



Wisconsin Institute for
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UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON

A WORD FROM WIHSE

JANUARY-MARCH 2020

Upcoming Events

[2020 WIHSE Conference – CANCELLED](#)

We have been monitoring all guidelines and updates from the CDC, the Department of Health, and from the University of Wisconsin regarding COVID-19. After careful review and consideration, we have decided to cancel the 2020 WIHSE Conference on Monday, May 11th. Health care and patient safety is of utmost concern to WIHSE and given the spread of COVID-19 both nationally and internationally, we believe this is the best decision for all involved.

News

[Quality and Safety Improvement Student Lab – Spring 2020 members and projects](#)

Meet the members of the Quality and Safety Improvement Student Lab and learn about their new projects. The QSI Lab's mission is to provide students with experience applying systems engineering tools and training in a healthcare setting. They partner with UW Hospitals and Clinics to work on various quality and process improvement projects, supporting them in their goal to be an innovative and agile leader in health care delivery.



Congratulations are in order!

[Congratulations WIHSE Executive Committee member, Nicole Werner for being selected as chair-elect of the Human Factors and Ergonomics Society's Health Care Technical Group!](#)



Congratulations to WIHSE Executive Committee member, Oguzhan Alagoz, for his appointment as Editor-in-Chief of IISE Transactions on Healthcare Systems Engineering Journal!

RFA's of Interest

- AHRQ R18 RFA on care transitions: <https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-20-068.html>
- The Society to Improve Diagnosis in Medicine RFP on diagnostic quality and safety improvement projects: <https://www.improvediagnosis.org/dxqi/>

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