



# The Besrouer Café



Monthly discussions building bridges in global family medicine

## Colleagues in Africa: Are you interested in global health and family medicine education?

**We have an exciting opportunity for residents, early-career family physicians, and experienced educators who want to support emerging family medicine programs.**

The Besrouer Café is a series of peer-to-peer discussions hosted in an online forum. Our goal is to provide ongoing opportunities for collaboration in between each annual Besrouer Forum.

With conversations facilitated in both English and French, you can connect with colleagues in Africa in this safe, supportive space to form new mentorship relationships and partnerships.

### Shared learning

A key goal of the Besrouer Café is to engage in shared learning with colleagues in countries where family medicine has just begun to take shape as a specialty. We encourage medical students, family medicine residents, physicians in their first five years of practice, and experienced family medical educators who are enthusiastic about this effort to participate in the Besrouer Café.

Based on identified needs, the pilot program is focusing on the region of Africa and the many challenges and shared interests of Besrouer Centre partners in that part of the world related to family medicine education.

### How to participate

Our 12-month pilot project launched in January 2020, with discussions hosted through Zoom video conferencing on the fourth Tuesday of each month.

Contact Vera Shewell at [besrouercentre@cfpc.ca](mailto:besrouercentre@cfpc.ca) for information on joining the video conferences.

### Scheduled Besrouer Café sessions

- January 28th
- February 25th
- March 24th
- April 28th
- May 26th
- June 23rd
- July 28th
- August 25th
- September 22nd
- October 27th
- November 24th



Resources shared at each Besrouer Café session are made available via **Dropbox**.



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