

The British Student Doctor Journal

Submissions Now Open

We are excited to announce that submissions are now open for the second issue of *The British Student Doctor*. We are accepting a range of articles, giving scope to authors to publish their scientific research or to share their creativity and reflections on medical school life. A brief description of each of the journal sections is outlined below. For full author guidelines and to submit your manuscript, please [visit our website](#). Our second issue will be published in June 2017.

Original Research

In this section, we aim to publish high-quality research in the field of clinical practice, biomedical science and medical education. We are happy to accept articles using any research methodology, including quantitative, qualitative, mixed methods and systematic review methods.

Life

The 'Life' section of *The British Student Doctor* aims to publish academic essays which stimulate discussion, reflection, and promote the ethos of life-long learning. These articles should be situated in the existing academic literature, but will provide authors the freedom to develop and express their own ideas and opinions, in order to foster critical thought and discussion.

Discussion Starters

These articles may take a variety of different forms, with authors having the freedom and creativity to express their views and opinions in a style that they prefer.

Education

These articles should seek to educate medical students about a unique, novel and important topic related to clinical practice, which is not well covered by the standard curriculum or textbooks.

Reflections

Reflection pieces are short articles, written in the personal pronoun, reflecting on an experience personal to the author, which has important learning points relevant to clinical practice, and from which other students can learn.

Correspondence

We accept two types of correspondence for publication: a) post-publication peer-review in the format of responses to articles recently published in *The British Student Doctor*, and b) short letters to the editor commenting on a current, important and relevant topic to medical students – this could include a description of research or innovation at an early stage of development. You can read the first issue of *The British Student Doctor* [here](#).