

Expressions of Interest Sought: Journal Club Coordinator

The Centre for Digital Translation of Health at the University of Melbourne seeks expressions of interest from research higher degree students who are interested in convening a digital health journal club.

The expression of interest is open to PhD students in digital health or a related field enrolled at the University of Melbourne. Students can be affiliated with any Faculty (eg MDHS, CIS) or a hospital-based University department.

The successful candidate will have capacity to spend 3 hours per week in this role during the academic year, and will be remunerated at the same rate as a casual research assistant (RA.1) (\$43.70 per hour). Duties will include co-ordinating the weekly digital health journal club including:

- organising the venue
- rostering presenters
- co-ordinating presentations of different types (eg presentation of peer-reviewed papers, presenting and brainstorming ideas for funding proposals, conference reviews or rehearsals for conference presentations)
- ensuring presenters are briefed
- ensuring attendees are notified of the weekly topic and receive any papers ahead of time
- promoting the journal club to research higher degree students, post-doctoral researchers and any other interested researchers through suitable channels such as Slack or email, with the goal of growing attendance
- conducting an annual survey of Journal Club attendees with the goal of increasing its value

Enquiries can be directed to the conveners of the Digital Health Journal Club: Dr Daniel Capurro (dcapurro@unimelb.edu.au) or Dr Douglas Pires (douglas.pires@unimelb.edu.au).

Applications will close on Monday June 7th, 5.00pm.

Applications from individuals should consist of a covering letter of no more than 1 page outlining the reasons for their interest in the role, a brief resume and a letter of support for the application from the applicant's supervisor. Please send applications to dcapurro@unimelb.edu.au with a subject line: [Journal Club Convenor].

The Centre for Digital Transformation of Health

The Centre for Digital Transformation of Health is a cross-disciplinary centre that sits in the Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences, and the School of Computing and Information Systems.

With a vision of connected healthcare, the Centre aims to address a critical gap in the translation of digital health research, which is clearly needed if the healthcare system is to benefit from research-led advances in digital health. The Centre aims to significantly grow the field of digital health research at the University of Melbourne through creating the right environment for the type of inter-disciplinary, collaborative research that correlates with research excellence and impact to flourish. Through bringing together researchers, educators, healthcare and digital health professionals, patients and the public, the focus on translation of digital health innovations into clinical practice will enable a future where the healthcare system is transformed through digital health innovation

Its three strategic pillars are focussed on better use of health data, integrating digital health innovations into the healthcare system and upskilling the healthcare workforce.