisers.
- The poster with the best overall scores in the first round will be assessed by an independent marker and, depending on this final assessment, one or several awards may be confirmed after consideration of the general standard of entries.
- Restore reserves the right not to award a poster prize if the standard of entries is deemed to be of inadequate quality.
- Successful candidates will be notified in writing on 11<sup>th</sup> October 2022
- Successful candidates will be expected to give a short report for the plans for their prize money, including how it will help their future career. This may be published on our website or social media platforms.
- Unsuccessful candidates will be given brief feedback on their entry.

**Publication:** The foundation doctor should take care to avoid copyright infringement in any figures, diagram or picture used. **Plagiarism in any form will result in the entry being disqualified.**

#### **Payment**

**The award will be paid directly to the candidate within 10 working days of the winner being announced.**