



European Academy of Paediatrics

Paediatric Section of U.E.M.S

## EUROPEAN BOARD OF PAEDIATRICS MINUTES

SPRING MEETING 2022

MALTA (HYBRID) May 14, 2022

10.00 – 12.00 CET

*List of attendees that signed the register attached*

**1. Welcome and apologies**

**2. Approval of the current agenda & the [minutes of the previous EBP meeting \(December 2021\)](#)**

No comments received, the minutes were approved

**3. Matters arising**

The chair commented that no questions had been submitted following the request in December!

**4. Welcome to new Chair (Rob Ross Russell, RRR)**

RRR welcomed Professor Liviana Da Dalt to her role. She replied thanking RRR for his activity to date

**5. European exam update (Liviana Da Dalt, LDD)**

LDD reviewed the history and successes of the exam, and emphasised the work still needed, in particular the question writing. She welcomed Professor Hoyer to his post as Examination Officer. The next examination is planned for November 2022.

## **6. EBP Learning update (Valentina Ferraro, VF)**

VF presented the work of her group, especially work done by herself with Francesca Seregni, Kathy Gallagher and RRR. This has been focused in two areas – the EAP Learning app and the CKP course. The presentation can be viewed [here](#). The CKP course was a great success last year and will be run again this year in October, ahead of the exam. Volunteers to write new material were encouraged to approach her.

## **7. Committee structure proposals (LDD)**

RRR and LDD presented a potential committee structure for EBP made up of five working group: examination committee, education committee, accreditation committee, ETRs development working group, UEMS liaison group. It was clarified that delegates were not being asked to formally approve the structure, but that it was for discussion.

## **8. UEMS activities**

### **i. Accreditation (Gröningen/Hannover)**

RRR presented the report of a visitation to a training centre in Gröningen and Hannover.

Following a number of recommendations by the group, the centre have adjusted their training, and the centre was recommended for approval. At a vote in the meeting, there was unanimous support for recognising the centre. The approval will be communicated to UEMS.

## **9. Any other business**

There was none

Meeting closed 12.00 CET