

EDF successfully launched the “Advanced Euroderm Excellence” Program in 2021 directly prior to our Annual Meeting with a group of 20-25 carefully selected participants from the original Euroderm Excellence course who are expected to be the future opinion leaders in dermatology and venereology. It is the aim of the program to provide an outstanding teaching program for European dermatology residents covering areas such as managing a clinical department, risk management, role of global dermatology, compliance regulations etc. and to strengthen skills in these areas.

It offers selected residents an opportunity to share time and experience with their peers from all over Europe, and to have a chance to interact with a panel of leading experts in dermatology and venereology. The ultimate objective is to educate future experts and leaders in the field of dermatology and venereology.

Program Advanced Euroderm Excellence Course 2025

Thursday, January 23:

08:30-08:40 **Welcome and introduction to the EDF**
(Prof. Michael P. Schön, Germany)

Focus I: administration and leadership in academic dermatology

08:40-09:05 **Managing an academic department of Dermatology I**
(Prof. Martine Bagot, Paris, France)

09:05-09:30 **Managing an academic department of Dermatology II**
(Prof. Külli Kingo, Tartu, Estonia)

09:30-09:55 **Dermatology in changing political frameworks: Defining our niche**
(Prof. Peter Wolf, Graz, Austria)

09:55-10:15 Coffee break and discussions with faculty

Focus II: research: public funding, industry collaborations, publishing

10:15-10:40 **Scientific collaborations between academia and industry - the industrial perspective**
(Dr. Volker Koscielny, Muenster, Germany)

10:40-11:05 **Scientific collaborations between academia and industry - the academic perspective**
(Prof. Caroline Robert, Villejuif Cedex, France)

11:05-11:30 **Challenges for scientific publishing and scientific journals**
(Prof. Luise Erpenbeck, Muenster, Germany)

11:30-11:55 **Successful grant writing and funding strategies for research**
(Prof. Charlotta Enerbäck, Linköping, Sweden)

11:55-12:30 Lunch break

Wake up challenge after lunch

12:30-13:00 **How to give a great lecture**
(Prof. John McGrath, London, UK)

Focus III: personal career development and networking

13:00-13:25 **Developing a successful career as clinician scientist and maintain a work/life balance**
(Prof. Muzlifah Haniffa, Newcastle, UK)

13:25-13:50 **Networking and mentoring in academic dermatology**
(Prof. Lajos Kemény, Szeged, Hungary)

13:50-14:10 Coffee break

14:10-15:00 **Breakout groups: Networking and personal career development**

Group I: *Prof. Nick Reynolds, Newcastle, UK*

Group II: *Prof. Miklós Sárdy, Budapest, Hungary*

15:00-15:20 Preparation for group presentations (with coffee break)

15:20-16:00 **Group presentations and feedback discussions**
(Prof. Michael P. Schön, Göttingen, Germany)

16:00 **End of course**