

**SAVIR Student/Young Professional Flyer**

**What is SAVIR?**

The Society for Advancement of Violence and Injury Research (SAVIR) is a professional organization that provides leadership and fosters excellence in the science of preventing and treating injury and violence. SAVIR’s mission and aims are achieved through multiple member activities in research, research dissemination, advocacy, program development and evaluation, consultation, education and training. SAVIR is committed to inspiring and supporting the next generation of leaders in injury and violence research.

SAVIR includes members from a number of professional organizations such as: government agencies, academics, non-profit organizations, and healthcare organizations. Examples of member disciplines include: Epidemiology, Public Health, Behavioral Science, Pediatrics, Public Policy, Emergency Preparedness, Preventive Medicine, and Psychology.

**Numerous Benefits of SAVIR membership for students and young professionals**

- Mentorship with leaders in the field of injury and violence research
- Networking opportunities at conferences and webinars
- Education through quarterly webinars
- Access to Injury Prevention articles on-line
- Leadership opportunities through committee involvement

**Goals of the SAVIR Student and Young Professional Committee**

The purpose of the SAVIR Student and Young Professional Committee is to bring the voice and perspective of students/young professionals to the SAVIR Board and to provide an outlet for education, collaboration, mentoring and professional growth and development for students and early career professionals with a shared interest in injury and violence research through information dissemination, interactive forums, and networking opportunities. Any student or transitional (early-career professional within one year of degree attainment) member is eligible to join the SAVIR Student and Young Professional Committee.

**Examples of committee actions:**

- Support and vocalize the needs of SAVIR student and young professional members
- Manage SAVIR Facebook page and Twitter account
- Interface with other SAVIR committees
- Host and assist with planning of webinars geared to students and young professionals
- Help advertise for SAVIR at their corresponding universities or organizations
- Participate in planning of SAVIR national conference
- Serve as a student and young professional advisory group for the SAVIR Board of Directors

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