Dear Colleagues,

As Europe watches with interest the campaigns for the US Presidential Election across the Atlantic, the Academy also prepares for a year of elections. Our Statutes allow our voting members to actively participate in the Academy’s life by democratically electing its leadership.

**Election of the President-Elect**

As Chairman/Chairwoman of the EADV Board and Executive Committee, the EADV President plays an important role in the life of the Academy because he or she is the Academy’s external representative. This year a new President-Elect will be selected for the period 2016-2018. He or she will then serve the Academy as EADV President in 2018-2020 and as Past President in 2020-2022.

The election of the President-Elect will be conducted electronically between August and September 2016 and the result of the election will be announced at the 2016 EADV Annual General Meeting on 30 September 2016 in Vienna. As done previously, this election will be administered by an independent electoral organisation, Electoral Reform Services of London, thereby guaranteeing that the voting process is both secret and confidential.

All EADV Members who, as of the deadline of 31 May 2016, have paid their membership fees and have been members of the Academy for one year, have the right to vote. Please ensure that we have an up-to-date email address or postal address for you so that you can receive your personal passwords in good time and participate in the election process.

**Election of Board Members**

Notwithstanding the general assembly, the Board of Directors is the principal decision-making body of the Academy. Currently the Board of Directors meets twice a year and takes decisions on the strategic, financial and structural issues of the Academy. In addition it elects the EADV Secretary General, the Treasurer, two Board Representatives to the Executive Committee as well as EADV Committee Members and Committee Chairs. EADV Board Members are elected from countries within the geographic boundaries of Europe for a three-year term. They can be re-elected once for a total maximum period of six years of service. EADV voting members in each country have the right to participate in the

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Without their devoted work it would be impossible to realise the Academy’s objectives. Committee members are elected by the Board of Directors and calls for nominations to serve as committee members are regularly published on the website and in EADV News. We are always searching for competent and active committee members and I strongly encourage you to apply for open committee positions in your field of interest and thereby contribute to the evolution and growth of our Academy.

In conclusion, I urge each and every one of you to contribute to the ongoing development of our Academy by participating in the aforementioned elections. In this way, we will come closer to achieving our common goal, i.e. to advance excellence in clinical care, research, education and training in the field of dermatology and venereology.

I wish you all a restful and relaxing summer.

Erwin Tschachler  
EADV President (2014-2016)
Fostering Dermatology & Venereology
Upcoming courses

**Training Courses for Residents 2016**

**Body Modifications**
15-17 September in Brussels, Belgium
Course chair: Dr C De Cuyper

**Lymphomas**
6-8 October in Bordeaux, France
Course chair: Prof M Beylot-Barry

**Bridging Dermatology and Rheumatology**
14-15 October in Jesi, Italy
Course chairs: Prof G Filosa and Prof F Rongioletti

**Hair and Scalp**
18-20 November in Bologna, Italy
Course chair: Prof B M Piraccini

**STIs**
23-25 November in Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Course chair: Prof H J C De Vries

**Cosmetics**
16-18 December in Brussels, Belgium
Course chair: Prof B Richert

**Training Courses for Specialists 2016**

**STIs**
18-20 August in Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Course chair: Prof H J C De Vries

**Proctology and Genital Diseases**
8-10 September in Vigo, Spain
Course chair: Prof C Rodriguez-Cerdeira

**Atopic Dermatitis**
9-10 September in Munich, Germany
Course chairs: Prof A Wollenberg and Prof U Darsow

**Wound Healing**
4-5 November in Bucharest, Romania
Course chair: Prof G S Tiplica

**Phlebology**
18-19 November in Düsseldorf, Germany
Course chair: Dr R Ostendorf

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**INFO**

- Resident courses are free of charge and EADV junior members receive a 400€ EADV grant.
- Specialist courses guarantee you CME points. The registration fee is 250€ for EADV members and 400€ for non-EADV members.

For further information, how to apply and deadlines, visit the Fostering Section on [www.eadv.org](http://www.eadv.org) or contact fostering@eadv.org

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Dates might be subject to modification.
Dear Colleagues,

Advancing dermatological and venereological care, education and research is the mission of the EADV, the largest Dermatology and Venereology organisation in Europe. Major progress has been made in the quality of the Congresses, Symposia and courses, attracting more than 12'000 participants each year.

Healthcare in Europe is at a time of unprecedented and rapid change, bringing new challenges and opportunities. Globalisation of healthcare delivery and education is in sight. The relationship with the pharmaceutical industry is changing due to increased regulation and transparency.

After serving four years as Secretary General, I am standing for the President-Elect Election with the aim of bringing the EADV closer to members and to patients, supporting the professional development of young colleagues and streamlining the decision making process to maintain EADV leadership.

**Bringing the EADV closer to members and to patients**

My goals are 1) to provide EADV members with easier access to information about EADV challenges and decisions 2) Facilitate care by supporting practitioners and patients with updated information about diseases and their treatment 3) Better incorporate patient contribution and defend easier access to dermatological and venereological care in Europe.

**Supporting the professional development of young colleagues**

Developing young doctors is building the future of our speciality. After having contributed to the different initiatives to support young colleagues (Masterclasses, scholarships), I am committed to facilitating the growth of the next generation of specialists helping them achieve their full potential.

Simplifying the decision making process in the EADV

The current EADV organisation is complex with little ability to act quickly. I am determined to work with the EADV staff, Board and Executive Committee to simplify internal regulations, build mutual trust beyond borders and regions, and promote the expression of diversity and multiculturalism, which are part of the core European identity.

Yours sincerely,

Carle Paul

For a full profile of the candidate, please visit www.eadv.org

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**Voting instructions**

The election will be conducted electronically utilising the services of an independent electoral organisation, Electoral Reform Services of London, which guarantees secret and confidential voting and has managed our past Presidential and Board elections satisfactorily.

**Members should ensure:**

(a) that they are entitled to vote according to the EADV Statutes and Rules

(b) that they duly communicate their most up-to-date contact information (especially email and postal addresses) to the Membership Department: membership@eadv.org

Members who do not have an email address will receive the necessary documentation by post.

The election will be held between August and September 2016. The result of the election will be announced during the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Academy.

For further information, please consult the EADV Statutes at [http://www.eadv.org/abouteadv/statutes/](http://www.eadv.org/abouteadv/statutes/)

Erwin Tschachler
EADV President (2014-2016)
Election to the Board of Directors 2016–2019

To the Specialist Members of EADV

Notice is hereby given that the following positions for the EADV Board of Directors will soon be open.

Voting members from the following countries are eligible to elect their national representatives to the EADV Board of Directors:

- AUSTRIA (1 vacancy)
- BELGIUM (2 vacancies)
- DENMARK (2 vacancies)
- FINLAND (1 vacancy)
- FRANCE (1 vacancy)
- ICELAND (1 vacancy)
- LITHUANIA (1 vacancy)
- PORTUGAL (1 vacancy)
- RUSSIA (1 vacancy)
- SERBIA (1 vacancy)
- SLOVAKIA (1 vacancy)
- SPAIN (1 vacancy)
- SWEDEN (1 vacancy)
- UKRAINE (1 vacancy)
- THE NETHERLANDS (1 vacancy)
- UNITED KINGDOM (1 vacancy)

Nominations for the position of representatives to the Board of Directors must be submitted to the Secretary General by Monday, 18 July 2016 at 24:00 Central European Summer Time.

All potential candidates are requested to carefully read and respect the following instructions:

- Only Specialist Members in good standing and with voting rights are entitled to stand for election.
- The nominees must represent the country in which their EADV membership is registered (i.e. Registration Country stated in the membership application).
- Candidates must be proposed and seconded by two EADV voting members in good standing who are registered in the same country as the nominee.
- The term of office of a Board Member is three years with a one-time possibility of re-election.

A complete application is comprised of the following:

1. The Nomination Form signed by the applicant and by the two endorsers
2. A short CV (max. 2 A4 pages)
3. Recent head and shoulders photograph
4. A Mission Statement (max. 300 words)
5. An updated and signed Conflict of Interest Disclosure Form
6. A signed Code of Conduct

The necessary forms as well as other relevant information can be found on the official EADV website (www.eadv.org). All documentation must be sent to eadvelections@eadv.org.

NB – no other means of submission and/or incomplete or late nominations will be accepted.

