

EADMT

Presesident's report 2021



# EADMT Board Meetings and GA 2020

- This year was steel affected by the Pandemic Covid-19 and our work, naturally all our work was influenced by this situation.
- The board was able to meet just on-line from December 2020 to September 2021 more than 12 online-meetings.
- As you know the 2021 GA was planned in hybrid mode in Maastricht Unfortunately, we heard that only a few delegates and deputies were able to attend. This led to the difficult decision to transfer this year's GA to the online format. We thank you for your understanding and support.
- I really should thank the Dutch association for their collaboration and suggestions supporting this decision.

## Some goals of the last year

Each of us will speak about specific action regarding Communication, Financial matters, internal and external communication and relationships, Conference I would like to underline some goals which we have achieved :

- The new EADMT website has seen the light of day, thanks to the great efforts of Elli Kitta. Today we have a modern and powerful tool where we can find not only all the information but also support the activities of the various working groups, in particular the research section.
- This year's news letter has once again enabled us to experience the resilience of DMT professionals and the vitality of our national.

## Some actions more

- As a board we must try to keep in touch with all delegates and the coordinators of EADMT WG: last April we met on-line, all the coordinators, to check on progress and actions.
- The next European conference in Berlin 2022 is at an advanced stage of planning with a number of contributions already proposed! We look forward to seeing you there!
- SPRWG has launched the new Google questionnaire survey on Professional Recognition and we will see the first data together during the GA.

# A special thanks to the Coordinators

- I should like to strongly express my thanks to the coordinators of the EADMT WGs:
- Susan Scarth – Training Standards WG
- Rosemarie Sammaritter – Research WG
- Rosa Maria Rodriguez – Conference WG
- Shirley Mawer - Global Affiliation WG
- And Indra and Mette Auditing Committee for the big work in the renewal process

Keeping in touch with international organisations:  
ECARTE  
other Art therapies federation

**With ECARTE** we are involved in a **research project “Sattie”** with the other Arts therapies federations regarding professional recognition and research:

EADMT European Ass. DMT

EFD European Federation of Drama therapy

ECMT European Confederation of Music Therapy

EFAT European Federation of Art Therapy

The first part of this project has been completed and we await the publication of the research to which we contributed.

Thank you for your  
attention

