EPF 20th Anniversary event

The path of patient advocacy, past, present and future

Brussels, 28 April 2023

Draft agenda

9:00-9:30	Registration
9:30-10:30	Opening address by EPF President Marco Greco
	Back to the future address: A view from a young patient leader
	Looking back – perspectives from diverse stakeholders: Did EPF deliver on its founding promise?
	Panel interview led by an EPF member representative with early-days EPF members and stakeholders, including:
	 Anders Olauson, first EPF president Maria Navarro, former EPF board member Robert Madelin, former DG for Health in the European Commission Nicola Bedlington, former EPF Secretary General
10:30-11:00	Coffee break
11:00-12:15	Parallel workshops discussing Question 1: Looking back
	What can be learned from EPF's first 20 years? What worked well - and what didn't? What could be improved?
	 Group 1: Policy and advocacy Moderated by an EPF member 2-3 discussants / scene setters including members, policy influencers, and representatives from the wider stakeholder community
	 Group 2: Community and capacity building Moderated by Elena Balestra, Head of EPF Membership and
	 Group 3: Shaping the stakeholder and research environment Moderated by Valentina Strammiello, EPF Director of Programmes 2-3 discussants / scene setters including representatives from the wider stakeholder community

12:15-12:45	Plenary session discussing workshop outcomes with the rapporteurs from each group
	Interview style, moderated by an EPF Board member with the rapporteurs from each session
12:45-14:00	Lunch
14:00-14:30	Keynote speech: Introducing the draft Manifesto
	Robert Hejzák, NAPO
14:30-15:45	Parallel workshops discussing Question 2: Looking forward
	What ambition for the patient movement in the next 10 years? Where do we want to get to and how do we get there?
	 Group 1: Policy advocacy Moderated by Anca Toma, EPF 2-3 discussants / scene setters including a member representative, a policy influencer, and a representative from the wider stakeholder community
	Group 2: Community and capacity building
	Moderated by Ilaria Leggeri, EIT Health 2-3 discussants / scene setters including members, representatives from the wider stakeholder community
	 Group3: Shaping the stakeholder environment Moderated by 2-3 discussants / scene setters including representatives from the wider stakeholder community
15:45-16:30	Coffee break
16:30-17:00	Plenary session discussing workshop outcomes with the rapporteurs from each group
	Interview style, moderated by an EPF Youth Group member
17:00-17:30	Presentation of the patient organisations' manifesto by the EPF Youth Group
	Closing address by Marco Greco, EPF President
17:30	Networking cocktail
19:00	Dinner