

## OUTCOMES OF THE CPME BOARD AND GENERAL ASSEMBLY:



On 9 April 2016, the CPME Board and General Assembly met in Brussels. The outcome of these meetings includes the following decisions:

- The CPME Board decided unanimously to appoint Ms Annabel Seebohm as CPME Secretary General.
- The CPME Board adopted a '[CPME policy on Sex and Gender in Medicine](#)'.
- The CPME General Assembly voted unanimously for the Georgian Medical Association to join CPME as Observer.

## CPME WELCOMES GEORGIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

On the occasion of the Board and General Assembly meetings held in Brussels on 9 April 2016, CPME voted to accept the application of the Georgia Medical Association to become Observer Member to CPME.

The Georgian Medical Association was founded on 5 May 1989. It was the first non-governmental, professional organisation in Georgia. All licensed physicians practicing in Georgia, living overseas doctors, residents and students of the Faculty of Medicine can join the Georgian Medical Association.

The Georgia Medical Association joined the CPME as Observer Member. It is also member of EFMA and WHO since 1995, WMA since 2002 and SEEMF since 2011. CPME looks forward to a long and fruitful collaboration in the future.

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GEORGIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION



From left to right: Prof. Dr Gia Lobzhanidze, GMA Chairman of Board, Dr Jacques de Haller, CPME President and Dr Zaza Khachiperadze, GMA Secretary General

## CPME NEWS

- ◆ On 10-11 March 2016, CPME President Dr Jacques de Haller participated in the EFMA meeting in Tashkent.
- ◆ On 23 March 2016, CPME Vice-President Bernard Maillet spoke at the EPF Roundtable during the European Patients' Forum Annual General Meeting in Brussels. Please find more information [here](#).
- ◆ On 22 April 2016, CPME President Dr Jacques de Haller and Past President Dr Katrín Fjeldsted spoke at the Psychosomatics and Psychotherapy Conference, themed Doctor – patient relationship and migration crisis in clinical practice, in Riga. Please find more information [here](#).
- ◆ On 26 April 2016, CPME President Dr Jacques de Haller spoke at the Research and Innovation Summit at the European Parliament in Brussels. Please find more information [here](#).
- ◆ On 28-30 April 2016, CPME Vice-President Prof. Dr Rutger Jan van der Gaag participated in the WMA Council Session in Buenos Aires. Please find more information [here](#).
- ◆ On 29-30 April 2016, CPME President Dr Jacques de Haller participated in the EANA Spring Meeting in Brussels. Please find more information [here](#).