

EUROPEAN FEDERATION REGENERATIVE MEDICINE

European chapter of the World Federation Regenerative Medicine

- Federal representation of all stakeholders in the multidisciplinary field of Regenerative Medicine
- Initiative to represent the complete field of Regenerative Medicine in Europe by linking the respective networks, societies, institutions and infrastructures

Dear colleague,

I am inviting you to join the task force “European Federation Regenerative Medicine” within the European-based interest group with the same name in order to establish a joint representation of all stakeholders in the field, including science, technology, industry, therapy, patients and the society at large within Europe.

This interest group does NOT at all constitute an effort to create a new society in the field. We intend to bring together and to link the complementary organizational entities with a focus on Europe in order to form a cluster linked by our common interest i.e. Regenerative Medicine.

The figureheads or representatives of the stake holding European societies, networks and infrastructures are being invited to join a task force. This task force will continue to work for achieving a cluster formation named “European Federation Regenerative Medicine” with partners, such as the respective societies, networks, infrastructures active in the field of Regenerative Medicine. The task force has started in 2006 in order to achieve this goal.

The European Federation Regenerative Medicine aims at achieving a united European voice for the field. All members strongly believe that a federal approach needs to be taken and that partner societies, networks and infrastructures must interact freely on an equal standing basis with the other partners. This will contribute to building the field of Regenerative Medicine, which indeed touches the interests of many stakeholders.

A joint representative board has been formed by the partnering societies, infrastructures and networks. This board will be extended with the new partners joining.

Amongst other academic, educational and selected activities, the federation will deliver position papers to the European Commission and national entities for providing competent and representative advice in the field in order to assist in shaping the future for the field within the common interest.

I do hope that we can count on your expertise and cordially extend my invitation to you to join the task force “European Federation Regenerative Medicine” on making this idea of joint representation grow and flourish.

With cordial regards
Univ. Prof. Dr. Augustinus Bader