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CESMA Spring 2023 Meeting AGENDA

Casa La Salle, Roma

Friday 5th May, 2023

13:30 Introduction and welcome Maeve Durkan, President
Roll call of attendees

Standard setting in examinations (Part 1)

Chair: Maeve Durkan

13:45 – Two quizzes, 1 & 2 (Delegates to complete)
14:15

Multiple Choice Question writing workshop

14:15 – Introduction Chair: Albert Mifsud
14:25

14:25 – Review of questions brought
15:30

Standard setting in examinations (Part 2)

Chair: Maeve Durkan

15:30 – Setting the pass mark – what are the
17:00 influences

Norm vs criterion / compromise based

Commentary: Clive Lawson
& Danny Mathysen

Quiz 1: How was passmark set?

Analysis: Clive Lawson
Commentary: Danny
Mathysen

Quiz 2: How was passmark set?

Analysis: Clive Lawson
2nd opinion & commentary:
Danny Mathysen

17:00 Drinks on the terrace

20:00 **Dinner**
Il Chianti Osteria Toscana
Via del Lavatore 81/82a – 00187 Roma
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Saturday May 6, 2023

Closed meeting

09:00 – 09:15	Introduction and welcome Roll call of attendees	Maeve Durkan, President
09:15 – 09:30	Election of President Presentations by candidates (5mins each)	Chair: Gian Battista Parigi
09:30 – 09:45	Election of Vice President Presentations by candidates (5mins each)	
09:45 – 10:00	Election of Hon Secretary Presentation by candidates (5mins each)	
10:00 – 10:20	Planning for new costs – Secretariat costs and plans to meet them	Gian Battista Parigi
10:20 – 10:40	Looking forward – CESMA strategy	Maeve Durkan
10:40 – 11:00	Appraisal: dates and appraisers	Danny Mathysen
11:00 – 11:20	Coffee	

Open meeting

11:20	Award of certificates following exam appraisal	Danny Mathysen
	Approval of minutes (Dec'22)	Albert Mifsud
11:30 – 11:50	Outcome of survey on European exams	Albert Mifsud
11:50 – 12:10	Which exam suits your specialty?	Maeve Durkan
12:10 – 12:30	Open book exam	TBC
	MCQs	Danny Mathysen
12:30 – 13:00	What to look for when selecting an exam provider	Albert Mifsud
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch	

14:00 – 14:30	Fellowship: What does it mean and what should it mean? Results of survey	Gian Battista Parigi
14:30 – 14:45	The challenges of language options in exams	Dr Morné Wolmarans
14:45 – 15:15	Assessment of training	Prof Rijks Gans
15:00 – 15:45	Conduct of on-line appraisal	Danny Mathysen & Maeve Durkan
15:45 – 16:15	Update on Standards for UEMS examination appraisal	Albert Mifsud
16:15 – 16:30	Proposals for Autumn 2023 & Close	Maeve Durkan

Maeve Durkan (Endocrinology)
Interim Chair

Albert Mifsud (Microbiology)
Secretary General

Gian Battista Parigi (Paediatric Surgery)
Treasurer

Danny Mathysen (University of Antwerp)
Appraisals Liaison Officer