

Dear EUROPSO Members,

In May 2007 a new executive board was elected at the EUROPSO GENERAL ASSEMBLY in Paris.

President:	Ottfrid Hillmann, Germany
Vice President:	Antoinette Romeo, Belgium
Treasurer:	Philippe Piels, Luxembourg
Secretary:	André Cats, Netherlands
Member:	Eusebio Castillo, Spain
1st Substitute Member:	Viveca Lindahl, Sweden
2nd Substitute Member:	Tiina Pollumägi, Estonia
3rd Substitute Member:	Ole J. Sletvold, Norway

First we had to rebuild our organisation. Now each board member has computer and internet. A lot of old documents are missing. Later we found this and it has been handed over to André. Ottfrid combined a business trip to Helsinki and visited Mirja Liisa and Seppo to get Informations about the history of EUROPSO.

The next trip was Iceland. Valgerdur and the team of the Blue lagoon did take care of us. Many thanks for that. Ottfrid got a lot of information and documents. That created the start easier. It was very helpfull for us.

Our plan was a boardmeeting quarterly. We start in Luxembourg. Our second Meeting was in Frankfurt and it was a great pleasure for us to welcome some members of the old board. Valgerdur from Iceland, Patricia from France and Paul from Belgium came to this meeting and this was very helpfull to get a good start.

We were happy to welcome SLOVENIA as a new member.

EUROPSO got a new website. The new address is: www.europso.eu

In 2008 EUROPSO started with an INFOLETTER 4 times a year. This infoletter is published on the website and send to the members by mail.

The board was present by:

17th EADV CONGRESS Paris 2008
German WPD 2008
Belgium WPD 2008
Helsinki Abbott meeting 2008
Wyeth advisor board meeting Madrid 2008
EADV Congress Bucharest 2009
Start of the „Naked True campaign“ in Amsterdam 2009
EADV Congress Berlin 2009
European Psoriasis Patient Advisor boardmeeting Berlin 2009
IMID Conference Copenhagen 2009
IfpA Congress Stockholm 2009
Psoriasis Congress Poland 2009
EPF General Assembly & Seminar 2010, May 2010, Brussels

IfpA and EUROPSO were present in Paris as guests from French association at the Rollerblade race. It was a huge success. In Paris we start several intensiv meetings with IfpA to discuss common intrests.

In Stockholm we meet Prof. Baran who asked us to help, that the 5 Polish associations united into one Organisation to provide the biologic medicins better. We want Poland to succeed his mission. Congratulation to the Polish organisations that they buildup one umbrella organisation in Poland.

In 2009 we are happy to welcome the next new member. „The Ukraine“.

On the EADV Congress in Berlin 2009 we build up the EUROPSO Medical advisor's board.

We are happy to welcome as boardmembers:

Mr. Peter CM van de Kerkhof, MD, PhD
Radboud University Medical Centre Netherland

Prof. Jonathan Barker MD FRCP FRCPATH
St. John's Institute of Dermatology (Kings College)
London / England

Prof. Dr. Wolfram Sterry
Head of Clinic of Dermatology
Charité Berlin Germany

Prof. Christopher E.M. Griffiths
Prof. of Dermatology and Associate Dean of Research
Faculty of Medicine and Human Sciences
Manchester / GB

Many thanks to our Sponsors. They made our work much easier. It was a great help for us.

Shering and Plough did support EUROPSO every year and gave an extra amount to organise the GENERAL ASSEMBLY 2010

Janssen & Cilag supported the GENERAL ASSEMBLY 2010 too.

Talks has been started with Pfizer this year.

We thanks all our members and our sponsors for the help in the last 3 years. It was a great pleasure for all boardmembers to work together with you.