

World Psychiatric Association Travel Award for Trainee Psychiatrists

Essay Competition

Title: Climate Change, Urbanisation, Air Pollution, Natural Disasters: global challenges for mental health, resilience, and recovery

Eligibility: Psychiatric Trainees are invited to submit an essay of 3000-5000 words (including references) on this topic for consideration by the WPA Collaborating Centres.

Prize: There is a single prize of \$2000, that will permit a trainee to attend the 23rd WPA World Congress of Psychiatry in Vienna on a subsidised basis. The winner will be acknowledged at WPA Annual Conference in Vienna. This prize will be claimed directly from WPA.

The Judging Panel: Previous award winners (at least two) and at least 2 of the Directors of the WPA Collaborating Centres, across at least two different countries.

Formatting Requirements: Please submit your essay including references in Vancouver format, using a minimum of 11-point Arial font, double spaced.

Deadline and Schedule: All submissions must be submitted tokam.bhui@psych.ox.ac.uk, including 'WPAESSAYPRIZE' in the subject heading, by 16:00 (CET) on the 30th of April 2023. The judging panel hopes to make a final decision by the 30th of June 2023.



General Submission & Formatting Guidelines:

1. Entry to this contest is free.
2. Entrants must be TRAINEE PSYCHIATRIST. (Proof of Trainee Psychiatrist needed from the Institution, e.g., Medical School ID)
3. Entries must be typed and in English.
4. Word count allowed is up to **5000 words** (including references, Vancouver format).
5. Entries must be the entrant's own original work and must not have previously been published either in print or online.
6. Entries must be submitted as WORD attachments to the email.
7. Entrants should send a single email with their FULL NAME, INSTITUTION NAME, EMAIL ADDRESS AND "WPAESSAYPRIZE" IN SUBJECT LINE to tokam.bhui@psych.ox.ac.uk by 16:00 (CET) on the 30th of April 2023.
8. Please name each file with student's first name and last name and the title of the entry. Do not put name, initials or anything that may identify you on any file.

TITLE

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- Font size & Format – minimum 12, Bold, Not Underlined

BODY

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- Font size & Format – minimum 11, Regular, NOT Bold, Not Underlined
- Double spaced

Failure to comply with these guidelines would lead to disqualification from the competition.

The closing date for entries is 16:00 (CET) on the 30th of April 2023. We cannot accept any entries received after this date.