

Innovation in Medicine

7th February 2017

Holiday Inn Manchester City Centre
25 Aytoun Street
Manchester
M1 3DT
6.30pm – 8.45pm

Join us for an exciting evening learning how to inspire, innovate and share knowledge to improve healthcare – first-hand from experienced speakers themselves:

Gareth Presch – Founder of the World Health Innovation Summit

Dr Joanne Thomas – Senior Technology Manager, TRUSTECH

- Join in the debate and take part in our workshop where you will develop an ‘innovate app’ to improve healthcare (if possible, please think of potential app ideas prior to the event)
- Network with colleagues and leaders of the future
- Enhance your CV

This event is fully sponsored by Health Education England.

It is free to attend and is open to all grades.

Free food will be provided. Certificate of attendance will be issued.

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Speaker Profiles

Gareth Presch



Gareth Presch is founder and CEO of the World Health Innovation Summit. He holds a BA (Hons) in Healthcare Management.

A problem solver and healthcare strategist who has experience working in public, private and voluntary healthcare settings in the NHS and abroad, Gareth is patient focused and quality driven.

As part of his day-to-day role, he advises business on social media, corporate social responsibility and various other areas of community health. He supports a number of charities and is keen on the great outdoors.

Dr Joanne Thomas

Joanne has worked at TRUSTECH (the North West NHS Innovation Service hosted by Central Manchester University Hospitals) for over 15 years, giving advice on intellectual property and helping NHS staff to turn their innovations from ideas into commercial products and services.

Prior to this, she was an NHS R&D Co-ordinator in Stockport and a Research Assistant at the University of Manchester. She has a degree and PhD in physiology.

