

## European Respiratory Society (ERS) Channel Editor

### Job description

The ERS Respiratory Channel (<https://channel.ersnet.org>) is a digital platform that showcases all ERS educational, scientific and advocacy work. It aims to deliver informative and engaging reviews of important topics in these areas through a range of formats including video, live events and podcasts etc. The ERS Channel aims to support, in a sustainable manner, ERS members worldwide as they navigate the complexities of the field of respiratory medicine.

The ERS leadership now seek an Editor in Chief for the Channel. In this new role, the Editor, with the support of experienced ERS staff, will be responsible for content planning across the existing formats, management of existing demands from content providers, commissioning new formats and the delivery of a strategic on-going programme of high-quality topical and engaging content. The position has a three-year mandate and is not salaried. Although the channel Editor is appointed by ERS, editorial decisions are independent from the ERS committees and reports only to the ERS Management Group.

#### Responsibilities of the ERS Channel Editor:

- The Editor, with the support of ERS staff, will be responsible for leading and setting the vision for the ERS Channel.
- The Editor, with the support of ERS staff, will be responsible for commissioning and reviewing the effectiveness of the Channel's content. In this role, the Editor will ensure a suitable balance of topic areas that serve all the ERS members.
- The Editor, with the support of ERS staff, will actively recruit content experts, who will lead individual content activities to reflect the full spectrum of respiratory medicine.
- The Editor, with the support of ERS staff, will establish a dedicated ERS Channel review board.
- The Editor will report to the Management Group and collaborate with the ERS councils to ensure an integrated strategic approach.
- The Editor will be responsible for advocating the Channel in a proactive approach, utilising a broad range of contacts across the full spectrum of respiratory medicine.
- Attend other ERS meetings as required.

#### Personal requirements:

- ERS member.
- Clinician in practice.
- Experience and interest in digital content production.
- Skilled communicator.
- Leadership skills, including the ability to motivate others.
- Excellent organisational skills.

**Time commitment:** It is expected that this role will require a time commitment of 3 to 4 hours per week, inclusive of a 1-hour weekly meeting.

**Applications:** A covering letter outlining your suitability and interest in this role with supporting curriculum vitae should be emailed to [elections@ersnet.org](mailto:elections@ersnet.org). Please apply by: 30 June 2023.