Constructive dialogue and effective co-operation in Surgery: key factors for success

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Collaboration between the UEMS and European Scientific Societies

- We are inspired by the same ideals
- We serve the same ideas
UEMS Section of Surgery

- 9 Divisions

  General Surgery
  Breast
  Colorectal
  Endocrine
  Hand
  HPB
  Surgical Oncology
  Transplantation
  Trauma
Division of Transplantation

- European Transplant Boards of:
  - Surgery
  - Medicine
  - Coordination
  - Immunology
A great success story which is 7 years old now..
Elements of success

- Formal/ Mutual respect
- Pioneering
- Robust quality control
- Ever developing and advancing
Formal

- Collaboration established per statute
- Representation of the European Societies in the Executive of the 4 Boards
- Educational portfolio of the European Societies: EACCME accredited and part of the UEMS-ETR
Pioneering

**European Transplant Boards**
- Modular system
  - Surgery
- Medicine
- Coordination
- Immunology

**Projects**
- Exams
- Preparatory courses
- Honorary diplomas
- Accreditation of centres
Transplant Professionals Accredited

- ESOT Vienna Congress, September 2014: 57 Transplant Professionals got accredited

- Just for Transplantation Surgery (7 years): ~182 surgeons have passed the exam
  ~178 surgeons have been awarded the honorary Diploma

*From Europe and beyond!*
Quality control

- Minutes per examinee per module
- Discussion by all members of the examination boards
- Report to the UEMS-ESOT
- External examiners/ Report
- CESMA-UEMS appraisal every three years
Ever advancing
Ever advancing

Mentorship
Straight Ahead

Mentorship Program:
CREATE A BETTER WORLD

"Mentor: Someone whose hindsight can become your foresight." — Anonymous.
Ever advancing
Ever advancing
THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION