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## **PHARMINE**

### **Monthly managerial report**

**1<sup>st</sup> May 2010 to 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2010.**

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## DMGT meeting in VUB between B.R. and J.A. in VUB, Brussels

### WP1 MNGT

1. Proposals for 2011
  - a. Pharmacy education and training in Eastern Europe – PHAR-EE. Efforts to submit a proposal to the 3<sup>rd</sup> call (2007-13) of TEMPUS IV “Joint projects/Structural measures” with the title of “Pharmacy education and training in Eastern Europe – PHAR-EE” will continue. In this respect, comments from Macedonia (on number of HEIs for pharmacy in Macedonia) and from Belgrade (on distribution of grant resources) (see above) will be taken into account. If conditions are the same as in 2010 then the same forms will be used and the deadline expected is 9/3/2011.
  - b. A QA/framework for pharmacy education and training, and for CPD at HEIs. Proposal could be submitted to EACEA/KA4 valorisation multilateral projects (deadline end March 2011). Tartu and Athens could maybe be brought in on this.
  - c. A European (advanced master) course (year 6) in industrial pharmacy could be submitted to EACEA/LLP/curriculum development. Multilateral projects bring together a minimum of three institutions from at least three LLP participating countries (at least one country must be an EU Member State).
    - i. Course could be developed within different frameworks (e-learning, CPD...)
    - ii. Partners:
      1. VUB
      2. PCN
      3. Global Qualified Person Group (Martine Tratsaert, J&J, Beerse, Belgium, [mtratsae@its.jnj.com](mailto:mtratsae@its.jnj.com)) (see below: Qualified Person Forum 2010, London, U.K., 25 – 26 November 2010)
      4. EIPG
        - a. Jane Nicholson
        - b. Claude Ferruga, Malta QP Association and La Velatta university (also SMEs developed by latter)
        - c. Dimitrios Rekkas, Athens
      5. The programme could use the semi-industrial pharmaceutical production unit of the Belgian Army that is to be decommissioned in the near future
        - a. This unit also has a hotel facility that could be used for courses if a mixed e-learning + course work option is chosen
        - b. Staff costs for running the unit will have to be worked out
      6. JA will produce a draft for this and contact partners by end 2010.
2. Financing of P2/Nancy UHP. Following the different points raised by the Chief Accountant of P2 (Pierre Ivanovitz), BR confirmed that travel expenses will be covered by the travel budget that is overseen by P1/VUB. Furthermore Lea Noel will ask EACEA if the present form of time sheet from P2/Nancy suffices as justification of staff costs.
3. JA and BR will discuss with Gilles Gervais, EACEA in Catania (6/10) the possibility and modalities of an extension to the PHARMINE contract of 4 to 5 months, and also the problems of sponsorship.

### WP2 DISS

1. Meetings:
  - a. EACEA thematic and monitoring cluster meeting Brussels, June 21, 2010 (JA)
  - b. 4-8 September 2010: AMEE 2010, Glasgow, UK. The 2010 AMEE Conference will be held at the Scottish Exhibition and Conference Centre in Glasgow, UK. The main Conference runs from 6-8 September, with pre-conference workshops on 4-5 September. Additionally there will be a pre-conference e-Learning Symposium at University of Glasgow on 4-5 September. MEDINE-2 have invited PHARMINE to participate.
  - c. SPML, Société de Pharmacie de la Méditerranée Latine (Italie, l'Espagne et la France) : 29<sup>ème</sup> congrès international Granada (E) du 15 au 18 Septembre 2010 (<[www.farmacia.ugr.es/sfml](http://www.farmacia.ugr.es/sfml)>) (JA)

- d. Joint French and American Pharmacists meeting, New York 29/9 to 3/10/10 (JA)
  - e. Kharkov, Ukraine, September 2010
  - f. DG Internal Market seminar on changes in directive on recognition of qualifications : October 2010, Brussels
  - g. Qualified Person Forum 2010, London, U.K., 25 – 26 November 2010
2. The PHARMINE dinner in Catania will be sponsored by EAHP.

