

EONS
Spring
Convention **7**

15-16 April 2010

THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS

7th EONS Spring Convention in partnership with V&VN

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Vereniging van Verpleegkundigen
Oncologie



EONS General Meeting 16 April 2010

The Hague, The Netherlands



Revising the Constitution & Bye-laws-1

Constitution:

- 11.1 Proposals to amend the constitution **and the bye-laws** will be made to the President at least two calendar months before the next meeting and will have the support of at least ten full members of the Society.
- 11.4 Amendments to the constitution **and the bye-laws** must be agreed by at least 75% of the members present and voting at the General Meeting.

Bye-laws:

- 2.3.2 **Ideally** the ~~three sequential~~ Presidents of the Society should be from different countries.



Revising the Constitution & Bye-laws-2

Legal Response from Lee Bolton Mounier-Williams Solicitors

THE EUROPEAN ONCOLOGY NURSING SOCIETY

You have informed me that there were some issues raised at the recent general meeting of the Society regarding the proposed minor amendments to the constitution of the Society and in particular regarding the interpretation of certain provisions.

The process that was followed at the general meeting was based on the advice given by this firm in the context of the Society's current constitution. I am aware that the constitution is perhaps not as clear as it could be in certain areas but I am still of the view that the process undertaken to pass the very minor amendments to the constitution was properly carried out and therefore the decision was valid.

Next Steps - Solicitor recommends to:

- (i) amend Constitution & Bye-laws;
- (ii) follow election process
- (iii) approach Charity Commission for advice on documentation



Election Result: President-Elect

Following postal election process, result announced
by email & on website on 15 February

Birgitte Grube

Steven O'Connor

Daniel Kelly

Alexander Molassiotis

Members invited to approve result



New look Board for 2009-2011

Board Members for 2009-2011



Sultan Kav: President

Birgitte Grube: President-Elect

Sara Faithfull: Past President

Kay Leonard: Treasurer

Ulrika Östlund: Board Secretary

Françoise Charnay-Sonnek

Dimitrios Papageorgiou

Anita Margulies

Danny Kelly

Mary Wells



Past

Personal

- ▶ 45 years
- ▶ Married, twin girls now 12
- ▶ Live just outside Copenhagen in Roskilde

Professional

- ▶ RN in 1987
- ▶ Master degree in Adult Education and Human Resource Development in 2003
- ▶ Always worked in the cancer field:
 - ▶ The first 10 years as a clinical nurse in a surgical/haematological/oncology department and later as coordinator for patients undergoing bone marrow transplantation
 - ▶ The last 13 years with education for advanced cancer nurses



Present

Two main tasks which occupy most of my professional time:

- President of the Danish Cancer Nursing Society from 2003 to present
- Training Manager for the education of cancer nurses
 - Last responsible for the establishment of the new Specialist Cancer Nurse Training Programme – now a protected title for specialization with education executive order from the Danish National Board of Health
 - Developing e-learning



Future

- ▶ EONS President Elect and in autumn 2011 President 😊
 - ▶ Continue working for an accredited european education for specialist cancer nursing
 - ▶ Raise the polical awareness of how important cancer nurses are in providing the best possible care for patients
 - ▶ The future challenge for EONS in targeting new ways to secure financial support and source other alternatives



