

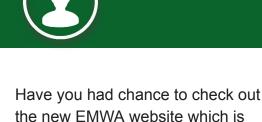
EMWA Newsblasts MONTHLY UPDATE TO EMWA MEMBERS - SEPTEMBER 2017



Conference Updates



2 - 4 November 2017 Click Here to Register



The deadline for Geoff Hall

Membership news

faster and mobile/tablet friendly, please go to https://www.emwa.org/ The deadline for Nick Thompson award is 1st of October. Please click

here for further information.

The September journal should be with you shortly and the issue is entitled - Observational Studies. The deadline for feature articles for the

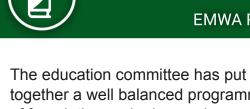
December issue is 11 September.

Please click here for further information EMWA have a new webinar leader for the webinar programme – Laurence Aufret. Please check the <u>website</u> for further

Scholarship 30 September - The

essay title for 2017 is Creative Medical Writing: An Oxymoron?

information



together a well balanced programme for the May 2018 conference in of foundation and advanced Barcelona. If you have an idea for a

EMWA Professional Education Programme Updates

workshops - on value dossiers, using readability statistics, and writing about biosimilars. Updated workshops on writing about medical devices and periodic benefitrisk evaluation reports will also be offered. Full details are available in the conference programme on the

website starting on 4 September.

conference. This will include 3 new

workshops for the November

EPDC at education@emwa.org. Proposals for new workshops will be considered at the EPDC meeting in November. We are pleased to welcome new EPDC members Sarah Tilly and Laurence Auffret. If you have any

New workshops are in development

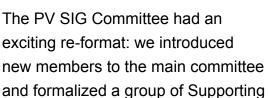
new workshop, or want to find out

developing one, get in touch with the

more about what is involved in

queries or comments on the education programme, please contact Marian Hodges, EMWA

Education Officer at education@emwa.org. Pharmacovigilance Special Interest Group (PV SIG) update



and formalized a group of Supporting Members to help us with our

upcoming tasks. We are currently working to provide the latest guidance updates on the website and in an Expert Seminar at the next Spring conference. If you have suggestions or requests

related either to the contents of the

website, or to topics for journal articles, workshops, or events at

conferences, please send an e-mail to info@emwa.org and indicate "For PV SIG" in the subject line.



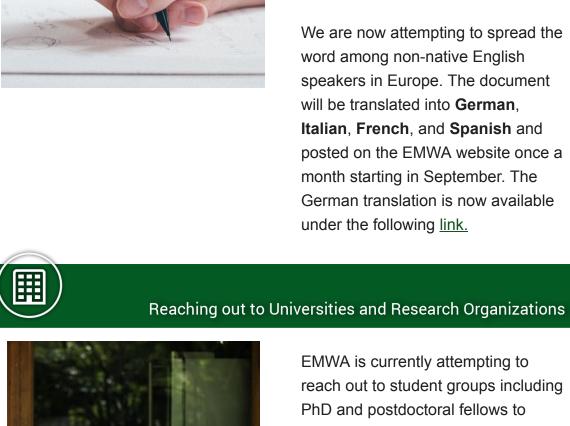
Translation of the Joint Position Statement on the Role of Medical Writers EMWA has now undertaken to translate the Joint Position

Statement on the Role of Medical

Writers. As you remember this statement was prepared together with our colleagues at AMWA and ISMPP in order to set out ethical



standards for medical writers in developing scientific and medical publications.



We are now attempting to spread the word among non-native English speakers in Europe. The document will be translated into **German**, Italian, French, and Spanish and posted on the EMWA website once a month starting in September. The German translation is now available under the following link.

EMWA is currently attempting to

PhD and postdoctoral fellows to inform them about medical writing

In order to help in this effort, we would like to ask EMWA members

and EMWA.

reach out to student groups including



who have had recent contact with universities or research centers in Germany to please write to Abe Shevack at <u>president@emwa.org</u>.

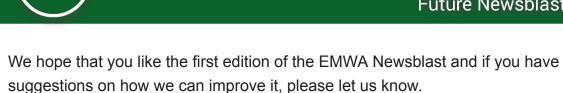
Invitation to Qualified Survey Participants Nancy Katz, PhD, MWC (DIA member and AMWA North California Chapter President), and Linda F. Wood, MPH (DIA member and former AWMA New

The objective of the survey is to determine the methods that writers use to create content for this document e.g. text, in-text tables, and in-text figures. The survey should take about 20 minutes. Responses will contribute to understanding the skills and efforts required to create accurate, regulatory-compliant, and clearly written SCEs. The results will

If you are qualified to take this survey (i.e., have been a lead writer or substantive contributor to an SCE within the past 3 years), please write directly to Nancy Katz (nrkatz@illyriaconsulting.com), who will ensure that you receive a link to the survey.

England Chapter President), invite you to participate in a survey entitled Methods of Content Creation for the Summary of Clinical Efficacy (SCE, Section 2.7.3 of the Common Technical Document).

be presented at the AMWA Annual Conference, in Orlando, FLA in



October/November 2017.

Future Newsblasts

1. 15 September for the October edition 2. 20 October for the November edition

Please ensure that any news items are received by these dates to ensure that

3. 17 November for the December edition

The deadline for news items for future editions is:

- we include them. We would appreciate news items being a maximum of 100

words, if at all possible. Please send any news items to Maria Almeida at pr@emwa.org and info@emwa.org Registered Office: Chester House, 68 Chestergate, Macclesfield, Cheshire SK11 6DY



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