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## Memorandum of Understanding between

# **European Junior Doctors Association (EJD)**

#### And

## The Association for Medical Education in Europe (AMEE)

The **European Junior Doctors Association** (EJD) is the medical organization that represents the interests European Junior Doctors. Over the past forty years, EJD has actively intervened in defense of the medical profession in Europe with the purpose of contributing to the development of junior doctors' work, education and training.

The **Association for Medical Education in Europe** (AMEE) is a leading international association for medical education with members in 90 countries on five continents. AMEE has as its mission the facilitation of excellence in medical education across the continuum of undergraduate, postgraduate and continuing medical education. AMEE supportsteachers by providing courses and other staff development activities; by enhancing communications through conferences, a journal - Medical Teacher, occasional publications and online resources; and by encouraging research and development activities in medical education.

Both institutions have been having a fruitful cooperation on the last 10 years within the scope of a Memorandum of Understanding signed in 2009.

#### Aim of the collaboration

The aim of the collaboration is to improve the quality of medical training throughout the continuum, but specifically with regard to postgraduate medical education.

### Agenda for action

Representing the views of junior doctors in Europe, EJD will act in an advisory capacity to AMEE, and will promote AMEE's aims, activities and projects to its members.

AMEE will assist in the dissemination of the aims and objectives of EJD, contributing expertise as requested and as available.

The EJD and AMEE will discuss areas of potential collaboration and engage in joint projects as mutually agreed, in order to further the aims of both parties, taking advantage of the key areas of expertise of both institutions.



The EJD will nominate a representative to be cooptedonto the AMEE Executive Committee (EC) and to attend its meetings to represent theinterests of European Junior Doctors and develop and follow-up on joint initiatives.

Shouldthe appointed representative be unable to attend a meeting, a substitute will be nominated.

The EJD will present a report of its relevant activities at the AMEE EC meetings and attheAMEE General Assembly (GA).

In order to share with the AMEE community the mainprojects and policies developed by the EJD in the field of postgraduate medical training, the EJD will be offered a presentation at the AMEE Annual Conference.

AMEE will prepare a report of its relevant activities to be presented at the EJD Plenary meetings and will be offered the opportunity by EJD to attend its meetings.

Specific areas for collaboration

To be developed

At the end of the each year an evaluation will be carried out jointly by both organizations to determine the progress and achievements of the collaboration.

This memorandum emphasises the priority areas of collaboration between the EJD and AMEE. It should not be taken as the limitation of the areas of collaboration between the twoorganisations, but rather seen as a starting point for future ventures.

This document is to be adopted and implemented by both institutions.

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