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Brief presentation of the candidate for the UEMS President

Personal and professional information

- born in Elk, Poland, 1952
- specialist in neurosurgery, qualified in 1981
- present affiliations:
  o professor, member of the Multidisciplinary Team of Oncological Head and Neck and Skull Base Surgery, Cancer Center, M. Sklodowska-Curie Memorial Institute, Warsaw
  o professor, Medical Faculty, Rzeszow University, Poland
- medico-political work in Polish Chamber of Physicians and Dentists:
  o Vice-President
  o member, Executive Board, Supreme Medical Council
- other activities:
  o secretary, National Appeal Bioethics Committee
  o member, Bioethics Committee, Polish Academy of Sciences
- awards, honours:
  o Commander’s Cross of Polonia Restituta Order
  o Medal of the Committee of National Education

Major points of activity foreseen in the capacity of being the President of the UEMS

- increasing the UEMS advocacy effort and its visibility in medical politics area
- expanding cooperation among European Medical Organizations and with Scientific Societies
- reorganization, expansion and reinforcement of the UEMS EACCME
- continuation of structural and organizational consolidation of the UEMS and its constitutional bodies
- increasing the role and participation of the Sections and other UEMS bodies in daily management of the organization and in the UEMS governing bodies
- empowerment of the UEMS’ role in the field of quality assurance of specialist medical practice
- development of the UEMS House – Domus Medica Europaea
- development of research and education projects in areas of specialist training and practice, funded by European Union programs

It is my strong personal belief that teams are much more efficient than individuals, particularly in organizations like ours. The UEMS is a very large organization that requires full commitment on the part of its Executives and an active participation of Colleagues who can dedicate their time to the UEMS activities. Role of the president and Executive is to promote and coordinate our joint effort to make full use of the UEMS enormous potential.

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