Programme 8 September 2015, Lodi, Italy

Venue: Room Serena, in building of the Local Health Unit, Piazza Ospitale n. 10, 26900 LODI.

MODERNET 2.0: What is new in identifying work-related ill health?

8.30 - 9.00	Reception and registration	
9.00 - 9.20	Welcome and opening the meeting	Lode Godderis
09.20 – 10.45	Presentations on Modernet topics (3-4)	Chair: Gert van der Laan
09.20 - 09.35	Prioritization of new and emerging risks (NERCs)	Nicole Palmen
09.35 – 09.55	Psychosocial factors associated with work- related mental ill-health affecting different socio-economic workforce groups	Louise Hussey
09.55 – 10.10	Reporter Fatigue and the influence of excess zeroes on estimating the true incidence rate un voluntary reporting health surveillance schemes	Matthew Gittins
10.10 - 10.25	Identification of occupational diseases in a tertiary care hospital	Consol Serra
10.25 – 10.40	'Towards a shared classification of psychosocial factors in work-related mentalill health'	Matthew Gittins
10.45-11.15	Coffee break	
11.15 - 13.00	New Occupational Health Risks – case presentations (10-15 minutes each)	Chair: Annet Lenderink
11.30 – 11.45	Rhizarthrosis (basal thumb arthrosis) through	Lode Godderis
11.30 – 11.45	money counting	Lode Goddens
11.45 – 12.00	Isocyanate monitoring in motor vehicle repair	Jill Stocks
12.00 - 12.15	New and Emerging Occupational Risks in Agriculture: strengthening knowledge transfer	Gert van der Laan
12.15 – 12.30	Late effects of acute intoxication with permethrin in anti-spider spray	Annet Lenderink
12.30 – 13.00	EU-Strategy OSH	Jorge Costa David

13.00 – 14.00 Lunch break

14.00 – 16.00	New collaboration projects	Chair: Stefania Curti
14.00 – 14.30	EU-OSHA Work-related diseases	Annet Lenderink
14.30 - 15.00	COST Action ToxBrain	Lode Godderis
15.00 – 15.45	Other possibilities to be discussed	
15.45 – 16.00	Wrap up and plans for 2016	Stefania Curti

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Report Modernet conference call March 31, 2015 Participants:

Stefania, Annet, Raymond, Lode Excused: Jill, Vincent, Claudio

Topics discussed

Constitution

o Voluntary Association: this would be informal, but some kind of rules should be drafted comparable with SC-ICOH. Lode has drafted a proposal based on EUMASS, the European Network of Insurance Medicine.

- Post COST Modernet

- o Final report has been submitted, but the money has been transferred to AMC. So it looks OK.
- o Special issues: there seem to be enough papers. Claudio and Raymond are taking care of it and have contact with Peter Noone.

- Scientific Meeting/Event

- o Modernet meeting will be linked with the Rural health meeting in Lodi 8 till11 September.
- o Title: Modernet 2.0: What is new in identifying work-related ill health?
- o Date: September 8, at 9 am, social event September 7 evening.
- o Location: Lodi near Milan, easily reachable by train. 1 Train/hour.
- o Fee: 60 euro (covers the cost)
- o Practical: Claudio has arranged a free meeting room in Lodi (n=30), a restaurant for a social event September 7, sandwich lunch September 8.

- Meeting of Italian OHP

- o Claudio is organizing a Modernet session in the yearly meeting of Italian OHP
- o The conference will be in Italian: Raymond, Claudio, Stefano and Gaia will give a presentation.

Research

- o Raymond is talking with the HSE and Public Health England. HSE are not making into any commitment. Public Health England is interested to widen up the topic to environmental diseases.
- o Lode is leading a committee on new occupational diseases within the fund of occupational diseases. There is interest in funding signaal. This is currently under discussion within fund of occupational diseases.
- o Stefania informs us about that new Horizon 2020 calls will be available soon. She will follow-up and will let us.
- o Annet and Lode submitted new Cost action: Toxbrain on the detection of neurobehavioral diseases. 42 proposals will be granted and we will know in August. We could take the opportunity to discuss Modernet and Toxbrain in Seoul.

