



Call for a new topic for an ECCO Scientific Workshop

Dear ECCO Friends,

SciCom is launching its eighth Scientific Workshop and a new topic needs to be selected.

If you have a topic to propose, **please send your proposal and a 100-word supporting statement to the ECCO Office** via the online submission pages. To access the online submission pages, please login to your [ECCO Portal](#) account, and click on "Scientific Workshop 8: Call for topics". Please submit your proposal by **April 16, 2021**.

One topic will be selected. The organisation of the workshop will follow the same principles as in previous ECCO Scientific Workshops:

1. Call for topics: February 11, 2021.
2. Deadline for proposals: April 16, 2021.
3. Decision on the topic by SciCom: May 22, 2021, followed by the selection of a Steering Committee (up to four members: the proposer of the topic, one young clinician scientist, one more experienced KOL and one member representing SciCom).
4. Meeting of the Steering Committee and SciCom representative in September/October 2021 (TBC): Definition of key areas of interest and focus of the scientific workshop
5. Open call to participate: end of October 2021.
6. Decision on participants and group leaders by end of November 2021 by Steering Committee (in consultation with SciCom). Distribution of allocated questions to the participants by the group leaders.
7. Meeting at ECCO'22: Discussion within groups on the results of literature reviews and synthetic digital oral presentation. Planning of the manuscripts.
8. Meetings organised within groups, at the discretion of the group leaders and depending on the progress and needs of the group.
9. Meeting in October 2022 (TBC) in the individual working groups, discussing the outcome and manuscripts (to be submitted between June 2022 and January 2023).
10. End of January 2023: Deadline for submission of the last scientific workshop manuscript (in agreement with Editor-in-Chief of JCC).
11. Meeting at ECCO'23 (TBC): Plenary presentation and working session to select research project.

For more information please go to: <https://www.ecco-ibd.eu/science/scientific-workshops.html>

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