

## **Report of the EAWOP Constituent Council (CC) meeting**

### **DUBLIN, Friday 20 May 2016**

EAWOP's Executive Committee (EC) met Constituents' representatives at the UCD Campus, Room E1.19 O'Brien Centre on Friday 20 May 2016, from 15.00 to 17.30. The following issues were discussed:

- The local organizer of the next EAWOP congress in Dublin presented an update on congress preparations, scientific program, webpage of the conference, abstract submission process, congress fees and budget and other practical issues (accommodation and transport, social events etc.)
- The EAWOP president reported an update on the regular and special activities of the EAWOP. The president also updated the CC about the results of the strategy day and the following key strategic aims for EAWOP identified:
  - Influence policy-making in academia and practice
  - Increase practitioner engagement
  - Maintain a sustainable organization of the association
- The goal and the mode of operation of the task force for policy impact was presented and CC representatives were encouraged to be part of the task force.
- An update was provided about the WorkLab, the summer school for early careers, the small group meetings, changes to the EAWOP website, external relationships (Alliance for WOP, Europsy/Specialised certificate in WOP) and new initiatives for members (Special call for Contributions to the integration of immigrants and refugees in European workplaces; CARMA video library access).
- The goals and the design of the EAWOP Career survey were presented and discussed.
- An update on the EAWOP journals was presented. New editor of the EJWOP is Kevin Daniels. From January 2017 the distribution of the EJWOP will be "mixed" – the members will be able to choose whether they want to receive a hard copy or just an online access to the journal.
- A brief update on the EAWOP 2019 congress plans was presented. It will be held in Congress Center Lingotto, Torino, Italy.
- Virtual General Assembly was announced for June, 2016. Virtual GA will be held at the end of June. 4 external auditors for reviewing the financial report and the report of

activities volunteered - Guido Hertel (Germany), Henry Honkanen (Finland), David Cutajar (Malta) and Alessandro Lo Presti (Italy).

- The next Constituent Council meeting will be held on May 17<sup>th</sup> 2017 in Dublin, during the EAWOP congress.