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# The 2020 SAS Awards

Our first ever NW SAS Awards Evening was planned to take place on 18<sup>th</sup> March 2020 at Suites Hotel, Knowsley.....







..... but we adapted & instead we announced the winners at our virtual SAS mini-conference on 15<sup>th</sup> October 2020

# The 2021 SAS Awards



- Nominations were collated by trust SAS leads & administrators & submitted to HEENW by 25<sup>th</sup> January 2021
- Winners from the 2020 awards could not be nominated again for the same category
- Judging took place based on the information on the nomination form
- Certificates will be sent to winners/ highly commended over the next few weeks
- Awards & a small gift voucher will be sent to winners when feasible

# Time to celebrate the fantastic achievements of our NW SAS doctors and SAS administrators









#### THE CATEGORIES

- SAS Clinical Achievement Award
- SAS Covid-19 Achievement Award
- SAS Undergraduate Educator Award
- SAS Postgraduate Educator Award
- /SAS Quality Improvement Award
- SAS Leadership Award
- CESR Achievement Award
- SAS Tutor/ Lead of the Year Award
- SAS Administrator of the Year Award
- SAS Lifetime Achievement Award



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# **Clinical Achievement Award**

This award is for SAS doctors and dentists who deliver excellence in their clinical care. It is open to doctors from any specialty.

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### Nominations

Dr Bianca Bedwell \* Salford Royal NHS Foundation Trust

**Dr Sanhya Balakrishnan** Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Mr T Suriyakumaran Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

**Mr Morothy Sirinvas** Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Dr Natalia Bell Bridgewater Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust **Dr Julian Munoz** Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust

**Dr Nosheen Aman** East Cheshire NHS Trust

Dr Jessal Chudasama Lancashire & South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust

Dr Sophie Holme Lancashire & South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust

Dr Antonio Frasquet-Garcia Stockport NHS Foundation Trust

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- Works tirelessly to deliver the very best care to children and young people (specific examples of service developments given)
- Become an invaluable and heavily relied upon member of our department who deserves recognition for their efforts and extremely high standards of clinical care
- Manages a complex case load and has continued to provide a very high quality of service during difficulties of Covid 19.
- Shows excellence in all aspects of their clinical work. Cares deeply about their patients and their carers as shown by truly exemplary 360 degree patient feedback.
- Personal attributes include enthusiasm, flexibility, team working and conscientiousness.



# \* WINNERS

#### Dr Bianca Bedwell Salford Royal NHS Foundation Trust

### **Dr Jessal Chudasama**

Lancashire & South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust



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### **Covid-19** Achievement Award

This award is for SAS doctors and dentists who have made particular achievements or innovations in their practice during the Covid-19 pandemic.

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### Nominations

**Dr Al Idari** University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust

Mr Kartik lyengar Southport & Ormskirk NHS Trust

**Dr Celia Bell** Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust

**Dr Sarah Hart** University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust **Dr Padmaja Rao** <sup>•</sup> Stockport NHS Foundation Trust

**Dr Kate Edynbry** Salford Royal NHS Foundation Trust

Dr Natalia Bell Bridgewater Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust



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- Worked diligently and with compassion. Been supportive of her colleagues and others, and has been regularly providing random acts of kindness.
- Gone above and beyond her role through COVID. Ensured that all the Children in Care have been seen either virtually or face to face to ensure that their health needs have been assessed & individual needs are met.
- Throughout and in the face of stressful and distressing situations has remained calm, available and highly professional.
- ED lead for Covid19 since the beginning of pandemic. He re-designed the department to deal with suspected covid and non-covid cases. Led the Fit testing team for FFP3 and managed to introduce the Hood for our staff who cannot use FFP3 marks.



### WINNER

**Dr Al Idari** University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust

### HIGHLY COMMENDED Dr Natalia Bell

Bridgewater Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust



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### SAS Undergraduate Educator Award

This award is for SAS doctors and dentists who deliver excellence within undergraduate education.

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### Nominations

Dr Richard Feaks Trinity Hospice, Blackpool

Mr Praveen Rao Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

**Dr Fariha Rahim** Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust **Dr Neil Lazaro** Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Mr Karthikeyan Iyengar Southport & Ormskirk Hospital NHS Trust

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- He is a hidden talent among the specialty doctors in his trust. He is academic medical supervisor for third-year medical students and examiner for students from Liverpool medical school. During the Covid 19 pandemic he has published and used remote consultation strategies and teaching methods to help and continue to deliver teaching and training to undergraduate and postgraduates.
- His teaching style always manages to keep the students focused and interested in a difficult subject. He is extremely organised with handouts, quizzes and powerpoint lectures.
- He has designed and implemented a training programme for medical students which continue to expose them to palliative care - includes exposure and practice of advanced communication skills, which at times have not been able to be delivered face to face. Undaunted, he developed a televisual programme, including real time interaction with actors which helped develop similar skills to face to face sessions.
- His feedback from the students has been exemplary and he has consistently received the best feedback from all university clinical placements.



