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Slot 1 [11-12]	Medical simulation in Italy: present and future	Target Market trends	Sim lab sizing	Benchmarking European Healthcare Simulation	EU - USA: differences and opportunities	Branching out
Slot 2 [12-13]	Industry Pitch Presentations: <b>Simulation in University programs</b>	Industry Pitch Presentations: <b>How to start a sim center</b>	Industry Pitch Presentations: <b>In-center vs off-center simulation</b>	Industry Pitch Presentations: <b>How technology serves simulationists</b>	Industry Pitch Presentations: <b>How to manage a simulation program and center</b>	Industry Pitch Presentations: <b>Personalized simulation: how and where</b>
Slot 3 [14-15]	Research Presentation Competition*	The Practitioner's Point of View	Nurse and Simulation	Public or Private?	Cadaver lab and Simulation	The economic advantages of Healthcare Simulation

## \* Best Paper Award

Undergraduate and graduate students, post-doctoral researchers, and dentistry and medical residents are invited to submit a paper aligned with one of the following competition categories:

- (1) studies that assess the efficacy of simulation as a training methodology and
- (2) studies where simulation is used as an investigative methodology.

- The paper must be high-quality and published in an academic, peer-reviewed journal after July 1, 2020.
- Applicants do not have to submit an abstract for the research presentation competition to be considered for this award.
- Expo organizers reserve the right to move a submitted paper from its declared category into a more suitable category if deemed appropriate by the reviewers on the adjudication committee.
- Top-10 researchers will be notified via email and will be invited to the awards portion of STEPS to share their research in a three-minute thesis-style presentation.
- Best paper winners will be selected and receive their prize at the awards event.