

# EGPRN Chairperson's Report

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For

Leipzig

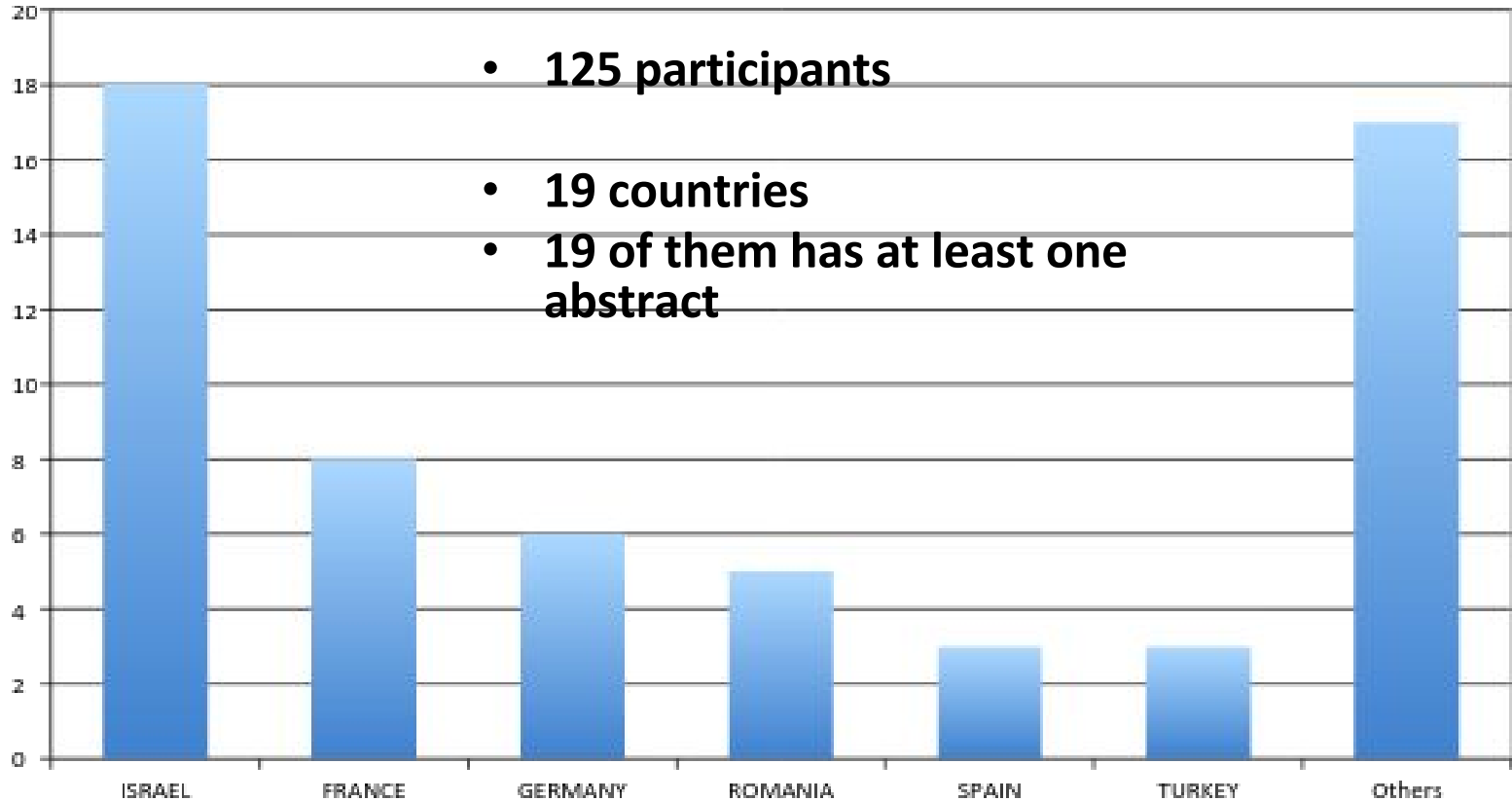
October 2016



# Abstracts & Countries

We had 60 Presentations in TOTAL /79 Submission, Acceptance Rate=

76%



For this current Tel Aviv conference, EGPRN received totally 79 papers: 27 theme papers on “*Research on Medical Overuse*”, 34 freestanding papers, 7 one-slide/five minutes presentations and 11 posters. 69 Abstracts, coming from 19 different countries of origin.

