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UEMS 2025/24

MEETING OF THE UEMS COUNCIL

DRAFT AGENDA

Saturday 18th October 2025

09:00 – 12:30 GET

13:30 – 16:30 GET

Meeting to be held live at:

[Sheraton Grand Tbilisi Metechi Palace](#)

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**All times are local – Georgian Standard Time (GET, GMT+4)*

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UEMS Council meeting, 18th October 2025

Welcome address by the UEMS President

09:00 / 20 min

Prof. Vassilios Papalois
UEMS President

Welcome address by President of GAMS

10 min

Prof. George Chakhava
GAMS

Roll-call of delegations and introduction of new attendees

5 min

Dr João Grenho
UEMS Secretary General

1. Approval of the agenda **

2 min

Dr João Grenho
UEMS Secretary General

2. Approval of the minutes of the last UEMS Council Meeting **

3 min

Dr João Grenho
UEMS Secretary General

3. Report of the Secretary General

20 min

Dr João Grenho
UEMS Secretary General

4. Presentation of the accounts and approval of 2026 Budget **

20 min

Dr Othmar Haas
UEMS Treasurer

5. European Affairs

5.1. *Report of the European Affairs Department*

15 min

Dr Marc Hermans
UEMS Officer for European and International Affairs



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5.2. Presentation and updates on the First UEMS Congress May 2026

15 min

Prof. Vassilios Papalois
UEMS President

Coffee break
10:50 / 15 min

6. Specialist Issues

6.1. Report from the Advisory Board

10 min

Dr Hans-Peter Ulrich
Chair AB – Secretary of Grouping II

6.2. European Training Requirements

6.2.1. Introduction of the submitted ETRs and feedback of the ETR RC

20 min

Prof. Nada Čikeš
Chair of the UEMS ETR RC

6.2.2. Professional Development Module PDM for the Competence in Obstetric Anaesthesiology **

15 min

Prof. Oleg Sabelnikovs
President of EBA

6.2.3. European Training Requirements for the Specialty of Geriatric Medicine ** 15 min

Prof. Jūratė Macijauskienė
President of UEMS Section of Geriatric Medicine
Prof. Roman Romero-Ortuno
Coordinator of the 2025 ETR Revision

6.2.4. European Training Requirements for the Competence in Reproductive Medicine **

15 min

Prof. Antonios S. Makrigiannakis
EBCOG/ESHRE



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Lunch Break
12:20 / 60 min

6.2.5. European Training Requirements for the Competence in Transitional Care of Adolescents and Young Adults **

15 min

Prof. Lina Zabuliene

President of UEMS MJC Adolescent Medicine and Health

6.2.6. European Training Requirements for the Specialty of Pathology **

15 min

Prof. Ambrogio Fassina

President of UEMS Pathology Section

6.3. Constitutional Matters

6.3.1. Winding up the UEMS Section of Cardiothoracic Surgery **

3 min

Dr João Grenho

Secretary General of the UEMS

6.3.2. Winding up the UEMS Thematic Federation for Vertigo **

2 min

Dr João Grenho

Secretary General of the UEMS

6.3.3. Proposal to establish a new UEMS Section for Cardiac Surgery**

10 min

Prof. Dirk Van Raemdonck

President UEMS Thoracic Surgery Section

6.3.4. Proposal for the establishment of a new UEMS MJC, for Disaster Medicine 10 min**

Dr Roberta Petrino

President of UEMS Section and Board of Emergency Medicine

6.3.5. UEMS CPD Charter**

10 min

Dr Hannu Halila

Chair of the CME/CPD WG

Coffee break



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14:25 / 15 min

7. Reports

7.1. European Medical Organisations

30 min

Panel discussion Session on the topic: *The advancement of Disaster Medicine in Europe*

AEMH – AMSE – CEOM – CPME – EANA – EJD – EMSA – FEMS – UEMO*

**All EMOs are invited to send their PPT presentations by October 3rd.*

7.2. Updates from the UEMS Associate and Observer Members

20 min

7.2.1. *Ukraine : Challenges and Efforts in Public Health System during the big war in Ukraine*

5 min

Dr Olena Lukashevych
UEMS WG Ukraine

7.3. Reports from the UEMS Bodies

10 min

7.3.1. *Updates from the UEMS Thematic Federation for Medical Ethics*

10 min

Dr Konstantinos Koumakis
Secretary UEMS TFME

8. Working Groups Reports

8.1. *Continuing Medical Education & Professional Development*

10 min

Dr Hannu Halila
Chair of the CME/CPD WG



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8.2. *Artificial Intelligence*

10 min

*Prof. Grégory Perrard
Chair of the AI WG*

8.3. *Postgraduate Medical Specialist Training*

10 min

*Prof. Umut Akyol
Chair of the PGT WG*

8.4. *Ukraine*

10 min

*Dr Olena Lukashevych on behalf of Dr Clive Kilgallen
WG for Ukraine*

9. AOB

10 min

9.1. *Highlights of the Survey on Frailty in Older Adults for UEMS Bodies*

2 min

*Prof. Roman Romero-Ortuno
UEMS Section of Geriatrics*

Next UEMS Spring Council Meeting – Tunis, 24-25 April 2026.

Next UEMS Autumn Council Meeting – Brussels, 16-17 October 2026.

*Items in italic with ** require a vote or a decision.*