Past President's Report 2007-2009

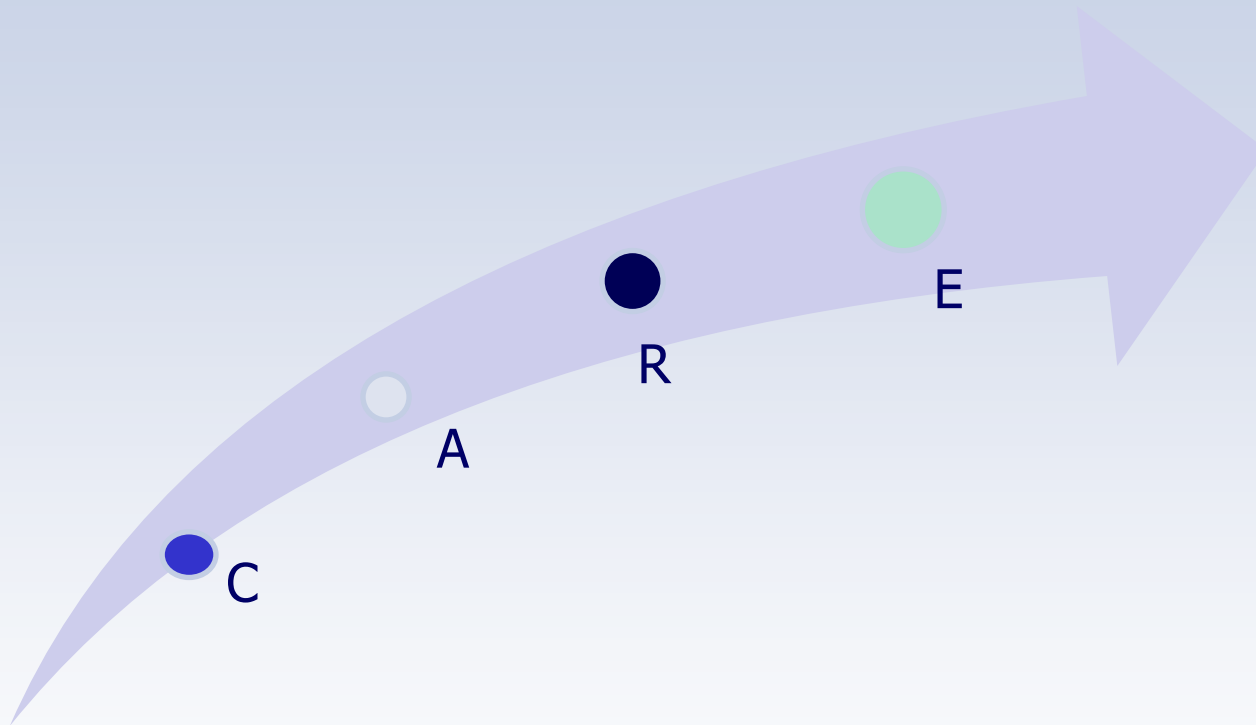
- Aim was to improve transparency in line with UK charity status, modernise and engage more closely with members
- Transition and change for the team
- Remaining cost effective but professionalising
- Engaging with national nursing societies, patient groups and political bodies



Role of President



President's Strategic Direction



Review the Strategy & update if needed
Develop work plan of activities
Review annually for progress



EONS Vision

Moving forward together to realise the potential of cancer nursing across Europe



EONS Mission

- The Mission of EONS is to promote a healthier future for people affected by cancer, ensuring that they will benefit from the care of well educated, perceptive and proficient cancer nurses.



EONS Values

Inclusive

Supportive

Credible

Practical

Effective



CARE strategy



Treasurer's Report

Budgetary planning 2010-2011

- Lower income in light of recession
- Consolidate our activity and deliverables
- Reducing our salary costs to reflect this
- Diversifying income streams
- Professionalising our communications to encourage income support
- Providing balance between activity against income

Demonstrate transparency and public benefit



Budgetary Planning: 2009-2010 Income

FY	2009/10 (estimate)	2008/9	2007/8
Membership	128,000	127,300	126,300
Advertising	16,000	45,700	50,000
Bank interest	5,000	8,700	19,100
Accreditation	3,500	5,200	(7,500)
EJON royalty	5,300	6,300	12,100
Congresses	350,000 (425)	485,000	85,500
Restricted funds	37,500	100,000	-

All figures shown in €



Income Update-1

Berlin ECCO-ESMO 2009

Congress profit-share of total profit - 6.230.550€

Divided:

ECCO costs – 3.000.000€ allocated

Share between 6 Founding Members - 3.230.550€

ESMO – 50%

5 Founding Societies split remainder using metric

ECCO15-ESMO34: **€346.982 (106,5%)**

ECCO 14: €325.805



Income Update-2

Den Haag EONS-7 2010:

Profit or Loss?

