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Annual Report 2015/2016 on the Society's Activities

Facts about the Society

The current Executive Board was elected during the General Assembly in Sept. 2014 for a two-year period.

The Board consists of Dr. Dorothee Brakmann, Chairman,
Dr. Andreas Henschel, Deputy Chairman,
Mr Nils Landsiedel, Deputy Chairman,
Dr. Ulf Maywald, Deputy Chairman,
Mr Christian Licht, Treasurer.

The Business Office is headed by Dr. Maria Verheesen.

The Advisory Board consists of fifteen colleagues, representing all branches.

Our Members are pharmacists employed in (or retired from) the branches
Scientific institutions,
Industry and
Administration (incl. Armed Forces).

Dr. Armin Hoffmann was appointed to represent Germany in the EIPG.

Activities in the Past

The following activities were conducted within the report period:

- (1) We were representing Industrial Pharmacists in a Federal Pharmacists Committee to revise the Pharmaceutical Order for Pharmacists in Germany which lays the basis for the next update of the university curriculum for pharmacists.
- (2) We have enhanced our activities on universities. It is our goal to inform students who are facing their terminal exam and who are seeking advice regarding their professional development.
- (3) Again, we have sent copies of our compendium "Pharmaceutical Employment outside the Pharmacist's Shop and the Hospital Pharmacy" to Federal and state institutions which are responsible for education.
- (4) Collaboration with the National Pharmacists' Convent in Germany (ABDA).
- (5) Again, we have conducted assemblies in order to stimulate the exchange of opinions and experiences between our members.
- (6) We have shown presence on national pharmaceutical fairs. We have run a booth on the Fédération Internationale Pharmaceutique / Expopharm 2015 convent in Dusseldorf, having the opportunity to get in touch with international colleagues.
- (7) Active participation in ongoing matters touching our members' daily work.
- (8) Last but not least, we have participated in changes of the legislation with regards to the work and the status of Pharmacists being active outside a pharmacist's shop.

Scheduled Activities

- (1) We will continue to conduct national and local assemblies.
- (2) We will still intensify our activities on universities.
- (3) We will continue to exchange experiences and opinions with other pharmaceutical associations.
- (4) We will conduct certified vocational trainings for our members, but also pharmacists working in pharmacies. The courses are free-of-charge.
- (5) We are developing a “Code of Practice for Ph.D.s”, which is intended to support young pharmacists during their doctorate.