

Foreword from the Executive Committee....

Dear Members,

There is just one month left until the ASPiH conference takes place on 8th to 10th November 2021, we are delighted to see that many of you took advantage of the early bird rate and have already signed up to join us at the virtual event. If you are yet to sign up please do so by visiting the [conference site](#). The event promises an exciting programme and we have attracted prestigious keynote speakers, we look forward to seeing you at "Moving Upstream".

As most of you know the #SimTechDay was launched on 15th September 2021, an annual day to celebrate our Technicians. The twitter chat and online webinar was well received with such enthusiasm and a keen appetite from our community. We are certain that the national day will grow and becoming more popular, building on the foundations from this year's events.

Enjoy reading the newsletter and stay safe! As always we are keen to hear from our members; ideas, improvements and suggested activities; email us at: memberships@aspih.org.uk

ASPiH Executive Committee

Save the Date

Upcoming Events

Twitter Chat

Using simulation to create a safety culture @ASPiH UK #safetyculture

14th October 2021 – 6.30pm

Sponsored by CAE

Webinar (Teams)

Using simulation to create a safety culture

20th October 2021, 7 – 8pm

ASPiH Virtual Conference "Moving Upstream"

8th – 10th November 2021

For more information on events visit

www.aspih.org.uk/events or email donnamajor@aspih.org.uk

For Twitter Chats follow @AspihUK at the relevant date and time, using the #

For workshops please email donnamajor@aspih.org.uk to register

International Journal of Healthcare Simulations – Advances in Theory & Practice

Free Member Access - For our members requiring online journal access and a platform to submit work for publication

IJoHS is a recently launched simulation-based digital journal in joint ownership with Society for Healthcare Simulation (SHS) and Adi Health+Wellness. IJoHS has been established with a clear vision to achieve excellence in promoting and disseminating simulation research of the highest quality through collaboration with professional societies, thereby promoting health and social care outcomes, globally. Hence, SHS and Adi Health+Wellness in partnership with PASSH will promote an empirical-based impactful platform for scientific and healthcare community to share pioneering ideas, thought papers, research, and practices as well as encourage interprofessional education research and collaborative practice outcomes.

IJoHS is focused on the use of simulation and related innovative technologies as an educational method and intervention for professionals in all areas of healthcare education, workforce development and quality of care. It also covers wide ranging applications including clinical practice and public health. The journal is anchored by an iconic Editor-in-Chief Dr. Debra Nestel and supported by a world-class Editorial Board, Operating Board and Management Board of globally renowned multidisciplinary team of clinicians and experts. For more information, please visit <https://www.ijohs.com/>.

Awards

Science Council – Harvinder Singh – Congratulations Harvey on receiving RSci status! We are very proud of you and you have become the 32nd ASPiH member to receive Science Council recognition.

BACCN/ASPiH Poster Winners

Congratulations to Jennifer Hughes and Kirsty Harris for been selected for best poster presentations at the recent BACCN conference! We hope to hear more from you both about the work you have carried out. A huge well done from all at ASPiH.

Accreditation

Whilst we are overjoyed that we are receiving a large number of applications; such a positive response to the accreditation standards we do apologise as we have had to increase our turnaround times as follows:

<u>Individual Application</u>	9 Weeks
<u>Programme Application</u>	12 Weeks
<u>Organisational Application</u>	15 Weeks

Thank you for bearing with us!

From this month's newsletter sponsor: CAE

This month's sponsor CAE is a high technology business. Working with partners in Civil Aviation, Defence & Security and Healthcare. CAE are committed to improving clinical education and patient safety through simulation-based training solutions. We thank CAE for supporting ASPIH and this year's virtual conference as "Platinum sponsors"

To find out more about CAE click [HERE](#) or visit www.cae.com

TECHNICIAN NEWS:

Would you like to feature your career journey to getting to your current role? If yes, then please contact us to express your interest membership@aspih.org.uk and Sam/Caren will be in touch.

New Standards for the Science Council will start in January 2022 for more information visit: [CPD Choice \(aspih.org.uk\)](#)

We want to hear from you... following on from our #SimTechDay events, what would you like to see at the next Annual Technical Workshop?

Do you have accreditation with the Science Council? Did you know that Professional Registration is becoming increasingly popular and has now started to appear on Job Description! For more information visit: [Route to Professional Registration \(aspih.org.uk\)](#)



Special Interest Groups to be relaunched at Conference

Our special interest groups are undergoing preparations for a relaunch at this year's conference, to find out more on the groups available and becoming a member please visit: [SIGs \(aspih.org.uk\)](#)

If you have any suggestions for SIG groups or are interested in helping to chair please email memberships@aspih.org.uk and our Exec Member Karen Reynolds will be in touch with you.

You will not want to miss out on our exciting programme and an opportunity to see our prestigious keynote speakers...

If you haven't already registered visit www.aspihconference.co.uk and register your place now!

The site holds all relevant information and a draft programme.

Fancy a career change? Keep up to date with national vacancies listed on our website and twitter feed:

[Technical Specialist \(Clinical Simulation\) - 14202](#)

College / Directorate: College of Health, Medicine & Life Sciences, Department: CHMLS Central Office
Full Time / Part Time - Full Time
Posted Date - 22/09/2021, Closing Date: 17/10/2021
Ref No 2643

[Senior Technician, Skills Coordinator](#)

Coventry University - School of Life Sciences
Location: Coventry
Salary: £27,518 to £36,917, Hours: Full Time
Contract Type: Permanent
Placed On: 22nd September 2021, Closes: 19th October 2021
Job Ref: REQ008873

Members - Do you have news you would like to share within the newsletter?

Industry Partners – Are you interested in supporting ASPIH in sponsoring future newsletters or finding out more about other opportunities?

Contact our Co-ordinator donnamajor@aspih.org.uk