More news soon – watch website & email



EONS Activities



Activities are undertaken that deliver benefit to Members.
Each activity delivers part of the overall strategy



Communication

- Advisory Council - November 2010
- General Meeting - Spring 2010
- Congresses (EONS Spring & ECCO-ESMO)
- Newsletter - 4 per year
- Website - public(live) & members area(in 2010)
- Working Groups (WG's) - as appropriate

....Phone, Emails, website email, etc.



Communication-Newsletter & Website



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Empowering Cancer Nurses in Europe

News

- Complete EONS Nursing track Announced for ECCO 15-ESMO 34, Berlin, Germany >> [View the programme](#)
- EONS General Meeting during ECCO 15 - ESMO 34 Multidisciplinary Congress, Berlin, Germany >> [View the draft agenda](#)

Events

- ECCO 15-ESMO 34, Berlin, Germany 20 - 24 Sept 2009 including an specialist oncology nursing track supported by EONS >> [View the programme](#)
- EONS Society Session during ECCO 15-ESMO 34, Berlin, Germany >> [View the programme](#)
- EONS Spring Congress in collaboration with V&Vn: 15 & 16 April 2010, The Hague, The Netherlands Abstract and Fellowship opportunities available. >> [View the draft programme](#) >> [View the invitation to industry](#)

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WORKSHOP INVITATION: Innovation in coaching & mentoring: Developing specialist cancer nurses for the future

The aim of the workshop is to introduce particpants to new ways of coaching in health care education and share best practice.
 >> [Find out more](#)

LAUNCHED: EONS Breast Care Nursing Post Basic Curriculum

The curriculum will be launched at the ECCO 15 - 34 ESMO Multidisciplinary Congress on 20 September 2009.
 To learn more about this specialist nursing curriculum follow the link below.
 >> [Find out more](#)

Web development supported by ESO and cancervorld.org. cancervorld.org is supported through unrestricted educational grants from Amgen (Founding Sponsor), Merck Serono and Roche (Sponsors).

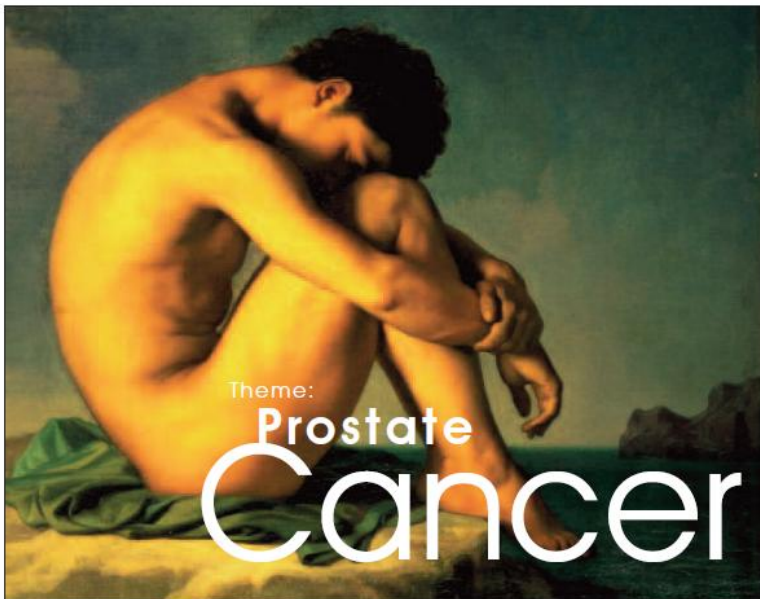
CANCERWORLD
 The online world of oncology

