

ESICM
Nursing and Allied Health Professionals Open Committee Meeting

10th October 2010
07.30-09.00

Meeting minutes
Chair : Outgoing Ruth Endacott (UK), incoming Christina Jones (UK)

Present

Ruth Endacott, Christina Jones, Stijn Blot, Freda de Keyser Ganz, Ana Rosa, Terry O'Reilly, Jos Latour, Julie Benbenishty, Sonia Labeau, Barbara Mclean, Carl Bäckmann, Dominique Vandijck

Minutes from March 2010

The minutes from the Committee meeting in March 2010 were adopted.

Elections 2010

A welcome was extended to the new committee members Freda de Keyser Ganz, Stijn Blot, Terry O'Reilly and Katherina Iliopoulou. A welcome was also extended to Christina Jones who has been voted in as the new chair. Ana Rosa is continuing for a further 18 months. Ruth thanked George Ntoumenopolous and Jos Latour for their work for the committee over the past three years.

Update

New Offices

ESICM now have new offices in the centre of Brussels with space for running meetings. There are good facilities and the rooms can be booked in advance to fit around other business meetings.

Registry (ERIC)

The registry is going live shortly and e-mails will be sent out to members to enter data about their ICU on the web-based database.

Edwards Nursing Science Award

The Edwards Lifesciences Nursing award has been withdrawn. Nursing is not the only award to be withdrawn by Edwards. Nurses & AHPs will be able to apply for other ESICM awards.

Highlights for Barcelona

There is a NAHP reception this evening at 5.30 pm in room BM2 funded by Elsevier. As this had not really been advertised fully so the attendees were encouraged to advertise the reception by word of mouth. Tomorrow there is a Spanish track day with dual translation English to Spanish and Spanish to English.

Elsevier Intensive and Critical Care Nursing Award

The second award funding a nurse who has had an abstract accepted to presented at Congress was awarded. The award covers registration at the Congress, travel and accommodation.

Berlin Programme 2011

- A thematic session on the multi-disciplinary View of Bariatric Critical Care.
- A thematic session on Caring for the spinal cord injury patient with a presentation from a patient with experience of such an injury.
- A thematic session on Fulfilling patient & family needs during and after critical illness.
- Potential for whole day German translation track depending on how successful the Spanish Track day is.
- Continuing professional development session on Working in new ways to implement evidenced based care

New research project

It was suggested that the next project from the NAHP committee should look at using patient scenarios to examine ESICM NAHP members' knowledge of delirium, its recognition and treatment. Christina Jones will be developing this project over the next few months.

Date and Time of next meeting

The next NAHP committee meeting will be at the 31st ISICEM meeting in Brussels in March 2011, date and time to be confirmed.