### WP3 EXP

1. Laura Obiols Albinara and Ian Bates have produced a list of “Foundation Level Outcomes”. These incorporate the list of competences for industrial pharmacy developed by the joint PHARMINE/EIPG working group and should also incorporate the list of competences for hospital pharmacy to be finalised shortly (6/6/2010, Brussels EAHP meeting).

### WP4 EXP

1. The PHARMINE/EAHP joint working group will finalise its recommendations on the 6/6/2010, at the Brussels EAHP meeting.
- a. Thinking is along the lines of an advanced master in hospital pharmacy (year 6) with 60 ECTS of HEI/ hospital education and 2 years (years 7 and 8) of trainee hospital internship (validated by the HEI and the hospital pharmacy tutors)
  - b. The above is similar to the French *internat* system.

### WP5 EXP

1. The joint PHARMINE/EIPG working group has decided that:
- a. There is no need for a “general” advanced master degree but rather courses in specific areas:
    - i. Regulatory affairs
    - ii. QP
    - iii. Sterile medicines
    - iv. Pharmaceutical biotechnology
    - v. Patent law and protection for biotechnological products
    - vi. Others
2. A list of competences for industrial pharmacy has been produced and approved by all MSs of EIPG. It has been sent to FIP (education committee), EUFEPS and IMI for their approval.

### WPs 3, 4 and 5

1. BR will plan a meeting with PGEU (president, general secretary) by contacting - in a first phase - Filip Babylon. Within PGUE the Presidency is exercised by the national delegations on a rotational basis. The President is chosen by the representatives of his/her country. The President is also the chair of the Executive Committee. The current President of PGEU is Mr Filip Babylon (Belgium).
- a. Discussion will be on the next political moves to be planned by the PHARMINE consortium :
    - i. Are Bologna principles to be worked into the revised version of 2005/36/EC ? (most probably not)
    - ii. How to go about putting political weight behind the list of competences
      - 1. Foundation level outcomes
      - 2. Hospital pharmacy
      - 3. Industrial pharmacy
2. PHARMINE partners will be contacted for examination and validation of the three competence lists. The procedure for this was discussed at the Brussels meeting in September 2009.<sup>xxi</sup>

### WP6 QPLN

Not discussed.

## **WP7 DEV**

Jorg Manieski attended this part of the discussion on:

1. JM will produce an interactive EXCEL database from the ACCESS databank prepared and maintained by JA. Those consulting the database will be able to generate specific sheets based on country, individual institution and other criteria (e.g. HEI or other). They will also have an interactive form for the submission of changes to the databank. The latter will be maintained (in ACCESS form) by JA every month and he will send a new version (EXCEL) to JM.
2. The databank will be used to generate e-mailing lists.
3. The EIPG journal paper on PHARMINE by JA and BR will be posted as soon as it is published.

**3/6/2010, 11h30**

**Meeting of BR and JA with Jurgen TIEDJE Unit 54 ‘Professional qualifications’ of DG Internal market ([Jurgen.Tiedje@ec.uropa.eu](mailto:Jurgen.Tiedje@ec.uropa.eu)) to discuss PHARMINE**

**JA Report:**

Villers, 4/6/2010

Prof. B. Rombaut, VUB, Brussels.

Meeting of PHARMINE with the EC DG internal market, Brussels, June 2010.

Those present:

PHARMINE: BR, JA

DG internal market:

Jurgen Tiedje, Head of unit, professional qualifications (JT)

Thomas Wiedmann, administrator, regulated professions

EUA: Howard Davies, senior advisor (HD)

JT informed us that:

- The timetable for the evaluation of 2005/36/EC has been brought forward given the new financial crisis to “early” 2010
- The DG has already had discussions with professional bodies (March 2010) and the general conclusion coming out of these was to change the present directive as little as possible
- The DG is looking at pushing automatic recognition of qualifications further if possible
- The DG would like PHARMINE to provide them with the total cost of education and training of a qualified pharmacist in the various MSs. This has already been produced by BR for VUB and is available in the UK (fees for foreign students)
- The DG is studying ways in which the Bologna process could impact the directive. It was unclear why this was so.

