



Education Committee report

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Dear Colleagues,

This year the Education committee has worked on different topics with regular Skype meeting and individual phone calls. This work has been divided in 2 parts, the regular work such as :

- Selection of the candidates for the American Fellowship
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- Selection and organisation of the ICLs

Furthermore we are working on several projects:

1 Video prize score (achieved)

One of the objectives of the Educational Committee was to regulate the evaluation of the videos presented at the meetings in order to reward the most valid ones. For this purpose, a draft was prepared and then discussed jointly, with an assessment based on the quality of the video, the utility, completeness and clarity of the presented surgical technique.

The score of each video will therefore be an average of the votes prepared by each member of the committee.

The purpose of this procedure is to make the video evaluation method more transparent and, above all, to make it more homogeneous and linear.

2 New score for the selection of fellowship candidates

We have a very elaborate process of choosing our travelling fellows. To get an objective selection we developed criteria. Now we want to transfer these criteria to the application form. This includes for example the calculation of the impact factor all points of the publications.

3 Modify the US fellowship program

Aim of the programme: clarify or improve some issues about shoulder/elbow common pathologies and or surgical procedures.

Carrying out:

Review of the literature

"Travelling survey" on a special issue.

Report at SECEC congress

Write an article (authors: travelling fellows and SECEC, ASSES Society – if possible-) and send it to JSES

4 SECEC fellowship project :

Background : Currently, many european centers receive fellows for a certain period of time. For the students, there is no website where all internship proposals are listed. Furthermore, certain non-academic internships sometimes have difficulties to recognize their field of training.

Proposal :

Identify training sites with those criterias :

The center needs to have at least 1 SECEC members (ordinary)

Length of the fellowship (3 m, 6m, 1y)

Paid or not

Accommodation or not

Scientific assistance for publication

Specificity of the hospital (sport/arthroplasty/...)

Number of fellows presents

Number of Shoulder surgeons

Number of cases per year in the center

After that SECEC could give the patronage for the SECEC fellowship . Put these internships with SECEC Patronage on the SECEC website with an application form Then, we could consider that every year the diploma would be delivered during the congress of the SECEC

5 SECEC Video Education Project Eastern Europe (EE) Project

Background: In Eastern and Middle Europe surgeons have a great interest for structured education on shoulder and elbow surgery. Because of the high barrier to enter our meetings (money), online video education could be a good option.

Aims of the project:

To produce a „video-book“ on shoulder and elbow surgery, structured and in professional quality. Available online to SECEC members. There should be a stimulus to attend our meetings (certificates, examinations, networks)

How to do it:

A video with 45 min duration covers a chapter (e.g. „Shoulder Instability“). Approximately 15 chapters are planned. The videos contain interviews, examinations, diagnostics, OR videos, rehab, etc. The footage is produced locally in the clinic of the participating surgeons. 50% of the surgeons should be from the „west“ and 50% from the „east“. This will help to integrate the east.

Realization:

I offer to focus on this video project. I can visit the surgeons, to do/supervise the filming and post production and direct the video project.

Funding: Because of the high associated costs funding is needed. EU grants (European research council, European Executive Agency for Health and Consumers) and company grants will be asked for.

6 Elbow Webinar project

Organization

The ExCom, respectively the SECEC, provides the platform for Webinars.

Interested groups could apply.

They would organize the Webinar.

1. Participants would pay a fee and log in.

2. The ExCom organizes such Webinars
Maybe not first choice

Program

1. Selective topics could be presented by 3 – 5 speakers during 4 hours, for example on a Friday afternoon.
2. Live surgery and video presentations preferred
3. Webinars should be interactive. It should be possible for the participants to ask questions
4. There should be a discussion

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