

Dr Carmela Maniero



Nominee Election Year – 2014

Nominee Title & Institution - Consultant in Clinical Pharmacology and Hypertension, Barts NHS Trust

Nominee's Personal Statement –

I am a Consultant Clinical Pharmacologist and honorary lecturer at Barts and QMUL. My clinical research career began after I graduated when I joined the European Centre of Excellence for Hypertension at the University of Padua, where I trained in Internal Medicine and started clinical research activities.

I moved to the UK and obtained a PhD from the University of Cambridge (founded by the BHF) and then trained in Clinical Pharmacology at Barts in London.

I have been appointment as consultant here and I have gained significant skills in the management of complex hypertension cases.

I have had the opportunity to present my research at the BIHS Scientific meetings numerous times, I have been a member of the Young Investigator Party, collaborated to writing clinical guidelines and made significant friendships and connections.

I will be happy to get a more active role within the Society as I believe this is a fantastic momentum for hypertension care and research, especially in the UK.

This vision is endured by the BIHS, and I would be honoured to give my contribution.

Nominated by – Dr Azara Janmohamed

Supporting Statement –

I would like to support Dr Maniero's application as ordinary member of the BIHS executive committee.

I have known Dr Maniero since 2018 when we trained as clinical pharmacology registrars and subsequently as a valuable consultant colleague.

She has a passion for the management of hypertension, particularly in the area of autonomic dysfunction, multiple drug intolerances and resistant hypertension. She is an actively engaged

member of the BIHS, being part of the young investigator group and has contributed to a number of Society guidelines.

She will be a key asset to BIHS executive and help drive its important work forward.

Supported by – Dr Paul Robinson

Supporting Statement –

As a former Exec Member myself, I am delighted to support Dr Maniero's application as BIHS executive committee member.

I have known Carmen since 2018 when she joined the clinical pharmacology team at Barts, as registrar. She has shown a special interest in hypertension and cardiovascular medicine since the start of her clinical training. She has obtained a PhD from the University of Cambridge and has successfully described new molecular mechanisms of aldosterone production in Conn's syndrome.

In her role as an NHS Consultant, she has honed her clinical skills in the management of complex hypertension, multiple drug intolerances and cardiovascular dysautonomia, niche fields in the hypertension scenario. She is an actively engaged member of the BIHS, and has joined in the past the young investigator activities.

She would be a valuable member of the Exec Committee; she represents the next generation of our speciality.

Seconded by - Dr Luca Faconti

Supporting Statement –

I am delighted to support Dr Carmen Maniero as candidate for an ordinary member position of the Executive Committee of the Society.

I have known Carmen for many years and she has demonstrated a remarkable interest in hypertension both as a clinician and researcher. She has been actively involved in the Society where she joined the Young Investigator Working party and then became a member of the Educational Programmes Standing Committee. Carmen has enthusiastically embraced the initiatives of the Society and she made a significant contribution to the position statement on the "Investigation and Management of Young-Onset Hypertension" which is currently in press and she joined the task force for the resistant hypertension guidelines.

Carmen is a well-known hypertension specialist with a strong background in Internal Medicine who has combined over the years the clinical care of patients with her interests in translational research.

I highly recommend Carmen for this position and I am confident he will serve as an excellent addition to the Executive Committee.