



**Voice/Voix**

## **CMEJ Special Issue on Globalization and Medical Education**

**Rachel Ellaway - CAME Voice Editor**

The globalization of medical education and the impact of globalization on medical education are hot topics in our field, not least because of the moral and ethical challenges they raise. We need robust discussion and testing of the issues and assumptions associated with globalization in medical education. To that end the Canadian Medical Education Journal (CMEJ) has announced a call for papers for a special issue that will explore questions and perspectives related to the globalization of medical education. Papers may take a practical, theoretical, methodological, or empirical approach and should highlight Canadian perspectives and issues regarding globalization in medical education.

This is clearly a broad area of interest in the field of medical education and it is hoped that there will be submissions that will explore a diverse range of questions including (but not limited to):

- How do Canadian global health imperatives impact medical education locally and around the world?
- How does the rest of the world experience partnerships and international engagement with Canadian medical educators?
- How are Canadian health professionals and educators negotiating personal, professional and institutional identities in a globalized world?
- How do the movement of population, curricula and concepts impact the delivery of medical education locally and abroad?
- What is the significance of Canadian medical education on a world stage and how is our local educational practice impacted by globalization?
- How are notions of competency, standards and quality affected by the movement of people and ideas associated with globalization?
- What kinds of scholarship and research does globalization require and enable?

The special issue will support submissions in a variety of formats and styles from personal narratives, descriptive studies, program evaluations, brief reports, major research studies and theoretical philosophical discussions – see <http://cmej.ca/cmej/index.php/cmej/about>

The aim is to publish this special issue in the fall of 2016. The deadline for submission of manuscripts is June 30, 2016. Authors may contact the CMEJ editorial staff at [cmej.manager@usask.ca](mailto:cmej.manager@usask.ca) for direction, guidance on the length, and other questions.

The CMEJ is online at [www.cmej.ca](http://www.cmej.ca)