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IFCC Communications and Publications Division (CPD)

Call for Nominations for IFCC Committee on Internet and Digital Communication (C-IDC)

Introduction

The Communications and Publications Division (CPD) has responsibility for all publication and public relations activities of the IFCC. These include the eJIFCC, the IFCC newsletter, the website, the eAcademy, social media and the development of promotional material.

The CPD consists of an Executive Committee together with a number of Committees and Working Groups.

Committee on Internet and Digital Communication

The C-IDC is responsible for the coordination of the Internet based activities of the IFCC, primarily through the IFCC web site. This includes preparation, maintenance, improvement, and promotion of the IFCC website, establishment of links between relevant resources and the production and participation in Internet, eAcademy and social media designed to promote the IFCC and educate its members. The C-IDC is also responsible for supporting the Education and Management Division (EMD) through the creation and promotion of web-based distance-learning educational activities published on the eAcademy. The C-IDC promotes a multidisciplinary approach to patient care by obtaining educational material, making it available on the web site and by providing links to other relevant resources.

There is ONE open position available on the C-IDC for the time in office 2024-2026 IFCC Web Editor.

The candidate should be able to demonstrate a commitment to the promotion and reinforcement of the IFCC, its goals and its image. The candidate must:

- have a good knowledge of the mission and function of the IFCC
- possess fluent spoken and written English language skills
- have a broad experience of scientific and internet-based editing
- be proficient with information and communication technologies and social media
- be able to monitor technical progress in the fields of activity

The amount of work is equivalent to 1-3 days per month. The C-IDC meets once each year, mainly on occasion of the IFCC Congress, and has regular conference calls.

Applications must include a proposal statement from the candidate, a short CV (max 2 pages), and a letter of support from his or her National Society. The National Society must be a current and fully paid member of IFCC. **The position could be filled by a Young Scientist.** For the purposes of definition, a Young Scientist is a medical or science graduate working or training in laboratory medicine, less than 40y of age at the time of the appointment. For the Young Scientist position, a copy of the passport is required.

Appointment for this position will be for one 3-year term of office, which is renewable for one additional 3-year term.

Nominations should be sent directly to Silvia Colli Lanzi at the IFCC office (colli-lanzi@ifcc.org) before **7th April, 2024**.

Sincerely yours,

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