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Unlearning and Relearning: Reinvigorating Self and System in Times of Renewal

April 23-26, 2022

CALL FOR PROPOSAL FOR EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: Monday, October 11th, 2021

Introduction

As one of the five founding partners of the CCME, the Canadian Association for Medical Education (CAME) is actively involved in promoting research and educational activities to support the mission of the meeting. It is with great pleasure therefore that CAME is organizing the Medical Education Innovation Symposium for CCME 2022. This is a call for proposals for the Symposium.

The purpose of the Medical Education Innovation Symposium is to examine a specific medical education innovation from a variety of perspectives. **Symposia may feature a problem and describe different innovative techniques or tools to address the problem, or present alternative** teaching methods to what is currently in place. This is an ideal opportunity for a group of medical educational innovators with a common interest, to integrate, synthesize and showcase research findings around a highlighted innovation. It is also an ideal forum to present and get feedback on innovation in progress. Submissions are encouraged from educational innovators affiliated with different institutions sharing a common interest, or from innovators at a single institution wishing to profile a particular stream in medical education research.

Proposed Format

The symposium will be held on Sunday, April 24th from 1:30 - 3:00 PM. The suggested format is a series of 2-3 brief presentations (10-15 minutes each) followed by a discussant. The first presenter might give an overview of the innovation topic chosen; then the next 1-2 speakers could then present their own research related to this topic. The first speaker might also be the discussant. The role of the discussant is to identify common or disparate themes raised through the presentations, and to suggest implications for practice (if applicable) as well as areas or questions requiring further research. This is only a suggested format. However, it is expected that the symposia include ample opportunity for interaction with those present at the session.

Expression of Interest

Groups interested in leading such a symposium should complete the following form before **Monday, October 11th, 2021**. The moderator of this session will work with a member of the Education Innovation Symposium Planning Committee and the CCME secretariat to organize the symposium. The author of the accepted proposal will be contacted before December and must send us a full description for the CCME program before **February 14th, 2022**.