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Radiology Trainees Forum

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What is the RTF?

- The purpose of the Radiology Trainees Forum is to represent the interests of junior radiologists with particular reference to
 - education
 - career development
 - research
- The RTF's most important goal is to provide an equal level of radiological knowledge and skills for radiology trainees all over Europe in close collaboration with the national societies and the ESR
- Each European country is represented in the RTF with a national delegate (radiology resident) who is appointed by the trainee representative body of their own country if existent or the national radiological society
- List of the 38 RTF national delegates including their contact details on the RTF sub-website, myESR.org/rtf



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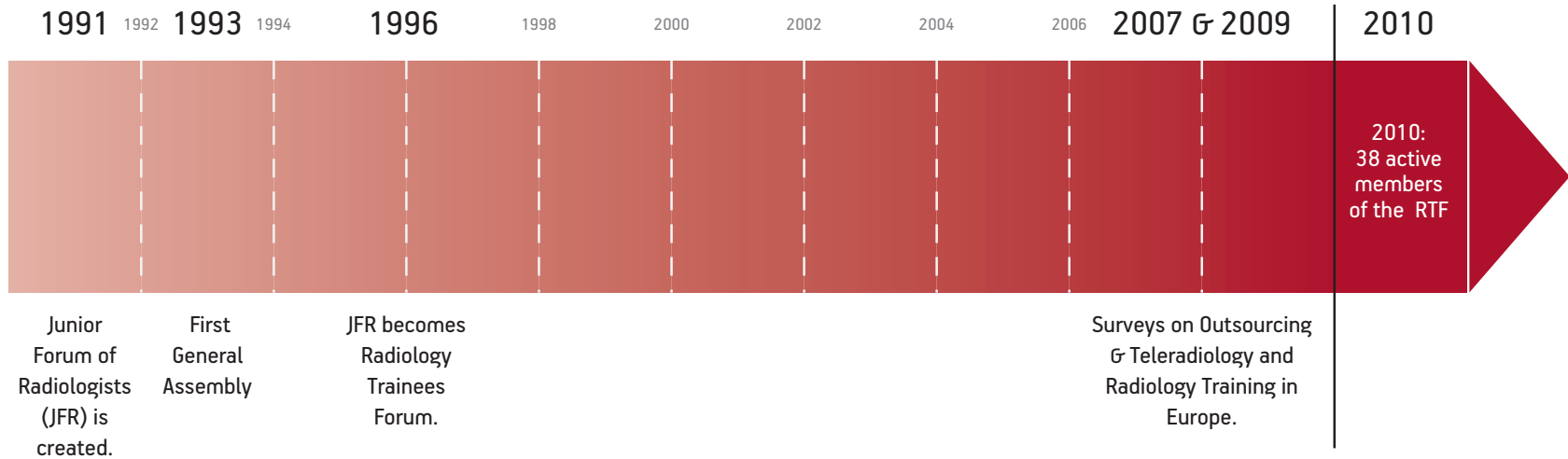
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Learning without thought is labour lost;
thought without learning is perilous.
Confucius

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Radiology Trainees Forum

The Radiology Trainees Forum (RTF) was established as an organisation to represent the views of radiology trainees, which has been especially emphasised by change of its name from JRF to RTF. You will find more details in the RTF Charter and in the section on its history.

It is coordinated by its board, maintains close relationships with the European Society of Radiology and invites all ESR member countries to appoint a trainee representative. The current list of delegates can be viewed by clicking on the link national delegates on the left.

[RTF Charter](#)

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19,000 participants



Activities of the RTF

- Representation in
 - ESR Education Committee Board
 - European Training Assessment Programme (ETAP)
 - ESR Working Group on Undergraduate Teaching
 - ESR Working Group on eEducation
 - ESR Working Group on European Diploma
- Surveys among RTF national delegates to analyse different aspects involved in the trainees' education and daily practice

Recent surveys include:

- Questionnaire on Outsourcing & Teleradiology (2007)
 - Questionnaire on Radiology Training in Europe (2009)
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- Public relations to raise awareness for the RTF and the ESR

Goals of the RTF

Education

- stimulating discussions within the ESR on educational matters
- enabling trainees to attend post graduate courses more easily and earlier in their careers
- co-operating in the organisation of the ESR's educational programmes, both with dissemination of information on these programmes and suggesting participants who may also be recommended by national RTFs

Career

- help in the development and assessment of common standards and ensuring equal opportunities throughout Europe for trainees to broaden their minds and gather experience early in their careers

Research

- promoting research as a regular part of the radiology training curriculum
- encouraging the development of paid research jobs funded by the trainees' employers (e.g. the University, Training Centre or Training Hospital) or the allocation of time for research in salaried training programmes



The European Society of Radiology

... is a single, strong institution aiming to promote radiology and to highlight its importance in medicine worldwide.

... aims at uniting all teaching, learning and educational features to raise standards in radiology treatment for patients.

