

## COSECSA-BJS PRIZE

**ARE YOU A BRILLIANT RESEARCHER?**

**ARE YOU AN EXCELLENT SCIENTIFIC WRITER?**

Submit your work for consideration for the **COSECSA-BJS Prize**.

COSECSA, as part of the collaboration with British Journal of Surgery Society, is pleased to invite submissions for the **2024 COSECSA-BJS Best Scientific Paper Prize**.

A Prize of **€500** will be offered to the best full scientific paper submitted as outlined below.

This prize will be presented at the 24<sup>th</sup> COSECSA Annual Scientific Conference in Harare Zimbabwe on 5<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> December 2024.

Abstracts must be submitted for the scientific conference and separately for the prize.

Shortlisted candidates will be notified and invited to submit a full paper to the BJS for the editorial review process and potential publication.

The Prize will be awarded to the best paper submitted in full to the BJS.

### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

To be considered for this award, the applicant **MUST** be:

- A **Registered COSECSA Trainee** or:
- A **COSECSA Fellow** In good standing.
- Have an **Abstract accepted** for presentation at the 24<sup>th</sup> COSECSA Annual Scientific Conference
- Able to **travel to Harare**, Zimbabwe to deliver the presentation.

### APPLICATION PROCESS

- Submit your Abstract for the prize to the Research and Patient Outcomes Coordinator at: [rpo.coordinator@cosecsa.org](mailto:rpo.coordinator@cosecsa.org) cc: [education\\_asst@cosecsa.org](mailto:education_asst@cosecsa.org)
- The abstract **MUST** also be submitted for COSECSA Annual Scientific Conference committee at: <https://www.cosecsa.org/abstract-submission/>
- Deadline by 30<sup>th</sup> September 2024, late applications will not be considered.