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NURSING AT THE HEART OF PATIENT CARE

eons EUROPEAN ONCOLOGY NURSING SOCIETY newsletter

Winter 2009



Theme:
Prostate Cancer

President Sultan Kay speaks out
 Interview by: Jim Boumeha

Screening: PSA test is not the answer
 by: Mark R. Haythorn and Richard J. Abidin

Surviving Cancer, Living Life:
 a nurse-led telephone service
 by: Jannike Nordlund and Jan Hansson

Working Groups

Interested in working with us more closely?

Communication

Research (inc. research grants & awards)

Education (inc. educational grants & awards)

Breast Cancer Curriculum

Lung Cancer Curriculum + BREATHE

Febrile Neutropenia Project

Skeletal Care Academy

Prevent e-learning

TITAN

target

PSA

EONS Newsletter team

ECCO 16-ESMO 36 Nursing track

ECCO 16-ESMO 36: Symptom Science track

EONS 7 Spring Convention Committee

EONS 8 Spring Convention Committee

Website team

Accreditation

European Partnership for Action Against Cancer

ONS PEP's

Breakthrough Cancer Pain

Post-Basic Curriculum update

Advocacy / Policy

Extravasation guidelines review?

Kidney Cancer education?

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Advocacy

- European Partnership Action against Cancer (EPAAC)
- Participation at the Gastein EU Health Policy forum
- Input into EU green paper on healthcare workforce
- Nurses represented in the cancer scientific community
- Survey of specialist nursing within Europe



European Partnership for Action Against Cancer



- Focus of partnership will be activities at European level that can bring added value to member states
 - Health promotion and prevention
 - **Identification and promotion of good practice in cancer related healthcare**
 - Coordinated and collaborative approach to cancer research
 - Health information and collection of data



European Partnership for Action Against Cancer



Realising Your Potential

- Radiotherapy side effects: e-learning
- Post-basic Curriculum update
- Congresses: instructional sessions



Side effects of radiotherapy

- ▶ Radiotherapy is an important treatment modality for cancer therapy
- ▶ Based on ESTRO/EONS PREVENT conference
- ▶ Side effect management a key role for nurses
- ▶ EONS online course
- ▶ 4 weeks of 3 hours per week
- ▶ Pilot in June
- ▶ Application necessary



EONS-8

Valencia, Spain:

- Southern destination & original city
- Conference centre perfectly fits requirements
- Meeting space flexible to new projects
- Competitive rates both for venue and hotels
- Potential good support from national society
- Limited distance and easy connections between airport, conference centre, hotels, city centre, and beach area



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The European Oncology Nursing Society presents:
25-28 April 2012
VALENCIA, SPAIN



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See you at the
16TH ECCO - 36TH ESMO
Multidisciplinary Cancer Congress
STOCKHOLM, 23-27 SEPTEMBER 2011

ESMO
36**



Nursing track in
collaboration with the
**Swedish Oncology Nursing
Society**

Symptom science track

We hope to see you in
Stockholm 2011!!!