### WINNER\*

\* **Mr Karthikeyan Iyengar** Southport & Ormskirk Hospital NHS Trust

#### **HIGHLY COMMENDED**

Dr Neil Lazaro Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust Dr Richard Feaks

Trinity Hospice, Blackpool



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### SAS Postgraduate Educator Award

This award is for SAS doctors and dentists who deliver excellence within postgraduate education, whether to doctors or to other members of the multi-professional team.

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### **Nominations**

Dr Romaih Al-Idari Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

**Dr Asma Kamran** University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust

**Dr Sophie Holme** Lancashire & South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust **Dr Amir Iskandar** Northern Care Alliance

Dr Sharmila Bandyopadhyay Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Dr Madapura Shashidhara Stockport NHS Foundation Trust

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- Trust simulation lead, educating Foundation year's doctors, the Emergency Medicine department and Internal Medicine Trainees. Instrumental in developing our teaching using an on-line platform and is building a library of teaching sessions delivered on MS Teams.
- He supervises and teaches the Physician Associates and Advanced Care practitioners (both trainees and qualified). He has recently taken over a CEED (Clinical Educators in Emergency Department- RCEM and HEE) sessions due to Covid-19 redeployment.
- Co-developed a postgraduate training programme in anaesthesia, in conjunction with Edge Hill University. As the pathway lead, he has manged all elements of this programme including delivery of teaching, curriculum development and OSCE assessments.
- Worked tirelessly over the last 5+ years on QI projects to make the education / teaching delivered in the department better.
- Made psychiatry so interesting for all the Junior Doctors. It's so inspiring to see how above and beyond you go for the patients/ teaching us/ everything.



### WINNERS

**Dr Romaih Al-Idari** Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

> Dr Madapura Shashidhara Stockport NHS Foundation Trust

#### HIGHLY COMMENDED

Dr Sophie Holme Lancashire & South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust

Dr Sharmila Bandyopadhyay Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

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### SAS Quality Improvement Award

This award is for SAS doctors and dentists who have undertaken a quality improvement project or audit which has enhanced the quality of healthcare services, patient care or health outcomes

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### Nominations

Mr Praveen Rao Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

**Dr Sarah Hart** University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust

**Dr Qutub Jamali** Lancashire & South Cumbria NS Foundation Trust



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- Worked with the Health Informatics team to drive digital transformation within the Urology department. She has implemented an eHandover system, electronic ward notes and has also trialled and supported the eReferrals for inpatient consultations. Shown great leadership with getting her Urology colleagues on board and digitally transforming the department.
- Led multiple QI projects:
  - Introducing research methods to junior colleagues as well as encouraging them to participate in research.
  - Worked with CT1 Doctors to conduct a Qualitative study into raising Awareness about Dementia in the general public.
  - Completed a project to improve on-call, focussing on handover and support, which the Trust has adopted.
  - Also worked with CT1/FY1 doctors to address how physical health issues are dealt with on Mental health wards which was welcomed by ward staff and Doctors.
  - Led a project to improve the survey completed by trainees around their supervision.
  - A doctor who strives for excellence in all aspects.



### WINNER

Dr Sarah Hart
 University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS
 Foundation Trust

#### HIGHLY COMMENDED

Dr Qutub Jamali Lancashire & South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust



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### SAS Leadership Award

This award is for SAS doctors and dentists who have demonstrated exceptional leadership in their clinical or non-clinical roles.

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### Nominations

Dr Chetan Sangani Southport & Ormskirk NHS Trust **Dr Sophie Holme** Lancashire & South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust

**Dr Kathryn Naylor** Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust **Dr Sreedevi Nair** Stockport NHS Foundation Trust



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- Leads our Trauma & Orthopaedics department as a Clinical Director amongst a group of 10 Consultants and 10 SAS Team.
- Took the leadership role with a unanimous departmental support last year with an effective transformation in the working atmosphere in the department.
- Spear headed the Trauma and Orthopaedics services during the current challenging COVID-19 pandemic.
- First SAS Doctor to become Medical Appraiser in the Trust she has led the way for many other SAS doctors to fulfil these roles.
- Whilst her appointment as Appraisal Lead is relatively recent she has already made an impact as a clear and effective leader.
- In particular she has been offering 1:1 Skype clinics to Doctors undertaking their first appraisals or with particular worries or concerns ensuring that these Doctors are fully able to prepare and participate in appraisal.



### . WINNER\*

Dr Chetan Sangani Southport & Ormskirk NHS Trust

#### **HIGHLY COMMENDED**

**Dr Kathryn Naylor** Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust



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### **CESR** Achievement Award

This award is for any SAS doctors and dentists who have achieved a successful CESR application in the last year.



