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**1.Introduction**

Remember that PHEMTA is here for you, if there's anything we can help with, if a friend / colleague wants to be added to our mailing list (or removed), or you have a gripe, moan, or suggestion. Just get in touch - [PHEMTA@RCSEd.net](mailto:PHEMTA@RCSEd.net) and one of the team will get back to you.

**2. PHEMTA committee opportunities**

We would like to offer the opportunity for others to take on a role within PHEMTA. It has been a privilege to work on the committee for the last few years. With many of us having finished training we feel it's time for a new group of enthusiastic people to take PHEMTA forward. This is a great opportunity to help support your fellow trainees and shape the future of PHEM training. We will be asking the FPHC to put out official nominations soon and encourage you to apply.

The following committee members are stepping down:

David Leverton (myself): PHEMTA Chair

Steve Corry-Bass: Curriculum rep

Ali Hussain: Assessment rep

Harriett Tucker: Training rep

Andy wood: Welfare rep

I want to take the time to thank my fellow committee members who have given their time and effort over the last year.

Jake Turner, who is our current Vice-Chair will be taking on the role of Chair of PHEMTA for now, which will give the continuity to get the new committee up and running quickly. Jake's worked really hard on this since joining, along with working on the PHOTON board.

### 3. PHEMnet

Just a reminder, as per our last newsletter that PHEMnet has now become available to all registered FPHC members allowing them access to an online logbook, WPBA's, curriculum linking and much more. Please contact [membership-fphc@rcsed.ac.uk](mailto:membership-fphc@rcsed.ac.uk) for more details and login credentials.

### 4. DipIMC & FIMC

Good luck to all those who are undertaking the DipIMC and FIMC on the 10-12th July in Edinburgh.

### 5. PHOTON

The last few months have been busy for the PHOTON group, with presentations at Retrieval 19 and also at the EUPHORIA European Research group. Details of the next two PHOTON studies, Elderly Trauma and Dispatch have been approved by the FPHC and sent out to all UK Air Ambulance Medical Directors for their approval. We aim to start collecting data on these projects in the near future, if you would like to be involved as a site investigator for your organisation please let us know. Meanwhile the Investigators of the Time to PHEA and The organisation of UK helicopter emergency medical services studies have been finalising the drafts and submitting these papers for publication - thank you to everyone who made this happen.

We are always looking to expand out membership, if interested please submit your membership application via the following link.

<https://forms.gle/sVcBT6J3WX9N8fuR8>

### 6. PHEM Trainee Survey

The anonymised trainee survey results are being distributed to the IBTPHEM committee for review so we can discuss areas for the board and PHEMTA to focus on for the second half of this year. You can expect a summary of the key results from this survey shortly.

### 7. Dates for your diary

3-5 July 2019	GAT Conference: AAGBI. The International Centre, Telford. <a href="https://www.aagbi.org/education/event/3626">https://www.aagbi.org/education/event/3626</a>
10-12 July 2019	Exam week <a href="https://www.rcsed.ac.uk/exams/our-exams?SearchType=Exam">https://www.rcsed.ac.uk/exams/our-exams?SearchType=Exam</a>
10-16 August 2019	IBTPHEM Phase 1 Course. venue to be confirmed.
27 September 2019	Closing date for January 2020 exams
3-4 October 2019	BASICS Conference Chesford Grange, Warwick <a href="https://www.basics.org.uk/conference-2019-prices-draft/">https://www.basics.org.uk/conference-2019-prices-draft/</a>

10-13th December 2019	London Trauma Conference: Royal Geographical Society, London <a href="https://www.londontraumaconference.co.uk">https://www.londontraumaconference.co.uk</a>
8-11th March 2020	Trauma Care Conference: Yarnfield Park Conference Centre, Stone, Staffordshire <a href="https://www.traumacare.org.uk">https://www.traumacare.org.uk</a>
17-18th March 2020	FPHC Annual Conference: Details to be announced
7-8th May 2020	Retrieval Conference: Golden Jubilee Hotel & Conference Centre <a href="https://www.emrscotland.org/retrieval-2020">https://www.emrscotland.org/retrieval-2020</a>

Remember PHEMTA is here for you - please get in touch if we can help in any way. If you have an event or information you would like included in the next newsletter, please get in touch.

All the best,

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