

CAME Voice/Voix

Canadian Medical Education Journal – Dr. Jocelyn Lockyer, Dr. Marcel D'Eon

Did you know that Canada has its own medical education journal? CMEJ began in 2010 and is available at <u>www.cmej.ca</u>.

CAME has agreed to join CMEJ as a partner under the interim leadership of Marcel D'Eon, University of Saskatchewan. The CAME Foundation has fully supported this collaboration with funding for 2015 for the journal.

Jocelyn Lockyer, President, CAME states 'This is a great opportunity for Canadian scholars and researchers to have another forum for their work. Canadians out publish most other countries in peer review publications and this will enable us to share ideas and learn about those uniquely Canadian approaches to medical education where our leadership and research in competency based medical education, distributed campuses, admissions, and physician assessment are international exemplars. It will also enable us to engage more meaningfully with our international colleagues whose perspective will help us grow and develop.' Glen Bandiera, President of the CAME Foundation adds: "This was an easy initiative to get support for and a great example of what can be accomplished when the medical education community in Canada provides collective support."

CMEJ is an online, open-access peer-review journal that presents new developments and perspectives in medical education along the continuum. It examines the quantitative and qualitative aspects of prominent issues relating to the education, training and maintenance of competence of health care professionals. It also provides a forum for discussion specific to the challenges faced by medical education researchers and practitioners, especially in Canada but also internationally.

Marcel D'Eon is interested in hearing your ideas and suggestions as CMEJ is re-invented. With current support and operational soundness, we are now looking to the future to become a truly Canadian supported and focused resource for medical educators. If you have ideas for the journal or wish to become involved with reviews and editorial board work, please e-mail Marcel at <u>cmej.editor@usask.ca</u>.

Please have a look at the latest issue of the Canadian Medical Education Journal: <u>www.cmej.ca</u>. The next issue will come out in late April.