- Communication

o Annet has set-up a

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- o Newsletter: 4 times/year
 - § Updates
 - § Research

- § Milan Meeting
- § Workshop on aetiology of occupational diseases: October 1st 2015
- § ICOH Seoel: SC occupational medicine
- o Update website on Modernet after Toxbrain

Next teleconference

o To be determined

Report Modernet conference call February 24, 2015 Participants:

Stefania, Annet, Jill, Vincent, Raymond, Claudio, Lode

Topics discussed

Management committee

o Current composition: Stefania, Annet, Jill, Vincent, Lode, Raymond, Local organizer 2015: Claudio

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Constitution

- o Voluntary Association: this would be informal, but some kind of rules should be drafted comparable with SC-ICOH.
 - § UK: cooperated association, only you need a constitution and board that can make decision. No need to register. No cost, but all are responsible.
 - § It: no profit association, also a constitution is necessary and a board has to be elected. Cost is about 500 euro for a prospect.
 - § NL: Idem as in Fr, Board is individual responsible
 - § Fr: Idem as UK including statutes, management board, etc. General assembly is mandatory.
 - § Be: "Feitelijke vereniging". Comparable with UK and NL.

R/ Lode will explore this further

- o The voluntary association will be based in the country where it can easily be established + easily opening an account.
- o Expenses: website is currently covered by COST and hosted by AMC. We need a small working budget.
- o Small membership fee for members: 25 Euro/person. Maybe we should call it a donation.

- Post COST Modernet

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- o Special issues: some papers have not been submitted yet. Claudio and Raymond are taking care of that.

- Scientific Meeting/Event

- o Modernet meeting would be linked with the Rural health meeting in Lodi 8 till 11 September.
- o Brescia meeting has been moved location to Lodi. However, Claudio has some preconference meetings. Lode and Claudio have a Eurotox conference in Porto afterwards.
- o A special session in the Agriculture meeting could be added with running title: New and emerging occupational diseases in agriculture.
- o Data: September 8 am, social event September 7 evening.
- o Location: Lodi near Milan, easily reachable by train. 1 Train/hour.
- o Topic: What is new in work-related ill health?

Invite to suggest submitting abstracts to be submitted by April 30 Work related mental and neurobehavioral disorders Methodological issues

New cases

Business meeting: Future funding prospects, practical organisation. We could invite every speaker to add at the end of his presentation with opportunities for partnership – funding.

- o Fee: necessary to cover the cost. Claudio will make an estimate
- o Practical: Claudio will arrange a free meeting room in Lodi (n=30), a restaurant for a social event September 7, sandwich lunch September 8.

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Research

- o Status Horizon projects? We did not get the project funded, and unfortunately hardly any feedback.
- o Raymond is talking with the HSE and public health UK people.
- o Vincent proposes to submit a project to French agency ANSES, amount 200.000 Euro.
- o Jill proposes a charity: suggested title: impact of recession on WRD and Occupational Injury, amount >100.000.
- o Annet suggests to apply for a new Cost action: Toxbrain: deadline March 25, 15 pages proposals.

Communication

- o Annet will set-up a Dropbox
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 - § ICOH Seoul: SC occupational medicine
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Next teleconference

o Dependent on availability

Report Modernet conference call January 20, 2015

Participants:

Stefania, Annet, Jill, Vincent, Lode

Topics discussed

Core group

- Current composition: Stefania, Annet, Jill, Vincent, Lode
- Maybe invite others while forming Voluntary Association: e.g. representative for North Europe, East Europe

Constitution

- Voluntary Association: this would be informal, but some kind of rules should be drafted comparable with SC-ICOH. R/Annet will draft a proposals and circulate
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Post COST Modernet

- Modernet book + some papers like GIS-paper
- Scientific Meeting/Event
- Link it with the Rural health meeting in Brescia 8 till 11 September. The alternative is the proposal of Daniela to organise a meeting in Prague
- Data: September 7, social event September 6.
- Location: Milan, university room
- Topic: methodological, cases
- R/ Stefania will contact Claudio; R/ Lode will contact Daniela
- Fee: necessary to cover the cost.

Research

- Status Horizon project?
- R/ Jill will ask Raymond
- Vincent proposes a French agency ANSES, amount 200.000 Euro
- Jill proposes a charity: suggested title: impact of recession on WRD and Occupational Injury, amount >100.000
- Annet suggests to apply for a new Cost action: deadline March 25, 15 pages proposals: suggested topic: neuropsychological toxicology (exposure assessment, mechanisms, testing,...)
- Lode informs about ESF, which is more interesting on local, national level

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- Next teleconference
- February 24 at 14:30 (GMT: +1)

At the final assessment meeting in Bologna the way ahead was discussed. Raymond Agius stepped down as chair and Lode Godderis was appointed the new chair of Modernet. An interim core group was formed with members: Annet Lenderink, Stefania Curti, Jill Stocks, Vincent Bonneterre and Raymond Agius. After finalizing all the work for the COST Action this group was supposed to discuss how to proceed with Modernet in the future.