Dear AHME Members:

I wanted to share with all of you some very exciting news: The Association for Hospital Medical Education has a new website design! We plan to introduce the new and improved website on the afternoon of Friday October 31, 2014. You can access the new AHME website at www.ahme.org as of that date. The new website design has a number of features that we know you will appreciate. These include:

1. Great graphics. On the home page, new graphic displays will highlight the benefits of joining AHME to new members and will highlight AHME educational programming.
2. Easy navigation around the website. Across the top of the website are direct links that include:
   - About AHME, Events, Publications, Announcements, Resources, Job Postings, Membership Information and Sponsorship Information that make accessing each of these areas easy.
3. Upcoming events with direct links to these events will be listed on the homepage.
4. Quick Links are available at the bottom of the page that can take you directly to the AHME Message Board and to a link that will allow you to contact AHME.
5. Easy access to the Members Area from the home page where current members can access some of the special content only available to members: our member directory, information about each of our AHME Councils, and access to publications available free to our members including The Guide to Medical Education in the Teaching Hospital and Remediation of the Struggling Medical Learner.
6. Testimonials from current AHME members that speak directly to the many benefits of AHME membership.

I wanted to alert you to two steps each of us will need to take to fully access all of the content on the new AHME website. First, to enter the Members Area, you will need to enter your Member Number and your Login and Password. The Login and Password will remain the same as what you currently use to access the Members Area of the current AHME website. You will receive a separate email from AHME informing you what your Member Number is that you will use to access this area on the new website. Second, you will need to re-join the AHME Message Board. From the homepage, under the AHME Message Board banner you will click on Join Now! You will then be asked to provide your email address and to create a unique Username (that cannot be changed later). You will receive a subsequent email verifying your account and providing you a secure password that you will use to access the Message Board.

We are very excited about the new AHME website design. The new website will also introduce the new AHME logo. As we celebrate 60 years as an organization, we think you will agree that the new logo graphically conveys the exciting growth we have achieved and the commitment we make to serve as a major resource for medical educators and teaching hospitals.

I want to especially recognize and thank AHME Executive Director Dr. Kim Mohn and AHME Member Services and Website Administrator Karen Zagar for their dedication and hard work in creating the new AHME website. They spent countless hours working with the web design team from Third Planet Global Creative to develop the final product that is being presented to you now. I know you will join me in thanking them for a job very well done!

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