



Membership Online Letter (MOL)

1/04

**Don't forget to vote!
Elections for ESOP Secretariats.**

Dear colleagues,

in the last MOL we asked you to announce yourself if you disagree to be an ESOP member. It is a pleasure for me to tell you, that NOBODY has announced himself. That gives us the right to say that all EU-ISOPP members can be counted from this day without doubt as ESOP members. It is a great honour for the delegates and the secretariat to see that our work is accepted in such an **unanimous** way by you all. Thank you very much.

Klaus Meier asked the delegates to consider changing the status of our society to a federal society. To implement this kind of status there must be a national working group of ESOP members in every European country. The national group would choose one delegate for every particular ESOP meeting.

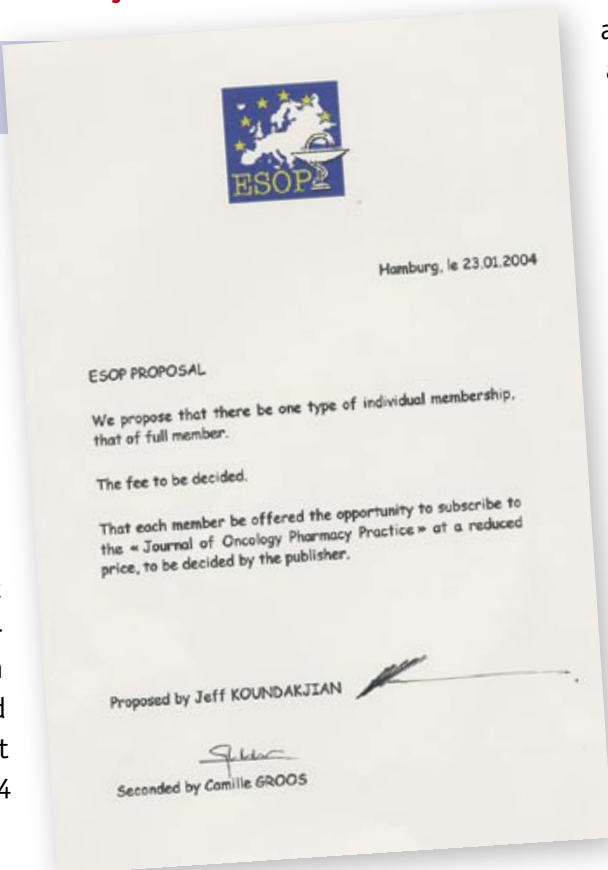
Vote: accepted unanimously.

Some topics from the 8th ESOP delegates meeting that has been held besides the 12th NZW in Hamburg on 22nd and 23rd January 2004

2. 2nd European Conference on Quality standard in Oncology Pharmacy Service in Luxembourg (24-25 September 2004)

1. ESOP – membership – ISOPP

The issue of ISOPP membership fee was discussed. Jeff Koundakjian officially proposed to present the demand of ESOP delegates to set two kinds of fee, one for full members who want to receive the Journal of Oncology Pharmacy Practice and second for those (also full members) who do not want to receive the JOPP. That proposal was officially written down and will be presented to the ISOPP Secretariat at ISOPP IX in Turin in April 2004 to be decided.



Camille Groos reported, and after some discussions we agreed in the following "pre-agenda":

Friday 24th of September

14.00 - 16.00: plenary session with guest speakers (to define !!!!)

16.00 – 18.00: Working in 5 different workshops

Saturday 25th of September:

9.00 – 12.00 and 13.00 – 15.00: Continuing work in the 5 workshops

15.30-17.00: Plenary session: presentation of the conclusions of each workshop



The 5 workshops:

1. Education and Training (Dr Franca GOFFREDO and Jeff KOUNDAKJIAN)
2. Technical aspects (Dr Peter VAN BALEN and Dr Gabi GENTSCHER)
3. Pharmaceutical Care - patient safety (Kathleen SIMONS and Michael HÖCKEL)
4. Quality Management (Elisabeth GRIMM and Jordi MASSO)
5. Research and development (Dr Robert TERKOLA and Per HARTWIG)

Registration fee will be approx. 280 € (all inclusive except hotel accomodation)

From each country up to ten members should be present. In addition delegates from the EAHP, GERPAC and other groups being involved in Oncology Pharmacy have been invited to attend.

Please communicate number and names of colleagues from your country to the secretariat until the 30th April 2004:

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3. Election of Officers

President of ESOP proposed election of officers which would be responsible for:

- CPD – Jeff Koundakjian came forward and was accepted and Per Hartvig was elected as a support
- ECCO 13 in October 2005 – Per Hartvig was elected for the scientific part and Yvan Huon for the organizing part
- Cooptation for Secretariat affaires
 - i. Vesna Pavlica was accepted by delegates to help vice-president
 - ii. Agnieszka Jarmolowicz was accepted by delegates to work with Secretary

