

ICME-IMEC

Joint Conference 2025

HYBRID CONFERENCE

9 - 12 October 2025 | IMU University, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP – GUIDELINE

INTRODUCTION

The globalisation of education has transformed the exchange of ideas, innovations, and culture through mobility programs, global perspectives in curricula, and cross-border research collaboration. The conference theme highlights vibrant and diverse learning environments that nurture clinical and cultural competence. Exposure to diverse healthcare systems promotes innovative solutions and resilience in tackling global health challenges. However, globalising health professions education also presents challenges in maintaining education quality, accreditation, ethical considerations, and supporting international students' mental health. This conference provides an exciting platform for stakeholders to share their views, experiences, and strategies to overcome these complex issues.

We deeply appreciate your commitment to advancing medical education and invaluable contributions to this field. This conference is ideal for educators, researchers, healthcare professionals, policymakers, and students, offering networking and collaboration opportunities with industry leaders and innovators shaping the future of healthcare and health professions education.

The ICME-IMEC 2025 welcomes the submission of pre-conference workshop proposals. Workshops should provide participants with an opportunity to extend their knowledge and strengthen their skills in the areas addressed by the workshop. These sessions should also provide time for interaction with and among participants.

The workshop content and activities need to be based on the conference theme: **GLOBALISATION OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION: STRATEGIES, STAKEHOLDERS AND SUSTAINABILITY**

The sub-themes for the conference are as below:

- Curriculum Design
- Teaching and Learning
- Student Assessment
- Educational Technology
- Governance and leadership
- Faculty Development
- Professionalism & Ethics
- Stakeholder Engagement

Proposal Submission Deadline: **15 March 2025**

Proposal Acceptance Notification: 30 April 2025



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WORKSHOP INFORMATION

- The time allocated for each workshop is 180 minutes (3 hours).
- There are two options for conducting the workshop:-
 - Onsite – All facilitators should be onsite at the conference venue, and only offered to onsite participants
 - Online – Zoom will be used. All facilitators should be online, and only offered to online participants
- Workshop typically should include short presentations with time for interactive activities or discussion.
- Each workshop typically should have two to four facilitators. **ONE (1)** facilitator will be given complimentary registration to the conference.
- Priority will be given to workshops using the following criteria:
 - Structured for active participation
 - Covers important or controversial issues related to the conference theme with suggestions for implementation in participants' own context
 - Alignment with the subthemes
 - Appealing to educators across different specialties in health professions education.
 - Includes both local and international facilitators, though it is accepted that this may not be possible for all topic areas
- Accepted workshop will be informed by **30 April 2025 (5:00 pm Malaysia, GMT +8:00)**.
- A moderator will be appointed by ICME-IMEC 2025 organiser to support/assist the workshop delivery.
- The moderator will liaise with the facilitators for all materials and setup needed for the workshop.
- All materials, e.g. pre-reading materials, marker pens or setup (e.g. software, Zoom breakout room) etc, needed for the workshop should be informed before **30 August 2025 (5:00 pm Malaysia, GMT +8:00)**.
- All facilitators should be present at the respective workshop venue (for onsite presenters) or Zoom link (for online presenters) at least 15 minutes before the scheduled start time.
- The session will not be live-streamed or recorded.

For further information regarding the ICME-IMEC 2025, please contact ICME-IMEC 2025 Secretariat via email to ICME_IMEC2025@imu.edu.my



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