- **49,693 members** from **127 countries**
- **13 congresses** in **9 countries worldwide**
(in addition to the European Congress of Radiology)
- **12 issues** of the **journal European Radiology** per year with year-round free online access for ESR members (plus 16 editions of the ESR electronic newsletter)
- **6 issues of the electronic journal Insights into Imaging**
- Several **e-Learning tools** accessible for free to all ESR members





ESR Members (by percentage)

57.27% Europe

20.25% Asia

14.72% South America

5.64% North & Central America

1.07% Africa

1.05% Oceania

Benefits of ESR Membership

- Representation of your specialty on a European level
- Reduced registration rates for ECR 2011
- Free electronic access to:
 - The journals European Radiology (european-radiology.org) and Insights into Imaging (i3-journal.org)
 - EURORAD, the largest peer-reviewed online teaching database of radiology - myESR.org/euro-rad
 - EPOS (electronic presentation online system) - myESR.org/epos
 - EDIPS (download Microsoft® Office PowerPoint Presentations of ECR lectures) - myESR.org/edips
 - ESR Job Forum - myESR.org/jobforum
- **MyUserArea** - myESR.org/myuserarea
- All activities of the European School of Radiology (ESOR) are offered exclusively to ESR members - myESR.org/esor
- ESR Electronic Newsletter
- **ESR Congress Calendar**: details of European and international congresses



How to become a member of the ESR

Member in Training (EUR 10 per year)

Radiologists in training who are registered on a formal training programme officially recognised by an institutional national member society.

The maximum age limit is 35.

Please proceed to the following website and enter your contact details:

myESR.org/membership

You will be guided through the membership application process.

For further assistance please contact the ESR Membership Service at

membership@myESR.org



ECR – the European Congress of Radiology

the annual meeting of the ESR

ECR 2010 facts:

- More than **19,000** participants from **96** countries
- **11,817** professional medical delegates
- **7,200** industry representatives

- **305** exhibitors from **58** countries on **26,000m²**


- **3,163** scientific and educational exhibits
- **880** scientific papers
- **505** invited lectures
- **89** Satellite Symposia lectures
- **7** Update your Skills (Practical Courses)





Preview ECR 2011

March 3-7, 2011
Austria Center Vienna
Bruno Kreisky Platz 1
1220 Vienna

 ESR meets 2011:
France
Brazil
Iran

 ECR 2011 partner discipline:
ESR meets Gastroenterology



ECR 2011 Timeline

April 2, 2010 – Jan 20, 2011

All year Online Abstract Submission to EPOS™

July 5 – September 18, 2010

Paper Abstract Submission (Oral Presentations)

September 1, 2010

Online Registration Open

October 1, 2010

Travel Service Open

November 2010

Notification of Paper Abstract Acceptance (Oral Presentations)

March 3–7, 2011 (Thursday to Monday)

ECR 2011

Benefits for radiology residents during the congress

'Invest in the Youth' Programme

- allows young radiologists and radiographers in training to participate in the ECR
- successful applicants will get free registration for the whole conference, hotel accommodation and free public transport for the duration of the congress
- available only for members of the ESR in the year 2010
- application via the ESR on a first-come, first-served basis (the ESR retains the right to ensure a geopolitical spread)

'Adopt a young scientist' Programme

- residents can apply for an 'adoption' by a professor
- donation for the adopted resident
- meet & greet between resident and professor during the ECR

Residents & Students Lounge at the ECR

Scientific programme for radiology residents

- Special sessions for residents and students
- Sessions held by residents and students
- 'Update Your Skills (Practical Courses)'
- Famous, outstanding speakers for special sessions
- Certificate of Participation in the ECR



RTF Activities during ECR

RTF Highlighted Lectures

- lectures dedicated to trainees trying to review essential topics in radiology
- pointing out the indispensable concepts that residents and young radiologists need to remember and that are not covered during the ECR in general lectures addressed to experienced specialists

RTF General Assembly

- meeting of all RTF national delegates to discuss matters concerning the RTF; open to all interested trainees
- evaluation of activities carried out throughout the year and approval of plans for the next year



CME Credits for ECR

- Continuing Medical Education (CME) is a credit system related to postgraduate training which guarantees the maintenance and upgrading of knowledge in the medical field and is established in most European countries.
- The ESR is accredited by the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME) to provide CME credits for the ECR to medical specialists.
- Each ECR attendee receives detailed confirmation of all activities attended (CME confirmation - Record of attendance).
- Every participant will be able to view and print his/her personal record of attendance from the internet in the MyUserArea.

ESOR Education in Partnership

- ESOR offers complementary and continuing education to residents and young radiologists through visiting schools, visiting seminars, scholarships, exchange programmes for fellowships, and tutorials, thus enhancing and ensuring further development of young radiologists during their training.
- ESOR would like to encourage young radiologists to participate in the programmes and to benefit from internationally renowned faculties and/or training in pre-selected, highly esteemed reference training centres in Europe and beyond.

