

Dear Colleagues

We are now less than a month away from the GIN Virtual Conference 2021 and we are looking forward to a fully interactive, engaging and educational virtual event.

In this Ezine you will find further details on the published **Conference Programme**, meet the **Conference Sponsors**, discover more about two features of the Virtual Conference Portal: the **Virtual Exhibition** and **Gamification** and have the opportunity to register for the **INGUIDE Pre-Conference Course**. We are also pleased to announce the conference **Social Programme**.

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

We would like to thank everyone who submitted an abstract for the conference. Speakers were notified in early September whether their abstract had been accepted and last Friday received confirmation of their session date and time. If your abstract was accepted and you did not receive the confirmation of your session last week, please contact gin2021@g-i-n.net and we can resend this to you.

We are delighted to announce the full **Conference Programme**, which consists of plenary sessions, oral sessions, poster sessions, workshops and panel sessions and will also include plenty of opportunities for networking.

The full programme with speaker details is available to access on our website now.

VIEW CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

Almost 500 delegates have now registered for the conference and it's not too late to register. If you haven't registered yet, visit the conference website to register now!

If you are a speaker at the conference and still need to register, please use the registration link that was sent to you last week.

Registration Categories	Fees
LMIC GIN Members	Complimentary
LMIC Non-Member, Students & Patients	£50
GIN Members – STANDARD	£125
Non-Members	£145

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MEET THE SPONSORS



We would like to thank our conference sponsors for their valuable support and below you will find details of our Gold and Bronze Sponsors.

EBSCO

At EBSCO we are committed to providing healthcare professionals with evidence-based information when, where and how they need it through clinical decision support, shared decision making and competency development solutions to support high-quality patient care. We provide solutions that help organizations with value-based care initiatives such as enhancing the patient experience of care, ensuring continuity of care, reducing the cost of care and decreasing the burden of currency on healthcare professionals. All of which leads to improved outcomes. Our Clinical Decisions solutions suite is comprised of flagship solutions including DynaMed®, DynaMed® and Micromedex® with Watson™, DynaMed Decisions™ and Dynamic Health™. The tools in the Clinical Decisions suite are united across a familiar user-friendly platform and supported by the same rigorous evidence-based methodology ensuring fast, trusted answers to clinical questions as they arise at the point of care.

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EBSCO Sponsored Symposium

Tuesday 26 October 2021, 12.15 - 13.00 (BST)

The Long and Winding Road: A DynaMed Case Study

This symposium will present a case study of a 19-year-old Black female transgender patient who develops a neurological illness. To work through this complex clinical scenario extending over a two-year course of illness Dr. Alex Rae-Grant, Senior Deputy Editor of Neurology, Psychiatry and Palliative Care for DynaMed will utilize DynaMed, a point of care evidence-based tool that integrates international guideline information into a comprehensive database. Dr. Rae-Grant will demonstrate how DynaMed may optimize care by providing current guideline information organized in an evidence-based framework. In addition, shared decision-making tools related to the clinical condition will be reviewed and attendees will get a deeper look at specific issues related to the transgender patient as well as implicit biases in care related to race and ethnicity.



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The Registered Nurses' Association of Ontario (RNAO) is the professional association representing registered nurses, nurse practitioners and nursing students in Ontario.

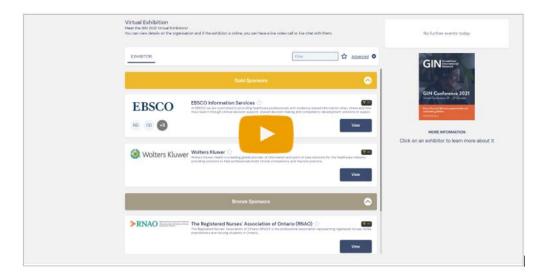
Since 1925, RNAO has advocated for healthy public policy, promoted excellence in nursing practice, increased nurses' contribution to shaping the health-care system, and influenced decisions that affect nurses and the public they serve.

https://rnao.ca/

VIRTUAL EXHIBITION

Make sure you take the opportunity to visit the conference sponsors and exhibitors at the Virtual Exhibition. You can view their company details, videos and brochures and also have a live call or chat with the exhibitors when they are live on their stand. If they are not available when you visit the exhibition, you can also connect with them in the Meeting Hub.

