



### **Proposal of Activities**

- **INSPIRE Interdisciplinary Research Scholarships.** These projects offered the scholarship recipients a range of different skill sets and excellent academic opportunities. Keen to continue this initiative with additional opportunities to further cultivate a multi-disciplinary research ethos among medical and dental students.
- **INSPIRE National Scholarships for UK Medical and Dental Students** from other institutions to undertake research work at the University of Aberdeen. 6-8 week summer research project. Students selected through national open competition.
- **International INSPIRE Research Scholarships.** 4 scholarships (two each from the medical and dental programmes). This scheme has the potential to, and has already produced, outstanding future clinical academics in medical and dental sciences.
- **Introducing New Skills to Promote Inspirational Research Experience (INSPIRE) Aberdeen.** Host an annual summer taster week called INSPIRE Aberdeen Scheme. Provide an opportunity for students who wish to explore a clinical academic career to have a taster of wet laboratory research and get exposed to basic laboratory skills. The scheme will be run as a residential course open to year 1 or 2 students from medical and dental schools across UK.

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