The final scientific programme for Tel Aviv (Jaffa) consists of 60 selected abstracts for presentation. In the final 3 weeks before the meeting 6 scheduled presentations were cancelled.

125 on 14<sup>th</sup> October

Some facts on 28 September last:

- 81 participants had paid the conference fee for Leipzig
- 19 participants coming from appendix A countries, or <30yr paying €100 conference fee
- 23 EGPRN members had paid the early bird conference fee €180
- 25 EGPRN members had paid the normal conference fee €200
- 1 EGPRN member had paid the late registration fee €250
- 13 participants had paid the full conference fee €400

On that same date (28-9-2016): 130 persons were 'pre-registered' as being council members, and/or abstract submitters/presenters. That means that 49 participants have not paid two weeks before the start of the meeting (=8 working days for the EGPRN Office).



## EGPRN membership details on 28 September 2016\*

|            | Individual | Institutional | Total membership                  |
|------------|------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|
| • Oct. '16 | 160        | 036           | 196                               |
| • May '16  | 152        | 034           | 186                               |
| • Oct. '15 | 146        | 028           | 174                               |
| • May '15  | 150        | 032           | 182                               |
| • Oct. '14 | 083        | 020           | 103 – start current member period |
| • May '14  | 209        | 030           | 238                               |
| • Oct. '13 | 178        | 029           | 207                               |
| • May '13  | 204        | 030           | 234                               |
| • Oct. '12 | 148        | 030           | 178                               |
| • May '12  | 128        | 026           | 154                               |
| • Oct. '11 | 076        | 014           | 090 – start past member period    |

*\*Hon. Secretary's & Executive Manager's report*

# New

- UK Micheal Harris put a very kind and meaningful input for the young researchers, 3 EGPRN members are in pilot phase for mentorship.
- I think that is to follow up by other **senior researchers**, EGPRN is not only to help our young researchers but also puts the difference of EGPRN from other Networks or Special Interest Groups (SIGs) !
- Please spend more time on behalf of youngsters but also for your own to realize how wonderful is making an permanent input which will live more than your name !

# Council

The member countries, National Reps are proposed to make country reports. You may help your Nat Reps, **EGPRN National Pages** on Pages' <http://pages.egprn.org/>

It is not difficult to update them, to put them in to the website.

There are step by step explanations in the web site



# Council Decisions

- Some members can get score if abstract book is published properly and with an ISBN nr. New EGPRN Abstract Book Format, 2 x year Editor and Editorial Board, Program Builder, Abstracts with references, visible in PubMed, Google like searchable databases, Mesh Heading for EGPRN to be used in abstracts and etc..
- Certificate for Conference Organizers
- EJGP Publisher ; 1000 USD/year more but concli decided to search every opportunity to reduce the price an go on the journal 20 selected abstracts & 2 Key Note position papers for visibility of EGPRN



# WONCA Related Matters

- EGPRN had activities at Wonca Copenhagen
- New Financial consequences for EGPRN:  
Main rule of the publisher: <1500 words costs €200 / >1500 words costs €400
- -2 position papers per year  
-Two times 20 selected abstracts published per year
- There were more than 2600 participants in Wonca Copenhagen meeting many EGPRN members contributed in also
- The president changed, Job Metsemaker handover the chair to Anna Stavdal from Norway. Will be elections for president elect position in WONCA Meeting RI, Oct 29.
- I have been proposed for president elect position by Turkish, Danish, Norwegian, Slovenian, Israel, Bulgarian, Bosnian, Czech, Greek and possibly other colleges. Elections will be in RIO on 29th

# UPDATE ON EGPRN CONTRIBUTION TO WONCA COPENHAGEN 2016

I was in Scientific Advisory Board Ferdinando and Ana Luisa had activities on behalf of EGPRN & VdG and EURACT

M.Ungan organized and chaired, with Lionis, countries Symposium, in Copenhagen.

