

EHPS CREATE news 2021; Introducing the new CREATE Executive Committee and the upcoming pre-EHPS conference workshop

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Who are we?

*Collaborative REsearch
And Training in the EHPS
(CREATE), is a subdivision
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(EHPS) and functions as a network for early career researchers (ECRs) working in the field of health psychology (CREATE | EHPS.net).

The Executive Committee (EC) consists of six members who organise an annual workshop for ECRs in health psychology, and provide a network of support for fellow ECRs, and, as of 2020, additional webinars to support and share knowledge between CREATE members. In the last months, three excellent new members have joined the EC: Maria Blöchl (Leipzig University), Daniella Watson (University of Southampton) and Louise Foley (National University of Ireland, Galway) took on the roles of Application manager/Communications officer, Grant Master and Treasurer. In August 2021, Nikolett Warner (National University of Ireland, Galway) will be joining the team and take over as Secretary.

See details of the Executive Committee and their roles here <https://ehps.net/organisers-contact-us/>.

Our annual workshop

CREATE organises a two-day interactive workshop each year immediately prior to the annual EHPS conference. These workshops are led by prominent experts within the field and offer great opportunities for networking, as well as

knowledge and skills enhancement.

As we move through the pandemic, networking and getting yourself and your research out there is not always straightforward. Therefore, this year's CREATE workshop will focus on 'How to get your research out there: publishing, promoting, and funding your research'.

This online workshop will be focused on writing for publications, writing for social media to communicate your research, and writing to acquire funding and grants. Each of these are essential to disseminate and share your findings with the research community and the public.

The workshop will take place on the 19th and 20th of August 2021. During the two days, we will have three different sessions. All sessions will include interactive elements through which ECRs can build their network.

Marita Hennessey, PhD (<https://www.infantcentre.ie/who-we-are-2/our-team/research-support/marita-hennessey>) will provide a workshop on using social media to share your research and build your networks.

Dr. Angela Rodrigues (<https://www.northumbria.ac.uk/about-us/our-staff/r/angela-rodrigues/>) will provide a workshop on how to publish research.

In the third and final session, several panellists including; Dr. Marta Marques (<https://www.tcd.ie/tcphi/team/marta-marques.php>), Dr. Elaine Toomey (<https://www.ul.ie/research/dr-elaine-toomey>), Dr Wendy Lawrence (<https://www.southampton.ac.uk/medicine/research/staff/wendy13.page>) and Hema Chaplin (<https://www.kcl.ac.uk/people/hema-chaplin>) will share their experiences and advice on how to apply for grants and funding. Our panellists

are well-established researchers in health psychology at different levels of their academic career.

Participating in CREATE activities

Participation in activities of CREATE is open to all early career researchers working in the field of health psychology. To attend the workshops or webinars organised by CREATE, participants are required to become EHPS Members. For more information go to CREATE | EHPS 2021.

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