



European Forum of Psychomotricity

Minutes of the meeting with the European Commission in February 2007 in Brussels

On the 22nd of February 2007 the Board of the European Forum of Psychomotricity had a meeting with the European Commission.

Present at the meeting were:

For the European Commission:

Mrs Pamela Brumter-Coret, head of office of the Direction of Internal Market and Services, unity D3 (regulated professions).

Mrs Corinne Guidicelli, her assistant

For the European Forum of Psychomotricity:

Lone Frimodt, president

Rui Martins, vice-president

Pascal Bourger, vice-president

Jean-Pierre Yernaux, organiser of the meeting.

The purpose of the meeting was

to present the European Forum of Psychomotricity to the European Commission.

Main result of the meeting:

The homepage of the EFP is now serving as reference to the European Commission and appears on the home-page of European Commission. The European Forum of Psychomotricity will serve as contact and reference partner to the European Commission in matters of psychomotricity.

Other topics of discussion:

The possibility of creating an informal register, corresponding to a definition of professional standards and qualifications, as the EFP cannot fulfil the conditions for the creation of a European platform of psychomotricity, is discussed. The major problem is the variation in level of education and in designation of the profession. The work and initiatives of other professions could be examined.

The initiative of signing bilateral charters between the countries for the mobility of professionals is very much appreciated and is seen as a system of auto-regulation.

The creation of a EFP brochure of the profession is felicitated and Mrs Brumter-Coret has accepted to give us her comments on the relevant points to make the brochure as useful as possible.

The importance of increasing the national initiatives for the promotion of our profession.