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### Nominations

Dr Sharmila Bandyopadhyay Lancashire Teaching Hospitals

**Dr Muhammad Zeeshan Azhar** University Hospitals of Morecombe Bay NHS Foundation Trust

**Dr Husam Elbana** University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust

Dr Ranvir Singh Tameside & Glossop Integrated Care NHS Trust

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- He finally got CESR in August 2020 due to his own sheer determination and hard work. Since then, he has been instrumental in helping others try and get CESR.
- He is actively involved in the WhatsApp group on CESR always encouraging others to apply. He has also spoken at various forums, sharing his CESR journey about 'how to get CESR' and encouraged SAS doctors to apply.
- As CESR lead, I am very impressed with his hard work, dedication and resilience. CESR is a tough task especially during busy Emergency Medicine job, but he followed GMC SSG guidelines and guidance from the CESR lead. He is an inspiration for other SAS doctors in Emergency Medicine.
- Been successful in getting CESR within the span of two years. This was down to his commitment and resolve to work hard and not stopping without achieving the goal.
- Having achieved this feat he is now very actively coaching supporting and encouraging SAS doctors to commit themselves to achieve CESR. He's doing this by supporting these doctors as a CESR champion, making time for one-to-one meetings and taking part in CESR workshops.

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### SAS Awards Evening 2021

#### **WINNERS**

University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust

Dr Muhammad Zeeshan Azhar University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust

> **Dr Ranvir Singh** Tameside & Glossop Integrated Care NHS

#### **HIGHLY COMMENDED**

**Dr Sharmila Bandyopadhyay** Lancashire Teaching Hospitals



### SAS Tutor/ Lead of the Year Award

This award is for SAS Tutors/Leads who have demonstrated an exceptional level of commitment to their role and in supporting SAS doctor development in their organisation.





### Nominations

**Dr Janine Griffiths** Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust **Dr Gajanan Kantappa** Christie NHS Foundation Trust



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- The first SAS doctor to be appointed as an SAS tutor at his Trust. Despite being a small trust with less number of SAS doctors, he utilised and networked with tutors in the region and created opportunities for them attend courses in neighbouring trusts.
- Also created opportunity for SAS doctors to apply for CEA points and 3 SAS doctors got the award. Other achievements have been creation of leadership roles, educational supervisors and supporting IMG & LEDs stranded in UK.
- Established SAS Doctor aspirational interviews to look at a personalised development plan for each individual doctor so that they maximise their individual potential and have a more fulfilling work life experience. Established an MMED with bespoke SAS support with protected time in job plans that is designed for SAS doctors.
- Developed the pastoral role of the SAS Tutor, maintaining resilience and prioritising the wellbeing
  of SAS Doctors during the pandemic period. Skilfully advocated the issues raised on behalf of SAS
  Doctors. She supported Doctors shielding, those adapting to remote working and juggling homeschooling.



### **WINNER\***

**Dr Gajanan Kantappa** Christie NHS Foundation Trust

#### HIGHLY COMMENDED

Dr Janine Griffiths Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust



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### SAS Administrator of the Year.

This award is for SAS administrators who have demonstrated an exceptional level of commitment to their role and in supporting SAS doctor development in their organisation.

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### Nominations

Emily Croucher Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust **Kimberley McDowell** Pennine Care NHS Foundation Trust

Natalie Suffield Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Caroline Carson-Brown University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust

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- Demonstrated an exceptional level of commitment in supporting SAS doctor development at her trust. Assisted with the delivery of remote training sessions during her own personal time, weekends/evenings. Administered and personally supported 15 SAS Development sessions, which is a remarkable achievement given the challenging year.
- Been instrumental in developing a local SAS newsletter which highlighted up and coming courses, PGME contacts and the findings of the SAS Survey. In addition to arranging local SAS Forum Meetings to review training and service issues. Also assisted with the development of the local SAS Survey which was mapped to the SAS Charter.
- Central to the SAS Faculty in her trust. Her contributions include early identification of new SAS doctors, organisation of bespoke training days, peer support, aspirational meetings and faculty set up/coordination.
- Worked on induction, writing the SAS handbook, setting up aspirational interviews for SAS doctors, bookings/attendance at events, seeking out expert speakers etc.



### **WINNERS**

Kimberley McDowell
 Pennine Care NHS Foundation Trust
 Caroline Carson-Brown

University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust

#### **HIGHLY COMMENDED**

Natalie Suffield Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Emily Croucher Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

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### SAS Lifetime Achievement Award

This award is for SAS doctors and dentists who have demonstrated excellence in their professional life over many years. This may in patient care, development of clinical services, educational roles and/ or research.



 An excellent clinician and teacher who has been instrumental in the training of nearly all renal trainees throughout her years at X Hospital, helping us to attain the key clinical skill of dialysis line insertion. Her patience, clear guidance and excellent instruction has been key in helping all trainees acquire this key skill and manage difficult cases to aid patient care. Being signed off by her has always been a right of passage for any renal trainee in the region and we will always grateful for her help.



### WINNER

# Dr Mila Garrues

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