

ERA-EDTA Congress in London: Facts & Figures



The 52nd ERA-EDTA congress, under the presidency of Prof. David Goldsmith and Prof. Andrzej Wiecek, was highly successful. Altogether, 8,195 delegates attended the congress (with 5,316 participants in the pre-congress CMEs), 42 International journalists reviewed the event and 1,940 abstracts were accepted and published.

The congress also featured 2,441 exhibitors representing companies and associations coming from all over the world bringing the final total of people attending the Congress to more than 10,600.

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First Guideline on Management of Patients with Diabetes and Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD)



Diabetes mellitus is becoming increasingly prevalent and is considered a rapidly growing concern for healthcare systems. According to the WHO [1] there are currently more than 60 million patients with diabetes in Europe – and patients with diabetes are particularly at risk of developing chronic kidney disease. According to the latest annual report of the ERA-EDTA registry [2], 22.1% of all new dialysis patients are classified with diabetic nephropathy. Therefore it is to be feared that the global increase of diabetes will also result in a higher prevalence of chronic kidney disease.

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Changes within ERA-EDTA Council

During the ERA-EDTA General Assembly that was held in London (UK) last May 31, the composition of the ERA-EDTA Council officially changed.

Prof. Ziad Massy officially started his term as the new Chair of the ERA-EDTA Registry.

During the General Assembly in London three new Ordinary Council Members were also elected:

- [Mustafa Arici \(Turkey\)](#) - who, during the post-Congress Council meeting was nominated by Council as the new Editor in Chief of Follow Us Flash;
- [Danilo Fliser \(Germany\)](#) - who instead, still during the post-Congress Council was nominated as the Council representative within the ERA-EDTA Committee for CME activities;
- [Jolanta Malyszko \(Poland\)](#) - who, finally, was instead nominated as the new member of the ERA-EDTA Web-Site Committee.

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Upcoming events



[9th European Renal Pathology Course 2015](#)
June 9-12, 2015
Amsterdam, The Netherlands



[International Summer School of Renal Pathology 2015](#)
July 20-31, 2015
Bari, Italy



[22nd Budapest Nephrology School](#)
August 26-31, 2015
Budapest, Hungary



[Clinical impact of novel players in CKD progression and CKD complications](#)
September 4-5, 2015
Madrid, Spain



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