



Italian Society
of Periodontology
and Implantology

RESEARCH FORUM M. CAGIDIACO AWARD 2020

reserved for Dental Hygienists SidP Members

The **Italian Society of Periodontology and Implantology (SidP)** on the occasion of its **21st National Congress** (Rimini, 12 to 14 March 2020) as part of the session entitled "**Research Forum - M. Cagidiaco Award**", will offer to Dental Hygienists the opportunity to present and discuss their scientific studies in the field of Periodontology and Implantology related to dental hygiene.

The papers must be related to evidence-based and patient-centered dental hygiene practice, relating to:

- *Clinical studies and basic research on topics related to the prevention of periodontal diseases;*
- *Clinical case studies on innovative methods of periodontal diseases prevention;*
- *Motivation and communication strategies to improve patient compliance in periodontal therapy.*

The 5 best papers accepted by the Commission (in charge of the pre-selection and composed by the Coordinators of the Research Forum and by a member of the SidP Executive Board) will be presented in the form of **Oral Presentation** as part of the "**Research Forum - M. Cagidiaco Prize**" - **on Thursday March 12nd, 2020**. The Commission will evaluate the oral presentation by assessing: The clinical relevance, objectivity, materials and methods and their suitability with respect to the objectives, the consistency of the findings with respect to the results, ethics, scientific value, potential clinical significance, originality of the work and clarity and display capacity of the Presenter.

During the event, the SidP Scientific Committee will award the **M. Cagidiaco Award 2020** consisting of a financial reward of € 1,000 and free one-year subscription to SidP as Dental Hygienist. The winning work will be presented during the SidP Fall Meeting (Saturday, October 10th, 2020) and published on the website of the Society www.sidp.it.

Abstract submission

Deadline for submission through the website www.sidp.it (section AWARDS and SCHOLARSHIPS) will be **February the 3rd**. Abstracts should be written in English language. The standards for preparation and content of the abstracts are accessible on the same website.

Only on-line submitted abstracts will be accepted for evaluation.

Acceptance will be communicated by e-mail from the SidP Secretary within the 28th of February 2020.

The Author who will present the work during the session is required to pre-register for the 2020 National Congress SidP. Failure to pre-registration will result in the cancellation of participation in the session.

Each Author may present only one abstract but co-authorship in others will not be limited. Presentation will be in the English language.

Previously published or presented abstracts cannot participate in the prize competition.