



2018 ANNUAL REPORT

SIG/Committee Name: New Investigator SIG

Date: 18 March, 2018

Co-Chairs: Manraj Kaur, Canhua Xiao

Board Liaison: Ida Korfage, PhD

Mission: The New Investigators SIG is targeted at people new to QOL research. We welcome students, post docs, and anyone who has been working in QOL Research for five years or less. We aim to create a network for investigators new to the field of QOL, facilitate discussions, both theoretical and practical and help solve common problems at early stages of one's career.

Number of SIG Members: 102

Date of SIG Meeting: 20 October, 2016

Number of attendees at meeting: ca. 16

Project/Objective	Actions/Deliverables	Project Chair	Project Members	Timeline
1. Elections of a new co-chair	Inform SIG members about the upcoming elections and motivate people to nominate candidates via Teamwork.com, introduce the new co-chair to all SIG members	Manraj Kaur	Manraj Kaur & Canhua Xiao	Q2/2018
2. Annual SIG meeting	Organization of the annual SIG meeting at the annual conference in Dublin, Ireland	Canhua Xiao	Manraj Kaur & Canhua Xiao	Q2-4/2017
3. Tricks of the Trade session at the annual conference in Dublin, Ireland	Decide on panelist for the tricks for trade session in coordination with NI SIG member Invite panelists for the session Tricks of the Trade	Manraj Kaur	Manraj Kaur & Canhua Xiao	Q2-4/2017
4. SIG homepage	Update of the NI webpage	Manraj Kaur	Manraj Kaur & Canhua Xiao	Q4/2017