=>[egprn.org](http://egprn.org)=>about=>WWPR 2013-2016

We had a good promotion there Hanny worked well to get new members and sold T-Shirts



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# **WONCA Europe Conference**

## **Prague 28<sup>th</sup> June 1<sup>st</sup> July 2017**

- Continuation of country session
- Proposal of Primary Care Research Status in a template as a separate session
- Michael Harris EGPRN Collaborative on Cancer
- Promotion of Basic Online EGPRN Research Course in a Workshop (Ferdinando, Shlomo, Ana Luisa Neves)

- ***Hon. Treasurer's report*** Detailed report. EGPRN is doing well.
- K.Hendrickx explains, Estimated for 2017: EGPRN will be back in a good balance.
- For the year 2015 there was a rather big minus, now we changed the office with the Maastricht department (we pay less hours for the same work 4 days by EGPRN 1 day by Maastricht). Year after year we will save & gain money again.
- No NETWORK made a membership yet  
Just to remind again, EGPRN Council Decided & Accepted to offer a reduced Institutional membership to the 5 Wonca networks: Equip, VdG, Euripa, Euract, Europrev of €600 for 3 yrs. Every year those networks can send 2 members to EGPRN conferences at the price of a member conference fee.



# EGPRN'S NEW ICT – CONFERENCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM/-WEBSITES /ONLINE PAYMENT TOOL /RESEARCH DATABASE

- Tailor made for the office.
- USKUR from Turkey took the lead
- **Project leader Thomas Frese, members Shlomo, Claire, Davorina, Tiny, Hanny to revise the initial steps.**
- Present web will continue until the mid 2017
- Final aim is electronic archive and an auto-control management system independent from person.

# 2- Key Notes

Good discussions, high participant  
rate= 90%



## **FUTURE ORDINARY MEETINGS AND CENTRAL THEMES**

### ***A . 11-14 May 2017 in Riga-Latvia***

- **“REDUCING RISK OF NON COMMUNICABLE DISEASES IN GP/FM”**
- **Workshop Topics will be clear in a week**

**Deadline to submit abstracts: 15<sup>th</sup> January 2017**

### ***B. 19-22 October 2017. Dublin-Ireland***

- Looking for financial support with in Irelans
- **THEME: MENTAL HEALTH& PRIMARY CARE**

### ***C. 10-13 May 2018.*** Open for bid

No official Bid yet, France is thinking about a bid  
October 2018 Bosnia will prepare a bid  
At current there are no other bids.

# Horizon 2020

- **PROGRESS OF WORKING GROUP**

**Try to include EGPRN as much as possible in the project, since EGPRN is not considered as an academic institute that might develop otherwise**

Council wants EGRPN to be a partner otherwise EGPRN can be out

1. EGRPN as itself cannot be the Primary Investigator
2. Every effort must be made to make EGPRN a strong partner
3. The name EGPRN must be incorporated in every work package

# Committee Reports

## *a. Report of the Educational Committee*

- **Michael Harris 5 min (Pilot NEW Mentorship . Starts for 3 people chosen by EC and criteria 2 meetings presentation and ! )**
- **Ferdinando 5 min Research Course**
- **Shlomo (Tool-presentation online- 5 minutes RESEARCH COURSE starting)**
- **We need tutors preparing presentation and making online course- Address to Ferdinando & Shlomo**

## *b. Report of the PR & Communication Committee*

- Organizing the poster price, was done by Tiny
- The council members are invited to think about the outline of the future new EGPRN websites so please have a contact either with your Nat Reps or with the office
- Regular web site= [www.egprn.org](http://www.egprn.org) PLEASE READ THE CONTENT IS EVERYTHIN THERE DO YOU NEED ANYTHING TO BE PUT IN CONTENT?

## *d. Report of the Research Strategy Committee-RSC*

- Clarie reported **We don have any proposal for ths OCTOBER**
- **We have no proposal till October so EB decided that RSC may carry the fund to next year decision to be made by RSC and Treasurer**
- **FUND IS AVAILABLE YOU MAY SEND SMALL PROJECT PROPOSALS**
- The RSC need to consider in the future if we only fund he project at start-up or if we fund follow-up activities. Therefore, a need to review the rules, there needs to be a balance between quality and need.
- Every effort be made to include EGPRN as a partner and to include EGPRN as a vehicle to undertake the project. Subcontracting arrangements to be investigated. Workshop for WONCA – research priorities in different countries – possible
- Workshop at future workshop. As part of the H2020 project, 20 countries provided information; this is already collated - could be linked to the H2020 project.



# Thanks !

