



Gastrointestinal Infections Society of India

First GISI Workshop in Systematic Reviews

- Gastrointestinal Infection Society of India (GISI) has a mandate to hold educational seminars, symposia and training courses on all aspects of gastrointestinal infections
- GISI, in association with Journal of Gastrointestinal Infections, plans to conduct a workshop in systematic reviews for capacity augmentation amongst healthcare workers interested in gastrointestinal infections
- Tentatively, we plan to include 25 individuals for the workshop. **Only very committed individuals should apply.** The detailed sessions and timings will be communicated at time of selection, prior to any payment. **Those invited should carefully assess the feasibility of their attendance in sessions and only after that make any payment.** We are unable to refund any payment.
- There will be 5 groups with a team leader. Five topics will be identified relevant to the GISI. Each group will work on one systematic review/ meta-analysis which has to be completed at the end of the workshop (over 8-10 weeks, weekly meetings for 1-2 hours with weekly assignments to the groups).
- The systematic review and meta-analysis will have to be submitted to Journal of Gastrointestinal Infections for possible publication. If rejected, the group is free to submit the manuscript at any other journal.
- The registration will begin on February 7th, 2022. Of these, 25 will be invited on basis of their application. We will try to ensure geographic and ethnic diversity in the selection.
- Medium of instruction will be in English
- The workshop will be at a nominal charge for GISI members (Please see below). At least 10 seats will be reserved for members of GISI (as of 31st January 2022). **In case of financial difficulty, please inform us for a possible waiver.** The funds generated will solely be used to support publication of the journal

| | GISI members | Non-Members |
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| Charges to be paid to GISI (Only if you have been invited to participate) | 1000/- or 20 USD | 4000/- or 80 USD |

- The sessions will be usually on weekly basis and the participants will have to complete weekly assignments for authorship. Payment of fee only allows the participant access to session and not to an automatic authorship. The authorship and the order will be decided by the group on basis of the amount of work done by participants. The team leader will usually be the corresponding author.
- No course material or certification is available or provided. The purpose is to ensure a hands-on experience in conducting the systematic review and have a manuscript ready for publication by end of the workshop.
- The form for registration will be available on February 7th, 2022 at www.gisionline.org

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