

**10<sup>th</sup> International Clinical Skills Conference, Prato Tuscany**

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**Committee Role –Conference Co-Chair**

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<b>Biography</b>	Lysa is Clinical skills lead for the School of Medicine at Ulster, a new graduate entry medical school accepting its first cohort of students in 2021. She previously worked in medical education at the Universities of Dundee and St Andrews since 2005. Before becoming involved in medical education, her clinical background was emergency medicine, and falls interventions for the elderly. As well as leading undergraduate teaching in professional skills, she is OSCE lead for the School. Lysa is an Education Associate with the UK General Medical Council, in quality

	<p>assuring UK medical curricula. Scholarship interests include curriculum design innovation, clinical assessment and domains of realism in simulation based healthcare education. She works clinically in the Western Health and Social Care Trust in Care of the Elderly.</p>
<b>Research (long text)</b>	<p>Areas of research interest include simulation for realistic medicine, barriers to engagement in simulation based learning, training for whole person and trauma informed care. Doctoral research was on realism in simulation.</p>
<b>Teaching (long text)</b>	<p>Professional skills Lead for clinical and communication skills teaching and assessment</p>
<b>Publications (long text)</b>	<p>Owen L.E. Motivation, relevance and realism in simulation based medical education: 'I don't want to look like an idiot' Doctoral Thesis Owen, Anderson, Dowell <i>The Use of free text adversity statements as part of a contextualised admissions process: A Qualitative Analysis</i> Owen L.E., Anderson S.A., Dowell J, S. Owen, L.E. From Fairies to Simman: Reality and realism in simulation. Journal of Surgical simulation: <i>in press</i> N. Harrison, <b>L. Owen</b>, S. Somerville, K. Stirling and J. Ker The Why, the What and the How of Simulation Based Education: Preparing for the Future Book Chapter in Edited book Health and Disease: Curriculum for 21st Century Medical Students. Nova Science Publishers 2014 <b>Owen Lysa E</b>, Byrne Derek, Ker Jean. A learning package for medical students in a busy Urology department: design, implementation and evaluation.</p> <p>Urology 2008;72(5):982-6 <b>Owen Lysa E.</b>, Byrne Derek, Ker Jean, S. How useful is simulation in preparing students for practice in the ambulatory care setting? Journal: International Journal of Clinical Skills- vol 2- issue 1 May 2008. <b>Owen Lysa E</b>, McIlwaine Louisa M, Ker Jean S. Reducing Errors in laboratory test requests. IJOCS Volume 1- Issue 1 Hogg G, Lorente M, Keith G, Ramsay J, Ambrose L, <b>Owen L</b>, Ker J The Evaluation of a ward simulation exercise to support hospital at night practitioners develop safe</p>

	<p>practice. IJOCS –vol 2- issue 2</p>
<p><b>Conferences / Lectures (long text)</b></p>	<p><b>Lysa E. Owen</b>  <b>From Fairies to Simman, Lessons from Tolkien for simulation based medical education.</b>  Oral Presentation at International Clinical Skills Conference, Prato, 2015</p> <p><b>Lysa E. Owen</b>  <b>“Out to get you “Simulation based medical Education as WAR and other Metaphors</b>  Oral Presentation International Clinical Skills Conference, Prato 2015  Winner of the Chairman’s prize for best short oral presentation</p> <p><b>Owen, Lafferty, Shippey</b>  Workshop: Academic Productivity  International Clinical Skills Conference, Prato 2015</p> <p><b>Lysa E. Owen, Jean S. Ker</b>  “I don’t want to look like an idiot” Simulation based education: The relationship between motivation, relevance and realism  Full Oral Presentation at the international conference of clinical skills, Prato. 2013</p> <p><b>Lysa E. Owen, George Hogg, and Jean S. Ker.</b>  Simulation on a shoestring.  Poster presentation at The International Conference of Clinical Skills, Prato. 2009.</p> <p><b>Owen L.E, Taylor K, Ker J.S</b>  Do Students who participate in educational research represent the Year group as a whole?  Presented as poster to Scottish Clinical Skills Network Annual Scientific Meeting, 2008.</p> <p><b>Owen, L.E.</b>  Evaluation of peer tutoring experience in Ambulatory care teaching.  Poster Presentation. Association for Medical Education in Europe conference, September 2005</p> <p><b>Owen, L.E.</b>  Electronic test requesting reduces errors in laboratory requests in undergraduate medical students,  Oral Presentation, Ottawa Clinical Competence Conference, May 2007</p>
<p><b>External links to work</b></p>	<p><a href="https://www.ulster.ac.uk/staff/l-owen">https://www.ulster.ac.uk/staff/l-owen</a>  <b>X @drlysaowen</b></p>