



PeMSAA-UK Academic Award

For Best Research / Audit/ Quality Improvement Project in Sri Lanka

Who can apply?

Undergraduate:

- Medical students at Peradeniya Medical Faculty
- Be a registered Associate Member of PeMSAA

Post Graduate:

- Have qualified from the Faculty of Medicine, University of Peradeniya within the last 15 years.
- Be a registered member of the local PeMSAA.
- Be a fully qualified non-Consultant grade doctor working in the Ministry of Health, Ministry of Higher Education or as a Family Practitioner

Undergraduate's submission criteria

- The research project should comply with basic research/ Audit/ QiP format
- The local research assessment team should have assessed the work and the submission supported by the Supervisor/s support.
- It is preferable to have been presented at the local Medical Faculty Research Forum

Postgraduate's submission criteria

- The published paper or evidence of the paper being accepted for publication.
- A description of how the results of the project could influence health policy or practice.
- A Reflective summary on the project, potential for future research and any planned follow-up
- Identification of a research related regional conference or a research/healthcare facility that the applicant would seek to attend or visit to further his or her own research interest.
- A follow up project identified from the findings of this work & a mini summary submitted at the time of application (optional).
 - Evidence for this work is being considered for publication in a national/ local journal or presentation at a national/ local conference (optional)

Awards:

Undergraduate winner/s will receive:

- PeMSAA-UK embossed personalised Plaque/s and Certificate/s +
- A gift to the total value of
 - 1st Prize £250.00 in cash
 - 2nd Prize £150.00 in cash

Postgraduate trainee winner will receive:

- PeMSAA-UK embossed personalised Plaque and Certificate
- A grant for the total value of £600.00, in **two installments**.
 - The first £300.00 at the time of announcement of the winner
 - The final £300.00 would be awarded after the submission of a short reflective report following the attendance at the research related conference/ visit to the relevant research facility/ research related activities.
 - The second installment should be claimed within 2 years of the award date.

Important: Closing date for submission for 2023: 31 August 23

For further details and Submission forms visit www.pemsaa.uk