

RCS/J&J Lister Essay Prize 2016



This prestigious award is in recognition of Lord Lister's significant contribution to medicine and surgery. The winner will receive a medal and £500 in vouchers to spend on books or a RCS course.

Eligibility criteria

The award is open to:

- Affiliates, Members and Fellows of Royal College of Surgeons
- Those in core surgical training programmes, specialty training programmes, postgraduate academic programmes and surgical research posts.

Judging criteria

Participants are asked to submit an essay on the following subject:

“What would Lord Lister have thought of the Shape of Training recommendations regarding the future of NHS surgical training and patient care?” (Word limit: 2500)

Judging criteria are (weighting %):

- Knowledge of Lister in terms of relevance to the question (50%)
- Readability & grammar (25%)
- Originality (25%)

Additional information

The £500 is either in vouchers for educational books/materials or towards a RCS course held at the College.

The winner is presented with their medal at the Diplomates Day held here at the RCS in London on 9 November 2016.

Submission

Further details including the application process are available at www.rcseng.ac.uk/bursaries

Closing date: Midnight on Monday 16 May 2016

For further information please visit: www.rcseng.ac.uk/bursaries

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