All applications will be subject to approval by the Nomination and Election Monitoring Committee (NEMC). All nominees will be required to sign a Code of Behaviour upon approval of the NEMC of the nomination. The election of EADV Board Members will be conducted electronically between August and September 2016. It will be managed by Electoral Reform Services (ERS) of London. The voting system used is safe and confidential.

Carle Paul MD PhD
EADV Secretary General

Michael Reusch MD
EADV Secretary General-Elect

June 2016
Notice is hereby given that positions on the following Committees will soon be open:

- Ethics Committee (1 vacancy)
- Fostering Trainee Education Committee (1 vacancy)
- Nomination and Election Monitoring Committee (1 vacancy)
- Statutes & Development Committee (1 vacancy)

Nominations for the position of Committee Member must be submitted to the Secretary General by Monday, 18 July 2016 at 24:00 Central European Summer Time.

All potential candidates are requested to carefully read and respect the following instructions:

- Only Specialist Members in good standing and with voting rights are entitled to stand for election.
- Candidates must be proposed and seconded by two EADV voting members in good standing.
- Each Committee should preferably have at least one member who is also a Member of the Board.
- The term of office of a Committee Member is four years.

A complete application is comprised of the following:

1. The Nomination Form signed by the applicant and by the two endorsers. Candidates must clearly indicate which Committee they are applying for on the Nomination Form.
2. A short CV (max. 2 A4 pages).
3. Recent head and shoulders photograph.
4. An updated and signed Conflict of Interest Disclosure Form.
5. A signed Code of Conduct.

The necessary forms as well as other relevant information can be found on the official EADV website (www.eadv.org). All documentation must be sent to eadvelections@eadv.org.

NB – no other means of submission and/or incomplete or late nominations will be accepted.

All applications will be subject to approval by the Nominations and Election Monitoring Committee (NEMC). All candidates will be required to sign a Code of Behaviour upon NEMC approval of the nomination.

Committee Members will be elected by the Board of Directors at the 50th Board Meeting to be held in Vienna in September 2016.

Committee meetings are normally held twice a year during the Spring Symposium and the Annual Congress.

Carle Paul MD PhD
EADV Secretary General

Michael Reusch MD
EADV Secretary General-Elect

June 2016
This year’s EADV Congress is a milestone in the Academy’s history, marking the 25th edition of our annual scientific and networking conference which has been growing in numbers and prestige over the past two decades.

A high-class programme will cover major topics such as skin cancer, allergy, inflammation, infectious diseases and clinico-pathological conditions in half- or full-day tracks.

Two consecutive full-day tracks will also be dedicated to genetic testing, classical and complex genetic diseases, as well as germline and somatic mutations in oncology.

In addition to the three-day scientific programme covering the latest developments in dermatology and venereology, ‘Aesthetic Sunday’ is back, offering a comprehensive overview of innovations in aesthetic and cosmetic dermatology.

There is also a whole day devoted to specialty meetings from both Europe and the rest of the world.

The programme has been divided into distinct colour-coded sections so you can see at a glance the sessions that are most relevant to your level and experience.

**Training and Educational Forum**

Aimed at residents and trainees in dermatology. These teaching sessions will focus on clinic reviews, basic diagnosis and day-to-day treatments.

**Expert Forum**

A space where the most experienced specialists can critically exchange and debate the latest developments in dermatology.

**Plenary Lectures**

Keynote presentations delivered by eminent scientists and doctors.

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**Review and Updates**

These sessions are aimed at Board-certified dermato-venereologists who are not exposed to the latest developments or hot topics. They will focus on clinical manifestations, histopathology, pathophysiology and treatment at a higher, more complex level.

Other programme highlights include the:

- Free Communications
- Spotlights
- Practical workshops
- Late-breaking news
- Interactive President’s Symposium
- Joint EADV-AAD Symposium
- ESDR Session

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For full programme details, please visit: [www.eadvvienna2016.org](http://www.eadvvienna2016.org)
PRE-REGISTER ONLINE!

Don’t miss the opportunity to make it a success…..
The EADV team looks forward to welcoming you in Vienna. Save time and pre-register online for the 25th EADV Congress and take advantage of the late registration fees!
Online pre-registration @ http://eadvviena2016.org/registration/how-to-register/

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* Online pre-registrations are possible until 14 September 2016 included; participants who wish to register after this date will have to proceed with the registration on-site.

