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| NAME | Kayleigh Scotcher |
| TWITTER HANDLE\* *optional* | kscotcher |
| UNIVERSITY | Newcastle University |
| NAME OF AWARD | Barclay-Smith Travelling Awards 2022/23 – (Round 3) |
| PURPOSE OF AWARD *conference/event attended/organised (full name) with city and dates.* |
| I attended the Anatomical Society’s Winter Meeting in Nottingham, 17th to 19th April 2023. My abstract was accepted for an oral presentation. This presentation was titled ‘Reaching out to the general public: A programme of public engagement events to mark World Anatomy Day’. It discussed a number of events that anatomists at Newcastle University and the University of Sunderland delivered in 2022.  |
| REPORT: What were your anticipated benefits? |
| I wanted to deliver a presentation on the World Anatomy Day events from 2022 as these were a unique and collaborative series of public engagement activities. These events were designed and delivered by anatomists at Newcastle University and the University of Sunderland. I thought the conference was a good platform to share best practice with others. I am keen to disseminate resources from the events for other to use in 2023. It was a good opportunity to network with other anatomists and academics around public engagement and outreach.  |
| COMMENTS: Describe your experience at the conference / lab visit / course / seminar/ event. |
| I had a fantastic time at the conference. I was able to catch up with anatomist friends and meet new people. It was good to build connections with anatomists all over the country. I hope to use this network to help public engagement events for World Anatomy Day grow in the UK. Additionally, the conference was education themed which meant that, as a lecturer, I gained a lot from the talks that I saw. I learned about authentic assessment, using ultrasound, 3d printing, and introducing students to the dissecting room.I felt happy with how my presentation was delivered. I was nervous as it was my first talk at an Anatomical Society conference. Overall, it was a great experience, and I learned a lot.  |
| REPORT: In relation to skills, what were the most important things you gained? *(does not apply to equipment grant.* For public engagement/outreach awards what did your audience gain and how did you evaluate success? |
| As I only had 7 minutes to present the programme of events we delivered, I needed to think of ways to make the presentation engaging but concise. I learned new features of PowerPoint and thought more about how to get key information across to an audience.  |
| REPORT: How do you think you will put this learning experience into practice in the future? For public engagement/outreach awards how with the materials/knowledge generated by this activity be used in the future? |
| It’s definitely helped me improve my communication and public speaking skills. I made sure to watch how others composed themselves and tried to adopt that confidence in my own presentation. I would like to take these skills forward into future conferences.  |
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