



Critical Appraisal Essay Call

Aim of the call:

This venture of IPSF aims at identifying and encouraging potential successful pharmacists at an early stage of their careers to be provocative, idealistic and passionate about their thoughts towards pharmacy profession.

Call description:

IPSF is inviting all you enthusiastic students and recent graduates to share your knowledge, opinions and views on any one the following topics:

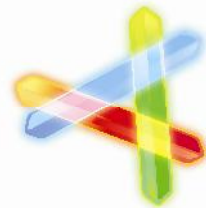
- Pharmacy in My Generation's Perspective'
- How my education has prepared me/helped me to become a pharmacist?
- How does pharmacy save lives in my country?

Through these topics, we are expecting you to pen down your unique opinion about pharmacy as a profession in your perspective and unique analysis of how you would justify it as being diverse and novel from the previous generations. A detailed overview of transition of various phases would provide a base for mapping the transition. Also, it is very important to include your outlook towards the future of our profession and your thoughts for improvising the current trends you mention in your essay. It is important also to have references in your essay.

Prizes:

The prize is finalized as being **1 free registration, air fare, visa, and accommodation to the Eastern Mediterranean Pharmaceutical Symposium (EMPS)** in Mid-July at Doha, Qatar. For more information, please visit <http://www.emps2011-ipsf.org/>

Prof. Ian Bates has agreed to publish your essay in PEJ. (PEJ is a peer-review journal and open access to all <http://pharmacyeducation.fip.org/>, register for free and you will be able to access all the articles published.)



Collaboration:

IPSF is collaborating with FIP WHO UNESCO Pharmacy Education Taskforce (PET). Once you have submitted your essay, an IPSF executive member and a PET representative; Prof. Futter along with the IPSF Chairperson of Pharmacy Education, will choose the winner of this call and forward it to Prof. Ian Bates, the Editor-in-Chief of the **Pharmacy Education Journal** (PEJ) who would suggest some minor edits for the essay to be able to be published.

For the authors:

In order to make sure that your essay is chosen and possibly the winner, check the following guidelines - <http://pharmacyeducation.fip.org/for-authors/>



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Deadline:

Email Word document (2003/2007/2010) by May 1, 2011 00:00 (GMT+0) to education@ipsf.org

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