Message from the Education & Training Officer – Prof Manlio Galie

Dear Colleagues,

I am delighted that the EACMFS Education Programme continues to be recognized as a landmark throughout Europe, as well as worldwide and this busy educational schedule sees the participation of EACMFS speakers and representatives throughout Europe and worldwide. For 50 years the EACMFS has played a unique role as a pioneer of lifelong learning through open and accessible learning based on world leading research.

The Association has continued to work closing with the European Board for Oro-Maxillo-Facial Surgery (EBOMFS) and assisting colleagues preparing for the EBOMFS RQ to be held, as usual, at the start of the Paris Congress – Further information can be found at [www.ebomfs.eu](http://www.ebomfs.eu)

Co-ordination and support for education projects in Albania, Kosovo and Macedonia continues high on our list of programme planning. We are especially keen for trainees to participate in the EACMFS Trainee sessions during these congresses as competitive awards up to 500 euros are available for the best oral presentations.

Lastly, we are especially thankful to Stryker CMF for providing numerous trainees the opportunity to participate in fresh frozen cadaver courses during the preceding year and to KLS Martin for working closely together with EACMFS in the future teaching and educational endeavours for the benefit of the European and International OMF surgeons community.

Manlio Galie

Education & Training Officer