

**GENERAL ARTICLE****PRACTICAL TIPS FOR EFFECTIVE PRESENTATION ON THE PHYSICAL AND VIRTUAL STAGE**

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**Abstract:** *Most of us believe that an effective speaker is born that way. But the truth is that public speaking is a skill that ought to be learnt and mastered. As medical teachers and academicians we are routinely required to make presentations both to the medical community and sometimes to the general public. Online presentations have become the rule rather than the exception in these COVID days. The subsequent article aims to elucidate some of the practical tips for an effective presentation both on stage as well as online.*

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