Other matters:

- The place of CPD and VAE in the directive is unclear
- The question of who validates traineeship is unclear
- PHARMINE/EAFP should reflect on whether paragraphs 44 and 45 of the directive require any modification
- Means will have to be found to give lists of competences (e.g. for hospital pharmacy) some political clout (but putting specialisation into the directive would seem impractical)
- DG will organise a meeting in October 2010 on recognition of professional qualifications to which PHARMINE will be invited.

J. Atkinson, Villers, 4/6/2010





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----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**Handover of email address

**Date :**Tue, 4 May 2010 07:40:33 +0100

**De :**Louise Winnecke Jensen <to.epsa@gmail.com>

Dear friends,

As I have now finished my mandate as EPSA Training Officer I am handing this email address over to my successor, Inkatuuli Heikkinen (Finland). For future enquiries related to EPSA Trainings please use this address or [training@epsa-online.org](mailto:training@epsa-online.org).

I can be reached on [louisewjensen@gmail.com](mailto:louisewjensen@gmail.com) or on the cell number below.

Best regards

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----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**IMI call 2010 education 040510

**Date :**Tue, 04 May 2010 12:54:08 +0200

**De :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Pour :**jane <jane@nicholj.plus.com>

**Copie à :**'Bart Rombaut' <brombaut@vub.ac.be>, Lea Noel <lea.noel@vub.ac.be>

Dear Jane and Bart,  
IMI will have a call on education in 2010 (see documents). The topic is not exactly on training future Ph.D.s or whatever but it is interesting for both PHARMINE and EIPG (communication of biomedical research information to the broader public).

Could you ask around to find out more? especially deadlines.

Best regards,

Jeff

04/05/2010 12:52

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jane a écrit :

> Hi Jeffrey-

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> Are you going to try to get some money from IMI regarding research as you  
> were intending last year? If you remember, I reported at your meeting last  
> year in Norway, industry considers there is a shortage of post-docs and with  
> the economic climate this will get worse.

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> Regards

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> Jane

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----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**PHARMINE sponsors & EACEA 100510

**Date :**Mon, 10 May 2010 12:15:44 +0200

**De :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Pour :**Rombaut Bart <brombaut@vub.ac.be>

**Copie à :**Lea Noel <lea.noel@vub.ac.be>

Dear Bart,

A refusal letter from Pfizer....

So far 3 out of 200 or more have answered - is that right?

Did you have the time to write to EACEA about the refusal of our TEMPUS bid?

Best regards,

Jeff

10/05/2010 12:15

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----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**Re: Fwd: Thematic and monitoring cluster meeting

**Date :**Mon, 17 May 2010 17:29:44 +0200

**De :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Pour :**Bart Rombaut <brombaut@vub.ac.be>, Lea Noel <lea.noel@vub.ac.be>

Dear Bart,

Looks interesting and I think we should be there - I will try to rearrange my schedules and attend.

What about the meeting with DG MARKT on the 3rd. June?

Best regards,

Jeff

17/05/2010 17:29

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Bart Rombaut a écrit :

> Dear Jeff,

> Could you attend this meeting ? This is examination time for me

> Yours sincerely

> Bart

>

>> On behalf of Maria Luisa Garcia Miguez

>> Erasmus Coordinator

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>> Dear Prof. Rombaut,

>> Please find attached the invitation and its annexes to the thematic

>> and monitoring cluster meeting which will be held in Brussels on 21

>> June 2010.

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>> Kind regards,

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>> Your Erasmus Team

**V**

----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**Re: PharmSciFair Session Topics Requested eafp PHARMINE

**Date :**Mon, 03 May 2010 10:21:45 +0200

**De :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Pour :**Hans Lindén <hans.linden@eufeps.org>

**Copie à :**Rombaut Bart <brombaut@vub.ac.be>, Alain\_CUINE@europe.bd.com

Dear Hans,

Thank you for your message.

After carefully going through the information you sent, I think that PHARMINE would fit in very well with A/3 on Thursday morning "Educate & Train". I would suggest that we do an update on PHARMINE generally and after that Bart Rombaut tells the delegates about the PHARMINE work and ideas in the area of industrial pharmacy education and training.

Bart will contact you on this.

Best regards,

Jeff

03/05/2010 10:20

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Hans Lindén a écrit :

> Dear Jeff

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> In the attached we are now asking for topic or theme for your session in the forthcoming PharmSciFair - and it's self-explanatory, I think. If you'd like to expand the number of sessions, please indicate.