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Goals of ESOR

- to assist in harmonising radiological education in Europe
- to support the implementation of the European Training Curricula
- to kick off an interest for subspecialisation in radiology
- to support the development of subspecialty fellowships in radiology through structured training
- to serve professional development by continuing radiological education
- to extend and coordinate educational activities in radiology in Europe and beyond

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Activities 2010

- **Visiting Schools (Europe)**
GALEN Courses
ASKLEPIOS Courses
ESMRMB School of MRI
ESNR European Course of Neuroradiology
- **Visiting Seminars (Worldwide)**
AIMS Advanced Imaging Multimodality Seminars (China)
- **Visiting Scholarship Programme (Europe and USA)**
- **Exchange Programmes for Fellowships (Europe)**
- **Tutorials (Europe)**
Graz Tutorials

11 courses in Europe
3 courses worldwide
6 seminars in China
3 tutorials
32 scholarships
23 exchange programmes for fellowships

460 grants per year!

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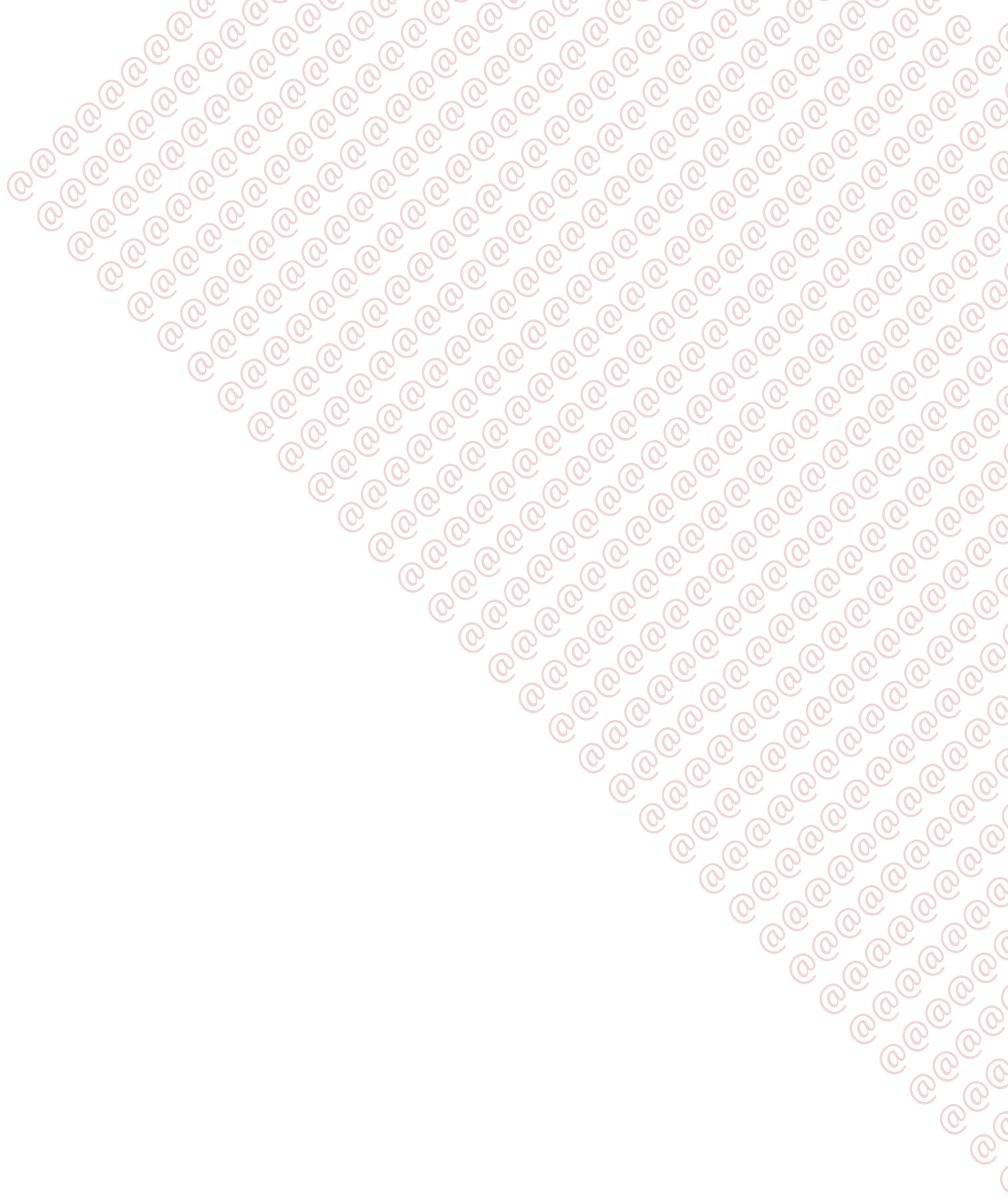


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