

Sarah Peacock: Chair of BSHI Education Board

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Hello! My name is Sarah Peacock, I am the Clinical Director of the Tissue Typing Laboratory in Cambridge.

Within BSHI I am currently the Chair of the BSHI Education Board, I am currently in my 2nd tenure and am hoping there is someone else within our community who will be willing to take on this mantle for me in the coming years!

The role of BEB Chair is quite varied, both the training and development executive (TDE) and research executive (RE) report into the education board. My role as chair is interesting as I get to hear about the fabulous work the TDE and RE are involved in, together with keeping abreast of the latest developments outside of BSHI that relate to education.

Most recently these have involved contributing to the Level 7 Clinical Science apprenticeship, fact finding how the new HCPC standards affect state registered staff and sharing resources to support them with this. Typically, we have 2 to 3 meetings a year and also discuss projects by email outside of those times as needed. As BEB Chair I then additionally attend the BSHI main committee meetings where I provide a summary from the BEB.

We are just launching a new mentoring scheme where we plan to support interested members to spend some time shadowing a committee member shadowing to understand more about the BSHI committees, if this sounds of interest to you (and it would be a good CPD activity!) please do get in touch.