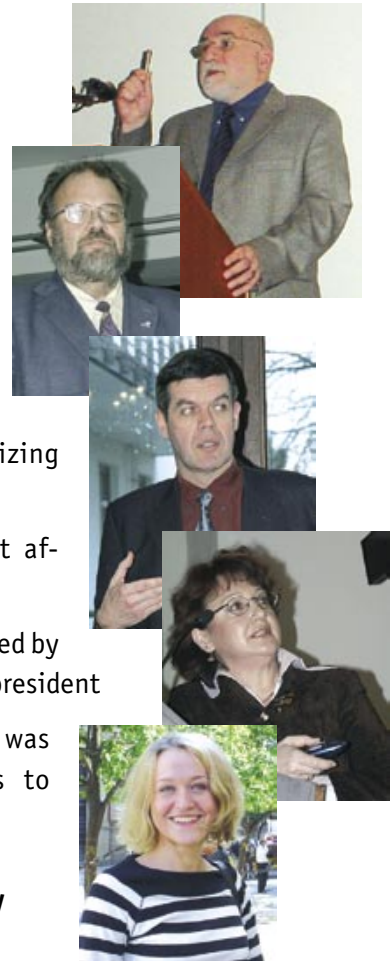
Vote: accepted unanimously

4. European Journal of Hospital Pharmacy – decision

Proposal of ESOP member's involvement in publishing in the European Journal of Hospital Pharmacy and receiving this journal for free was unanimously accepted by delegates.

Vote: accepted unanimously

Members should have had received the 1/2004 issue with an article from ESOP President. All members being interested to publish an article in the EJHP in this year are requested to announce themselves to the secretariat.





Letter of Interest between ESOP and EJHP

28th January 2004

To : Dr Klaus Meier
President ESOP

Please find below a summary of a draft Letter of Interest on co-operation between ESOP and EJHP based on our telephone discussion for your onward comments and agreement.

1. ESOP members will contribute general articles to EJHP for publication. Topics are to be defined or discussed between ESOP and EJHP editorial team relevant to the theme / cover story of EJHP, and subject to approval by EJHP's Editor-in-Chief.

Suggest to contribute 2 to 3 times in EJHP 2004.

2. ESOP members will contribute scientific articles to EJHP's scientific section for publication in EJHP, after review and approval by EJHP's Scientific Board

3. Complimentary copies of EJHP will be distributed to ESOP members. Some of ESOP members are already members of EAHP, therefore, we need to check on ESOP's members list to avoid duplication.

Best Regards,
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Associate Publisher

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Vesna Pavlica invited everyone for the next oncology congress in Croatia (20-23 June 2004). She asked for support from european pharmacists whose power could influence the development of a new pharmaceutical law in Croatia.

Homepage updated

The homepage has been updated again. You will easily be able to switch to the updates areas. Many new informations are present for Poland, Czech, Cyprus and we are happy to welcome now delegates from Greece and Finland.



Latest news by Esop online



Here is the final program of the IX ISOPP in Turin (IT)



"The ESOP delegates from 14 countries have been present in Hamburg from 22th to 23th January to discuss the important steps for their work in future."

Screenshot: www.esop.li



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Croatia

The Croatian Oncology Congress for physicians, nurses and pharmacists was held in Croatia in November 2003. Members of ESOP had the opportunity to discuss with the participants the great success in patient treatment by good cooperation between pharmacists and other health care workers.





The 12th NZW, the German Conference for Oncology Pharmacy and the 2nd European Conference together with more than 600 participants was closed by Klaus Meier. He took the ESOP flag as cape to show that under such a protection Oncology Pharmacy has grown and became a wellknown factor in Europe.

Continous education - get points

Please use the opportunity to read the article about extravasation and note your answers. If you are right you will get an certificate about 1 point for continious online education. In the next month

we will switch to another topic. Don't hesitate to make a point.

Short cut about salary of pharmacists – a kind reflection about membership fee

This overview about the income of pharmacists in Europe does not tell us something about the costs of renting an apartment, or other costs. Sometimes only the look at the service station in different countries gives us the knowledge about the different costs.

This list shall show us the difference of income in a simple way. We have to ask ourselves if it should not really be necessary to decrease the membership fee in societies like ISOPP if we want to win more people also from countries with very low salary.

Country	Pharmacist (average) Brutto € (includes tax and social tax) month	Netto (after paying taxes etc) € month	Chief (average) Brutto € (includes tax and social tax) month	Netto (after paying taxes etc) € month
Austria	3000	1800	3900	2300
Belgium	3612	1980	4734	2437
Czech Rep	600		1000	
Croatia	-	500	-	700
Cyprus	1700	1450	2400	1880
Denmark	4100		5200	
France	3000		7000	
Germany	3000	2000	3900	2500
Italy	6385	2870	8500	3700
Luxembourg	4800	3200	5600	3900
Poland	-	300	-	550
Slovenia	-	780	-	1130
Switzerland	4600	3388	7300	5100
Sweden	2900		3500	



Spill kit in now 11 languages available.

Hear you see the cover sheets of the ESOP approved spill kit who should give all Oncology pharmacists the opportunity to present the results of good co-operation in Oncology Pharmacy in Europe to all other healthcare workers.

Some companies in Germany, Austria, Italy and Slovenia have taken the opportunity to buy this Spill Kit and to distribute it to the wards and pharmacy departments.

If you like to get the coversheet for your own presentation you can switch to the ESOP.li homepage in the next few weeks. In addition the delegates of your country have got an unique presentation by powerpoint in order to be able to train on a national level all people who like to be able to use the spill kit in the right way.

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Congratulations

Dear Saad,
 from the ESOP Secretariat congratulations to you as the new ISOPP President elect.

