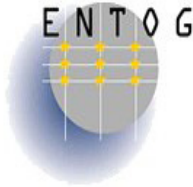


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Dear ENTOG friends,

Our Executive has recently been to London, where we had the privilege to meet the President of the LOC for the ENTOG-UK 2011, Maud Van de Venne (photo)! We also took part in the last EBCOG Executive meeting in Brussels, where many trainee-related issues have been again discussed and where we also managed to meet Martine Hollander, the President of the LOC for our upcoming event in Belgium!

We took part in the annual ACOG-JFCAC orientation and meeting in Washington DC, where we had a chance to strengthen the bonds between the two trainee organizations and begin to setup joint projects for the future.

As you know, we will join the European Congress this year. Over 400 abstracts have been received and one of them will receive an ENTOG symbolic prize at the closing Ceremony. Our ENTOG Session covering topics such as litigation and doctor-patient relationship is ready to receive your input and it will certainly be of interest to both trainees and specialists. We'll also have an election for three of our posts at the ENTOG Council on Thursday and you are kindly invited to be a part of our team (please check Statutes)! Plenty of good reasons to come - Welcome to Belgium!

Nuno Martins
ENTOG President

BELGIUM 2010, **OPEN REGISTRATION**

The registration for the ENTOG annual meeting and exchange program in Belgium remains open. At present, about 30 people have already registered for our exchange program and there are 21 countries represented so far. Again, as the local organizing committees always struggle tremendously with the burden of the late registrations, we hope you can try and make all register well in advance for Belgium! Should you be interested in additional slots for the exchange program, we would like to inform you that this is now possible, as the first round of registrations is over. Please contact the Executive or the LOC as soon as possible! You can download the final program at our website (after registering with ENTOG).

Again, we look forward to meeting you all in Antwerp in May for another successful ENTOG event!!

2 – ENTOG ACTIVITY

Our activity report will be presented to you at the ENTOG Council, as well as a short introduction to the UK 2011 event.

3 – ELECTIONS

The President Nuno Martins and the Member Elena Pavlova will both begin their second year period. The three: Secretary-General, Treasurer and additional Member posts will be available and you are very welcome to come and try to become a

part of this wonderful team, so important to the future of European training in our specialty! In fact, it is important for our member countries to have an opportunity to choose among different candidates. Prepare some words about yourself and why you would like to be one of us, to be expressed to our Members at Council.

4 – CONTACTS

If you wish to get an automated newsletter (and you don't receive it yet), you can register at www.entog.org _newsletter subscription.

Please contact us with any good ideas or questions at executive@entog.org!

