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Dear Fellow

The next meeting will be the **Mansell Bequest Prize Competition** for 2020. It will be held from **1845 on THURSDAY 26 NOVEMBER 2020** and we would encourage as many Fellows as possible to join us for this event. It will be held virtually over Zoom and the registration details are below.

The Mansell Judging Panel are Prof Dafydd Thomas, Dr David Park, Brig Ivan Houghton and Dr Nicholas Cambridge and they have selected the following six presentations from a number of applications for the prizes:

Dr Arpan Mehta. Edinburgh  
Mitochondrial Bioenergetic deficits in C9orf72 repeat expansion motor neurone, cause axonal dysfunction

Dr Dhruv Panchal. UCL  
Research on dementia

Dr James Varley. Oxford  
The clinical and immunological effects of distinct~HLA in patients with Contactin-associated protein-2 antibodies

Dr Robert Hurford. Oxford  
Prevalence and prognosis of intracranial stenosis in patients with minor stroke and TIA: implications for clinical practice

Dr Peter Jenkins. Imperial College  
Research in the field of traumatic brain injury

Dr Akila Visvanathan. Edinburgh  
Improving communication and shared decision-making after major stroke

Each candidate will present for just 15mins and the Judges may ask one or two questions. Following all presentations, the meeting will conclude and the judging panel will inform the presenters of the outcome of the competition individually by email. The results will also be posted on the Medical Society website for Fellows to see. The first prize is £1000 and the residue of the prize fund (£2000) will be distributed amongst the other presenters as decided by the judging panel.

The Zoom details for registering are as follows:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZMlduuhpzgrEtdN7RVzAdnlDIUX34OwYZZo>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

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