Check out the video below to see how the Virtual Exhibition works.



INGUIDE PRE-CONFERENCE COURSE

On 24 October, the level 2 INGUIDE instructor-led webinar pre-conference course will take place. If you haven't already completed level 1 - a prerequisite to enrolling in level 2, you have plenty of time to do so. Please use the link below if you have **already completed Level 1** and would like to book onto Level 2:

REGISTER FOR INGUIDE LEVEL 2

Level 2 learners will be trained in evidence-based, innovative guideline development methodology, and will be certified as Guideline Methodologists. Click here for the course brochure.

For more information visit the website



CONFERENCE SOCIAL PROGRAMME

During the conference, we hope you will take the time to attend the social sessions that have been organised. As we are not all able to get together this year in person, we wanted to add some fun to the programme and we hope you will enjoy the sessions.

Monday 25 October (19.15 – 20.00 BST)

YOGA CLASS

Hosted by Karen Kirkness of Meadowlark Yoga

This all-levels yoga session is designed to promote relaxation while also stimulating circulation, perfect for the end of a long day conferencing. Expect a dynamic sequence of postures with many options followed by gentle seated and supine work on the floor, followed by a guided relaxation experience. The instructor will demonstrate the movement and provide modifications to suit a broad range of abilities for maximum accessibility. You can bring a mat or just practice on a clear, soft floor. Yoga clothing is not required, you can make do with whatever you've got on!

Tuesday 26 October (17.00 – 18.30 BST)

COOKERY CLASS

Hosted by The Cooking Academy

The recipe, utensils and shopping list will be emailed at least one week ahead of the event to enable you to purchase all the ingredients that are required to make the dishes. After the on-board check-in and event introductions, you will start the cookery event. This will be led step by step to enable you to feel fully supported throughout the 'cook-a-long'. This will be a fully interactive event so that you can ask questions.

Wednesday 27 October (11.45 – 12.45 BST)

EDINBURGH TOUR

Hosted by Invisible Cities

Start your LIVE Virtual tour of Edinburgh with Invisible (Edinburgh) guide Paul. You will start on the Grassmarket and hear stories of public executions and crimes in old Edinburgh but will also go through some of the city's award winning social enterprises, including Invisible Cities who train people who have experienced homelessness to become walking tour guides of their own city. You will reach the Royal Mile and go down all the way to the Scottish Parliament, uncovering the city's past.

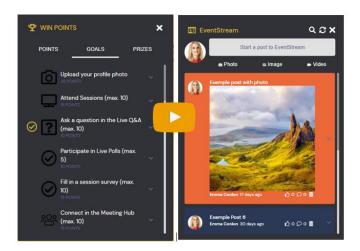
Throughout the Conference GAMIFICATION & EVENT STREAM

Take part in Gamification during the conference. You can win points by completing tasks and answering trivia questions related to GIN and our conference sponsors. You will earn a ticket for the prize draw for

every 100 points you earn. Be sure to keep an eye on the leader board throughout the conference and get your competitive spirit going!

The Event Stream is a dedicated social media feed for conference delegates and is a great way to engage with other delegates at the conference. You can create posts, comment on others' posts and also see the conference Twitter Feed.

Watch the video below to see Gamification and the Event Stream in action.



For further information, and to discuss how you could become involved in the conference please contact: gin2021@g-i-n.net

We are excited to deliver our first virtual conference and we look forward to you joining us!

Allison Smith Conference Project Manager

Only 28 Days to go until the conference – the countdown is on!



