

ESA Trainees Committee and the ESA Trainee Network: Update 13

This document is an update on the relevant information since September 2019.

The ESA Trainees Committee (ESATC) pretends to send an update each 2 months.

1 – New ESA Council Trainee Representatives/European and International Trainee Sections Task Force coordinators

In the past months, the election of the 2 new ESA Council Trainee Representatives (CTR)/European and International Trainee Sections Task Force coordinators took place. From the 8 applications received, the 2 CTR elected by the ESA Trainees Members are:



Nadine van Veenendaal
University Medical Center Groningen
The Netherlands



Albert M. de Bettignies
Medical University of Vienna
Austria

Congratulations to the newly elected CTR! They will begin their term in January 2020 as Anne and Gustavo will step out after a transition period.

2 – NTR and Trainee Sections updated information

We would also like to remind you to send a **photo and short description** of you (hospital you are working in, year of training, etc.) to our e-mail address, so that we can update our website with this information, as well as, **updated information of your Trainee Section** (website, social networks, email, logo and official name). This updated information is of great importance for the previously mentioned members who are starting their term on January. And for those of you that haven't yet done it, please join the **"ESA NTR" WhatsApp group**, for a more regular communication: <https://chat.whatsapp.com/KIAhZ1zADT5EOXxlwIGjxb>.

3 – Vacancies OPEN for Trainees Representatives!

Since 2018 the ESA Trainees Committee has had the opportunity to have a Trainee Representative in several ESA Committees (Communication, eLearning, Education and Training, Gender Equity, Guidelines, NASC, Scientific and Simulation). All Representatives are expected to actively engage on the work of the respective Committee and should be involved in at least a specific task of its activity (defined in the beginning of each year with the ESA Trainees Committee Chair).

Starting January 2020 (and for a 3-year term) there will be **4 new Trainee Representatives' positions** (one per Committee) in **eLearning and Guidelines** (since our current representatives are finishing their term) and additionally in **Patient Safety and Quality, and Hospital Visiting and Training Accreditation Programme (HVTAP)** Committees.

If you are interested or know someone interested in fulfilling these positions, e-mail us your *Curriculum Vitae* (2 pages maximum) and motivation letter (1 page maximum). Also contact us in case you have any questions regarding this process. ESA active Trainee Membership is mandatory and respective number should be mentioned on the application. More information about these Committees can be found in ESA webpage <https://www.esahq.org/about-us/the-esa/committees>.

This is a great opportunity for European Anaesthesiology Trainees so please advertise these positions in your countries! The deadline for submission is December 31st.

4 – NTR Online Meeting

The NTR Online Meetings have been increasing in participation and interest. Your input brought us a new vision on the trainee sections and national trainees needs' and expectations. This is a meeting where we intend to join ALL NTR in order to discuss ESA and National issues (each year we organize 2 Online Meetings, one before and other after the presential meeting during Euroanaesthesia).

To continue improving our activities and liaison with the ESA structure, we would like to set the next **NTR Online Meeting to 14 January 2020 at 7 pm GMT+0**. Please state your availability for the scheduled date and time until December 31 (<https://doodle.com/poll/khizv87tv7f7n5zs>). Also, send us your name, surname and email address so we can issue the WebEx invitation. The meeting agenda will be sent promptly.

5 – Euroanaesthesia 2020

In 2020, the Euroanaesthesia Congress will be held in Barcelona, Spain (30th May – 1st June). The ESA Trainee Travel Fellowship is already being advertised here (<https://euroanaesthesia2020.org/esa-trainee-travel-fellowship-2/>). Please share this information with your national colleagues!

The ESATC has been developing the Euroanaesthesia 2020 Trainees' Programme and more news will be shared with you in prompt time. In the meanwhile, follow the updates in the ESA website and ESATN social networks!

As always, we are here to serve your interests, so your feedback is of utmost importance for us.

Thank you.

Bernardo Matias - Chair of the ESA Trainees Committee

Anne Blank and Gustavo Norte - ESA Trainees Committee/European and International Trainee Sections task force coordinators.

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