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> Looking forward to your response

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> With best regards

> Hans

> .....

> Hans H Linden

> hans.linden@eufeps.org

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Dear Jeff, Dear Bart,

My request was not for myself. This was for EUFEPS representative who will inform the participants about the IMI project's participation and the developments.

For your information. Thanks and regards.

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From: Bart Rombaut [<mailto:brombaut@vub.ac.be>]

Sent: Tuesday, May 11, 2010 3:57 PM

To: [Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr](mailto:Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr)

Cc: Atilla HINCAL

Subject: FW: RE: FW: EAFF Conference, Catania 24-26 June 2010/Regards/ I need an urgent reply.

Dear Jeff,

This is the first time I hear from Atilla's request. Could we find some spare time in the Pharmine part of the conference to give Atilla the opportunity to speak on IMI

Yours sincerely,

Bart

Date: Tue, 11 May 2010 08:44:52 +0000

Accept-Language: tr-TR, en-US

X-MS-Has-Attach: yes

X-MS-TNEF-Correlator:

Dear Bart,

I tried to ask your help some time ago forwarding EUFEPS request to you for a oral presentation in Catania Meeting. EUFEPS would like to inform all pharmaceutical scientists who may be interested about IMI Project of EU in EAFF Catania Meeting. I learned in last Vienna EUFEPS Senate Meeting that 35 participants already in this network with the benefit of the Project .

I did not receive any reply from you and I asked the help of Prof Carlo Rossi from Dean of Perugia Pharmacy School and he wrote to Guiseppa Ronsisvalle. But he did not receive any reply till today.

EUFEPS asked my help, as you can understand I should inform them your decision negative or positive. They asked me many time but I couldn't return by any positive or negative answer unfortunately. You will see as attachment Hans Linden's last

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----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**Fw: CONGRES S.P.M.L 2010

**Date :**Tue, 25 May 2010 22:58:05 +0200

**De :**Renée chambon <renee.chambon@yahoo.fr>

**Pour :**Jeff ATKINSON <jeffrey.atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

Cher collègue,

Je vous confirme que votre intervention est prévue pour le Vendredi 17 Septembre à 15h30 .

Je vous fais parvenir le programme définitif sous forme électronique dans un prochain mail.

Il me semblerait intéressant de discuter avec les autres rapporteurs de la table ronde consacrée aux" Programmes d'échanges universitaires européens"(Pr.Rouzet, Pr.Miro de Grenade,

Pra.Fadda de Cagliari) ainsi que avec Pr.Carlo Rossi (EAFP)qui intervient le samedi matin.

Best wishes.

R.Chambon

----- Original Message -----

From: Renée chambon

To: Jeff ATKINSON

Sent: Saturday, February 20, 2010 8:13 PM

Subject: Fw: CONGRES S.P.M.L 2010

Dear colleague,

I sent this message to Bart Rombaut and Carlo Rossi about 2 months ago as new president and VP of the EAFP and they did not give me an answer .

I wonder whether you got it too?

Indeed I got a short message from you on Dec.18th saying that you would like to participate in the September congress in Granada. Now things are in progress and Granada has prepared a Preliminary Programme which I would be glad to send over to you, but for that I need your address : could you please send it over to me ?

I would also like to know what you intend to put in your presentation(in french) for the round table on "Les programmes d'échanges universitaires en pharmacie,hier et aujourd'hui" to take place on Friday 17 September afternoon ?

I must add that there will also be a presentation from Italy and one from Spain on the same subject and then discussion.I don't know the exact time available for each presentation but I guess it must be between 20 and 30 minutes.

Now from a practical point of view let me tell you that both your flight and hotel would be paid by the society.

I look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

Best wishes .

