Call for Clinical Guidelines Subcommittee members at ESCMID

The European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases (ESCMID) is the leading society in the world in clinical microbiology and infectious diseases, with members from all European countries and on all continents.

ESCMID is currently looking to select six members who will form the first Guidelines Subcommittee (GLS). The GLS works with the Clinical Guidelines Director to implement ESCMID’s clinical guidelines (GL) programme.

Ideally, the composition of the GLS includes two infectious disease specialists, one infection control professional, two clinical microbiologists and one expert in GL development.

Key responsibilities

The subcommittee members cooperate with and assist the GL director in the following tasks:

- Setting up and managing ESCMID calls for GLs
- Constantly evaluate the need to update existing GLs
- Advice on the composition of the GL drafting groups
- Review CoI declarations
- Perform protocol reviews at the proposal stage
- Review GL manuscripts before they enter the public consultation phase

Duration of term

The duration of term for GLS members is two years, which may be renewed for another two years.

Qualifications and requirements

- a mid-career professional with experience in infectious diseases, clinical microbiology or infection control.
- knowledge and demonstrated experience in evidence-base medicine
- experience in using systematic review methods,
- experience in using the GRADE approach in GL development (highly desirable).
- be a Full ESCMID member

Qualified applicants are invited to send their CV and a cover letter (max. 2 pages) stating their motivation, qualifications, experience and publication record to ESCMID’s guidelines manager Nancy Gerits (nancy.gerits@escmid.com) before 30 September 2018.

For more information about the position before applying, please contact ESCMID’s Clinical Guidelines Director Luigia Scudeller (l.scudeller@smatteo.pv.it).

Short-listed candidates will be informed of their status and interviewed over the following weeks.