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## Teaching Newsletter

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### RCGP Severn Faculty Gala Dinner

#### 'Making General Practice doable'



Don't miss this year's dinner! **Professor Martin Marshall** MBE, primary care academic, practicing GP in Newham, near London, and **Chair of the college** will share his thoughts on **'Making general practice doable'**. The venue is the conveniently located Aztec hotel on the outskirts of Bristol, just off the M5. This is a great opportunity for socialising with colleagues from your own and other practices and being inspired. Why not book a 'practice table'? Flyer on **page3**.

### Do you have 2020 Vision?

**MB21 Year 4 is coming on stream in September 2020**

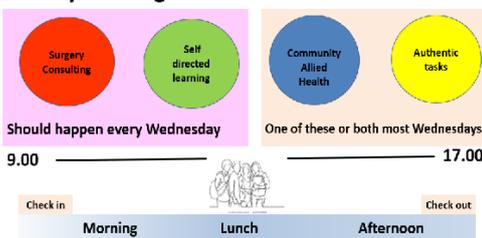
**MB21 Year 4 GP Teacher Workshop 28th April 9.30-16.30**

Engineers' Hse, Clifton, Bristol

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Come and join us at the Engineers' Hse to find out more about Year 4 of our new curriculum. There are simple 'building blocks' for the *student Wednesdays* and you will come away with a timetable for your practice. We are trialling 'authentic tasks' for students and will share our

#### GP Day Building Blocks



experience, how this can be done and how it can enhance student learning. There will be plenty of time for discussion and feedback.

Changing from a 'block placement' to an 'integrated clerkship' in Year 4 means that practices need to get organised for this major change. In recognition of this new 'getting ready for MB21 Year 4 work' we will pay practices an additional fee. More about this on the day.



We have also organised a session with our 3D helical theme lead Dr. Joe Hartland (Disability, Diversity, Disadvantage). He will bring us up to speed with LGBTQ+, what it might mean for our practices, how to call out racist remarks and behaviour from patients and more.

We are looking forward to welcoming you to this interactive day.

To book your place, please email [phc-teaching@bristol.ac.uk](mailto:phc-teaching@bristol.ac.uk)

### Calling All GP Teachers and GP OSCE examiners

We need your help again. This year we will have end of year OSCEs in MB21 Year 2 and 3 and MB16 Year 4. For dates, please see **page 2**

### News

Bristol is the first medical school to sign up to the **BMA racial harassment charter** <https://beta.bma.org.uk/advice-and-support/discrimination-and-harassment/racial-harassment-in-medical-schools/racial-harassment-charter-for-medical-schools>

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### OSCE dates

Year 2 Wed 27th and Thursday 28th May  
Year 3 Wed 3rd and Thursday 4th June  
Year 4 Tuesday 23rd and Wed 24th June

### Venues

Year 2 only in Bristol  
Year 3 in Bristol, Bath and Swindon  
Year 4 in Bristol, Bath, Cheltenham and Taunton

All Bristol OSCEs will be at UWE

If you would like to examine, please [email phc-teaching@bristol.ac.uk](mailto:phc-teaching@bristol.ac.uk) stating the date or dates and venue.



### 3 papers in the BJGP top ten—CAPC researchers shine



At number two was a qualitative research paper by [Polly Duncan](#), a GP and National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) In-practice Senior Clinical Research Fellow at CAPC, which explored [GP and pharmacist's views on how medication reviews are conducted in primary care](#).

Two papers by [Jessica Watson](#), a GP and NIHR Senior Clinical Research Fellow at CAPC were third and fifth in the BJGP rankings respectively. Both papers reported on research into the effectiveness of inflammatory marker tests in aiding diagnosis in general practice. Inflammatory marker tests are blood tests that detect inflammation in the body, which might be caused by infections, autoimmune conditions or cancers.



The first paper reported that [inflammatory marker tests, which are commonly used in general practice, should not be used to rule out serious conditions](#), as they are not sensitive enough to be reliably used in this way. The second paper reported that [doing multiple inflammatory marker tests, also common practice, does not increase diagnostic accuracy](#), and should be avoided.

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## **26 JUNE 2020** **GALA DINNER** **& GALE LECTURE**

The evening will commence with a welcome drink from 7pm followed by a two course buffet dinner with drinks from 7.30pm including the Gale Lecture entitled: "Making general practice doable" from guest speaker, Professor Martin Marshall CBE. Martin Marshall is a British medical academic and a general practitioner. He is Chair of the Royal College of General Practitioners and works as a GP in Newham, East London. Hot Buffet.

There will be a choice of several delicious options for main and dessert.

Parking Car parking facilities are available at the hotel.



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**Severn Faculty  
RCGP  
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**Including Gale  
after dinner  
lecture from  
Professor Martyn  
Marshall**

**26 June 2020**

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