Renée Chambon

----- Original Message -----

From: Renée chambon

To: Bart Rombaut

Cc: Carlo Rossi

Sent: Wednesday, December 09, 2009 10:45 PM

Subject: CONGRES S.P.M.L 2010

Chers collègues Présidents,

Comme vous le savez, j'ai dû quitter l'ExCo de l'EAFP suite à mon départ de

## viii

----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**PHARMINE WP7 databank 270510

**Date :**Thu, 27 May 2010 14:28:55 +0200

**De :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Pour :**Jorg Maniewski <jorg@gaga.be>

**Copie à :**Lea Noel <lea.noel@vub.ac.be>, Rombaut Bart <brombaut@vub.ac.be>

Dear Jorg,

A while ago we talked about the PHARMINE WP7 databank and you said you may be able to help us, although as I understand you are more Apple than Microsoft. The databank file can now go on line but we need an interactive version.

The master file is in MS ACCESS. We need to produce an interactive version so that people could print specific forms (see examples for Belgium and individual form for Tirana). We would have to protect the master file from on-line interference and run a service (I can do that) for people wishing to change their data. I will also keep the file up to date.

I will be in VUB on the 2nd (afternoon) if you have a minute - you can check my schedule with Lea.

Best regards,  
Jeff Atkinson

27/05/2010 14:26



## ix

----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**PHARMINE website hits & distribution list 310510

**Date :**Mon, 31 May 2010 15:57:31 +0200

**De :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Pour :**Jorg Maniewski <jorg@gaga.be>, Lea Noel <lea.noel@vub.ac.be>, Rombaut Bart  
<brombaut@vub.ac.be>

Dear Jorg,

As Bart and I have a meeting with the EC on Thursday, could you send me the latest status on the hits on the website, please?

I was also thinking that now that we are coming to the end of PHARMINE, we should send out a monthly newsletter to the e-mail list on the ACCESS databank document that I sent you. Is there a set way to do this?

Best regards,

Jeff Atkinson

31/05/2010 15:56

----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**Re: PHARMINE website hits & distribution list 310510

**Date :**Tue, 1 Jun 2010 14:03:46 +0200

**De :**Jorg Maniewski <jorg@gaga.be>

**Pour :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>, Bart Rombaut  
<brombaut@vub.ac.be>

Jeffrey,

Last month pharmine.org got the following statistics:

- 201 visits (incl. 36.32% of visitors that bounces immediately)
- 1,133 pageviews
- average of 5.64 visited pages per visit
- average time of 00:03:19 on site

You can find all details on <http://www.google.com/analytics/>

email: stats@pharmine.org

password: stats273

**X**

----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**Fwd: 1ère Rencontre Franco-américaine de Pharmacie, New -York, Oct.2010, en collaboration avec l'Académie Nationale de Pharmacie

**Date :**Thu, 27 May 2010 19:35:50 +0200

**De :**Christine Atkinson <christine.atkinson@uhp-nancy.fr>

**Pour :**jeffrey.atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr

>From: "Catherine Dognon" <cdognon@rfa-pharmacie.com>  
>To: <christine.atkinson@uhp-nancy.fr>  
>Subject: 1ère Rencontre Franco-américaine de Pharmacie, New  
> -York, Oct.2010, en collaboration avec l'Académie Na  
> tionale de Pharmacie  
>Date: Thu, 27 May 2010 15:30:15 +0200  
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>Importance: High  
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>X-Greylist: Delayed for 00:29:59 by milter-greylist-4.0 (poincare.ciril.fr  
>[194.214.217.19]); Thu, 27 May 2010 16:01:16 +0200 (CEST)  
>X-Scanned-By: poincare.ciril.fr on 194.214.217.19  
>  
>Chère Madame Capdeville-Atkinson,  
>  
>Nous avons le plaisir de vous adresser le détail du programme et de l  
>organisation de la 1ère Rencontre Franco-américaine de Pharmacie.  
>  
>Cet évènement inédit et convivial se déroulera à New-York du 30 septembre  
>au 4 octobre prochain, sous la présidence du Professeur Luc Cynober et en  
>collaboration avec l'Académie Nationale de Pharmacie.  
>  
>Nous serons très heureux de vous y accueillir et sommes à votre  
>disposition pour toute information complémentaire, et nous veillerons  
>personnellement à ce que ce congrès soit agréablement mémorable.  
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>Bien cordialement,  
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>DOGNON  
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**xi**

----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**EAHP meeting Brussels

**Date :**Tue, 01 Jun 2010 14:08:29 +0200

**De :**Bart Rombaut <brombaut@vub.ac.be>

**Pour :**juraj.sykora@gmail.com

**Copie à :**Roberto.Frontini@medizin.uni-leipzig.de, Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr

Dear Juraj,

Did you receive my mail dated 26th May ? As I explained you in that mail, I will only be able to attend the afternoon meeting on saturday, 5th June (on the competences of a hospital pharmacist). Is that OK to you ? Can you exactly tell me where the meeting is (Novotel Zaventem ?).

