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## **Early Careers Working Group**

Task group name : Early Careers

Chair person: Siria Medici

**Aims and roadmap:** The Early Career (EC) group aims to bridge the gap between education and professional practice, advocating for emerging professionals in medical physics. The EC will act in close collaboration with the other committees within the SSRMP to create opportunities for networking, collaboration and exchanges, share interesting resources for training and continuous education and gather feedback through surveys to ensure the society aligns with the evolving needs of its members.

The actions of the EC WG are based on three main pillars : 1) networking and communication; 2) events and knowledge sharing and 3) careers development and recongnition.

The EC WG aims at reuniting early members, provide them with equal opportunities for learning and personal development and address their questions and concerns by a centralised, dynamic and internal structure. Since we firmly believe that innovation should be rooted in experience and value collaboration greatly, <u>this group is open to all the SSRMP members, regardless of their level of seniority within the society</u>.

**Anticipated results:** Feedback surveys, networking sessions, events organisation, repository of continuous education material.

**Science relevance:** The EC group promotes scientific innovation by encouraging collaboration and interdisciplinary learning. Through knowledge exchange, it supports the integration of new technologies and research into clinical practice, driving advancements in medical physics.

**Professional relevance:** By organizing webinars and networking events, the group helps earlycareer medical physicists connect with experts and peers, exploring career opportunities and professional growth. The group also fosters collaboration among all members, both early and experienced, creating an inclusive environment for knowledge sharing and mutual support.

**Educational relevance:** The EC group is dedicated to supporting continuous learning by organizing webinars, Q&A sessions and hand-on experiences. The establishment of a comprehensive repository of resources could potentially benefit all SSRMP members. The EC provides valuable materials and expert insights to help members at all stages of their careers gain confidence and build the knowledge and skills needed in the medical physics profession.

Start date : 16.12.2024

**End date :** (permanent group)

Do you want to share ideas, provide feedback, help us organizing events? Join the EC group by writing to : <u>early.careers@ssrpm.ch</u>