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Welcome to the latest TB Modelling and Analysis Consortium ([TB MAC](#)) mini-newsletter, with information for TB modellers, epidemiologists, economists and decision makers.

Improving the quality of modelling evidence used for tuberculosis policy evaluation

A perspective [piece](#) accompanying the WHO/TB MAC [Guidance for Country-Level TB Modelling](#) is now available in the [latest edition](#) of The International Journal of Tuberculosis and Lung Disease. If you would like a hardcopy of the guidance document please email tb-mac@lshtm.ac.uk with your postal address.

Push to increase the visibility of TB work at the Epidemics Conference on Infectious Disease Dynamics (ECIDD) [call to be held 24 MAy 11 am EST/4 pm BST]

A call is being set-up for the **24th of May** to increase the presence of quantitative and modeling work in TB epidemiology at the upcoming Epidemics conference ([ECIDD](#)) to be held in Charleston, SC, USA from December 3-6. The purpose of the call is to help facilitate and coordinate an increase in the overall number of submissions of TB-focused work to the conference to create the opportunity for a session or more to be devoted to TB. This is a joint effort led by [Dr. Shrestha](#), [Dr. Arinaminpathy](#) and [Dr. Dowdy](#). If you would like to join this call, please respond to any of the linked email addresses and you will be sent a follow-up email with the call details. If you are not able to make the call but would like to send in your suggestions, please email any of the linked email addresses or alternatively email Dr. Shrestha at sshres14@jhu.edu.

JOB! Postdoctoral fellowship modeling Tuberculosis at Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health [Due June 1]

This is an exciting opportunity to join the energetic and rapidly growing [TB Modeling and Translational Epi Group](#) at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, led by Dr. David Dowdy. Applications are invited from recent PhD graduates

for a full-time, two-year postdoctoral fellowship with a focus on mathematical modeling of tuberculosis, starting in summer or fall of 2019. Potential research projects include (but are not limited to): *Modeling the epidemiological impact of TB interventions in the United States, Modeling the transmission and epidemiology of TB in rural and urban settings in sub-Saharan Africa and South Asia, Modeling the impact of TB control interventions in high-burden settings and Modeling within-host dynamics and patient-level heterogeneity in TB diagnosis and treatment outcomes.* For more information and details on the application particulars please contact Dr. Dowdy at ddowdy1@jhmi.edu.



For more information on this picture and others follow the [link](#)

For more information on TB MAC, or to get involved, please contact any of the [TB MAC Committee](#), visit www.tb-mac.org or email us directly at tb-mac@lshtm.ac.uk.

Best wishes,
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