Delegate registration fee includes:
- Delegate badge
- Admission to the EADV scientific sessions
- Admission to the Exhibition area, Satellite Symposia and Meet-the-Expert Sessions to Healthcare Professionals (HCPs) only.
- Possibility to collect ECMEC Credits on participation in EADV scientific sessions
- Congress material and Certificate of Attendance
- Admission to the Networking Symposium (28 September 2016)
- Admission to the Concluding Session (2 October 2016)

Please note the following:
- a) **1-day ticket**: the daily rate can only be requested once.
- b) **Industry participants**: This registration category has been created to enable employees from industry to have full access to events, (scientific sessions, industry sessions, exhibition).
- c) **Residents, Students and Nurses**: The online registration application must be accompanied by written proof of status (please see regulations on www.eadvvienna2016.org)

Only credit cards (Visa & MasterCard) and bank transfers (until the closure of the pre-registration period – **14 September, 2016**) will be accepted. Please note that in payments by bank transfers, the bank charges have to be paid by the delegate. Payments can be made in **Euros** only.

Methods of payment

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**By Credit card**
Payment is accepted by Visa or MasterCard credit cards only.

Registration terms and conditions are available on [http://eadvviena2016.org/registration/how-to-register/](http://eadvviena2016.org/registration/how-to-register/)
EADV Fellowships

The European Academy of Dermatology and Venereology is pleased to offer 500 fellowships of a reduced registration fee (EUR 100) to dermatologists and venereologists who are not otherwise supported to attend this event.

If you would like to apply for a fellowship, submit your online application including the following information:

- EADV Membership Number (if you are an EADV member)
- List of EADV events attended (Congress, Symposium, Fostering course or any other EADV event)
- Motivation to attend the Congress (3-5 sentences)

The fellowship application form as well as the fellowship Terms and Conditions are available on the EADV website: www.eadvvienna2016.org/grants/fellowship/

Please note that applicants will be contacted only by e-mail.

For further information, please contact: fellowship@eadv.org

Application deadline: 29 July 2016

Eli Lilly
Healthcare Provider Restrictive Grant

Eli Lilly wishes to support the attendees of the 25th EADV Congress in Vienna, Austria by offering the Healthcare Provider Grant to help cover the costs of attending the Congress. The grant will be distributed in a fair (balanced) geographic representation.

Eligible countries (determined by the sponsor)

Applicants must be currently practising within Argentina, Austria, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Columbia, Croatia, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Taiwan or the United Kingdom.

Mandatory criteria for grant application

- Must be a young dermato-venereologist or resident/trainee under 35 years of age.
- Must have adequate knowledge of the English language to follow scientific discussions.
- A preference will be given to medical doctors who have actively submitted EADV abstracts, posters or clinical presentations for utilisation in future EADV educational activities.

Find out more soon on www.eadv.org!
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Calendar of Events

> 2016

5th Congress of the Psoriasis International Network - Psoriasis 2016  
7-9 July 2016  
Paris, France

International Conference on Tropical Dermatology (ICTD) 2016  
11-14 August 2016  
Colombo, Sri Lanka

16th World Congress on Cancers of the Skin  
31 August - 3 September 2016  
Vienna, Austria

13th Congress of the European Society of Contact Dermatitis  
14-17 September 2016  
Manchester, UK

25th EADV Congress  
28 September - 2 October 2016  
Vienna, Austria

2nd International Conference of Dermatology  
20-22 October 2016  
Kathmandu, Nepal

Vitiligo International Symposium  
2-3 December 2016  
Rome, Italy

> 2017

XII International Congress of Dermatology  
18-22 April 2017  
Buenos Aires, Argentina

14th EADV Spring Symposium  
25-28 May 2017  
Brussels, Belgium

26th EADV Congress  
13-17 September 2017  
Geneva, Switzerland

9th World Congress of Melanoma  
18–21 October 2017  
Brisbane, Australia

> 2018

15th EADV Spring Symposium  
3-6 May 2018  
Budva, Montenegro

27th EADV Congress  
12-16 September 2018  
Paris, France

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24th World Congress of Dermatology  
10-15 June 2019  
Milan, Italy

28th EADV Congress  
9-13 October 2019  
Madrid, Spain

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