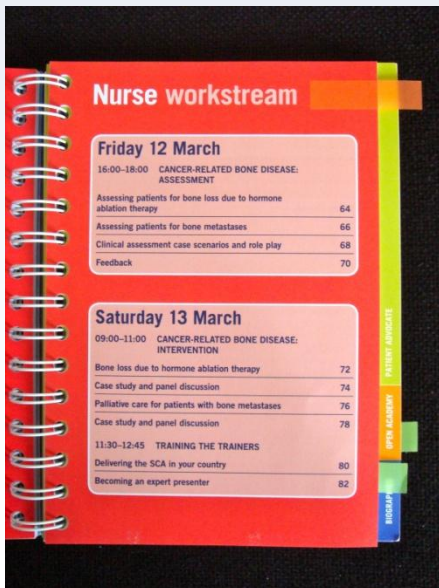
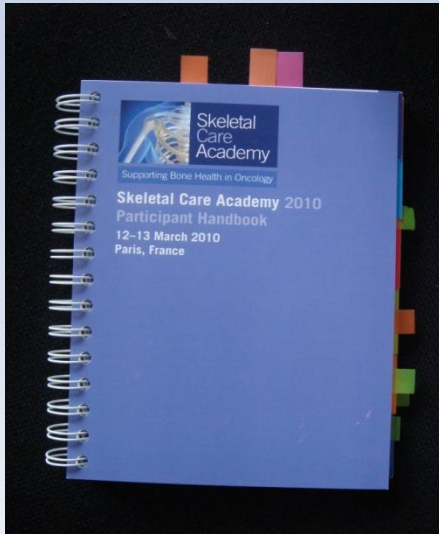


Enhancing Clinical Practice

- Skeletal Care Academy
- Febrile Neutropenia results (poster)
- Grants & Awards



Skeletal Care Academy



Grants & Awards 2009-2010

- Novice Researcher Award 2010: Beate SENN
- **target** Translation Grants : Polish Nursing Society
- EONS 7 Congress Awards: 40 awards
(Amgen & Pfizer sponsored)
- Clinical Travel Grant 2010: (6 applications received)
- Clinical Travel Grant 2009: Alessandra MILANI



EONS Clinical Travel Grant to create a Clinical Tutorship toolkit

Alessandra Milani
Research Nurse
Patient Care Services
European Institute of Oncology
Milan



Where?

- ▶ Trento Hospital is the best example of tutorship in Italy due to its collaboration with McMaster University
- ▶ they are examining new professional training approaches for expert nurses to become coaches/mentors as described by Benner

Why?

- ▶ Developing skills to help nurses in “reflection in action”
- ▶ Learning skills to develop clinical competences, studying in-depth briefing, debriefing and self-learning plans
- ▶ Exploring the relationship between tutor and student concerning strategies in:
 - ▶ Communication
 - ▶ Problematic situations
 - ▶ Educational setting



How?

My educational days were planned in this way:

- ▶ in the morning I followed the tutor in the clinical setting of the medical and oncological wards;
- ▶ in the afternoon I attended university activities such as: briefing, Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE), Evidence Report presentation, debriefing;
- ▶ twice in the month I had a debriefing with my study coordinator



What?

I lived the experience of:

- The use of the diary developing a lot of skills: observation, documentation, reflection..
 - The briefing which is the first step in an educational program where learning contract has been explained
 - The debriefing that is a moment where novices or students sit round a table with the expert or tutor and discuss a problematic situation.
- Several strategy to develop reflection such as:
- “stop and think”
 - discussion of a case study developed around a real or hypothetical patient
 - self-learning plans
 - Use of questions and feedback



CONCLUSIONS

Clinical Tutorship is something who can develop changes not only in knowledge or skills, but in a more general sense who can work, using reflectivity, to build a personality, not only professional but personal too.

Thanks to this experience we designed an educational event approved by EONS on “Clinical Tutorship in Oncology Nursing”

As nurses we are not being professional if we are not able to place our knowledge at the disposal of new nurses or students



Open Grants & Awards 2010

EPE Excellence in Patient Education

Call for nomination 2010

Deadline: 2 June 2010, 5pm (CET)

TITAN Dissemination Project Award

Deadline: 28 October 2010, 5pm (CET)

Mentoring Research Grant to be announced

Major Research Grant to be announced



target Translation Grants



Four grants per year- €5k each

Application forms at EONS Secretariat

All files must be translated, not just a part of the material.

Copy of translated materials to EONS files

Alternatively:

Translation costs, full or partial coverage, may be organised by the society themselves with support from the local pharmaceutical representatives



**Thank you for participating
actively in your Society**



Safe travels!

