



MEDICAL STUDENT ESSAY COMPETITION 2018

“How can UK urologists justify the expense of using the latest technology within a nationally funded health system?”

Medical students are invited to submit a 1500 word essay titled *“How can UK urologists justify the expense of using the latest technology within a nationally funded health system?”*

Word limit: 1500 maximum excluding title, abstract (no more than 200 words) and references. See Guidance Notes for more information.

Students must be an undergraduate enrolled at a medical school in either England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland or the Republic of Ireland at the closing date – see below. Entries from students attending a medical school in overseas countries will not be eligible. The author of the essay judged to be the most outstanding in each medical school will receive a prize certificate and entered into the national competition.

The prize for the winner of the national competition will be £750 and the prize for the runner up in the national competition will be £500. The national winner and runner up will be presented with their certificates at the BAUS Annual Conference at the ACC Liverpool (25-27 June 2018) and BAUS will give guest registration for the day of the presentations (to be advised).

Please submit essays to BAUS no later than **10.00 am (BST) on Monday 9 April 2018** by email to [**ctaylor@baus.org.uk**](mailto:ctaylor@baus.org.uk). Please include the name of the medical school you are currently attending in the covering email.

All submitted essays will be acknowledged by email. If you do not receive an acknowledgment, please telephone the BAUS Office (Charlotte Taylor) on 020 7869 6953.

Further details (including entry criteria) are on [the BAUS website](#).