Please find enclosed a short summary on the new programme of hospital pharmacists in Flanders (Belgium). Also enclosed a set of competencies for hospital pharmacists prepared by all universities and university hospitals in Belgium. I hope you can use this list as a starting point.

Yours sincerely,

Bart

Prof.Dr.Bart Rombaut

----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**PHARMINE WP7 survey Bulgaria 020510

**Date :**Mon, 03 May 2010 11:03:48 +0200

**De :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Pour :**Daisy Volmer <daisy.volmer@ut.ee>

Dear Daisy,

There are still a couple of points missing.

Firstly there is no information on traineeship.

I suppose that this comes in during the 5th year. How many weeks? Is there traineeship earlier in the course? Is traineeship in a community and/or hospital pharmacy, in industry or academia? Who validates the traineeship? The HEI or the national registration organisation?

Secondly: what is required for registration as a professional pharmacist? Simply a pharmacy degree or does the Bulgarian Pharmaceutical Union have further exigencies such as validation of a period of practical experience...?

Thirdly: "generic" refers to courses such as computer science, management... given at the HEI. Traineeship can also be considered as a practical course in certain generics such as management. That is why we have two sections; "generics" alone and "generics plus traineeship". The 300 hours generics in the 1st year presumably refers to HEI generics and not traineeship?

Finally: chapter 5 point 6: here we are looking for networking and collaboration in education at a European level. Whilst networking and collaboration is very common in research it is far less common in education. As Valentina replied "partially" to this, she may have some Bulgarian examples of networking and/or collaboration?

Best regards,  
Jeff Atkinson

03/05/2010 11:00

----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**Re: PHARMINE WP7 survey Bulgaria 020510

**Date :**Mon, 3 May 2010 14:25:53 +0300

**De :**Daisy Volmer <daisy.volmer@ut.ee>

**Pour :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

Dear Prof. Atkinson,

here is reply from Valentina.

The pregraduate trainership comes after the 9th semester. Its duration is 6 months and it is carried out in a hospital or community pharmacy. The Faculty and the pharmacy validate the trainership - every month the pharmacist that is responsible for the students issues a declaration that the students has performed a

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**Sujet:**PHARMINE WP7 survey Denmark 050510

**Date :**Wed, 05 May 2010 14:52:53 +0200

**De :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Pour :**MEL@lundbeck.com

**Copie**Jane Nicholson <jane@nicholj.plus.com>, Rombaut Bart <brombaut@vub.ac.be>, Lea Noel  
à :<lea.noel@vub.ac.be>, Daisy Volmer <daisy.volmer@ut.ee>

Dear Michiel,

I am working on the final version of the PHARMINE WP7 survey for Denmark (attached) and have used some of your material.

Could you please check on the relevant sections in chapters 1 and 2 on:

- what if any are the specific roles and competences (as defined by Danish law?) for industrial pharmacists?
- how does a qualified pharmacist become an industrial pharmacist?
- how does a graduate from another subject area (chemistry, pharmacology...) come to work in industry?
- what are the relative numbers of pharmacists and non-pharmacists working in industry?

Could you also let me have a few lines on the organisation of the Danish pharmaceutical industry (big pharma, biotechs...).

Could you please supply any documentation and websites that you think useful?

To have an idea at what I am aiming at please check out the profiles at:  
[http://www.pharmine.org/losse\\_paginas/Country\\_Profiles/](http://www.pharmine.org/losse_paginas/Country_Profiles/)

Many thanks,

Prof. Jeffrey ATKINSON,

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**Sujet:**RE: PHARMINE WP7 survey Denmark 050510

**Date :**Tue, 1 Jun 2010 11:26:18 +0200

**De :**Michiel Ringkjøbing Elema <MEL@Lundbeck.com>

**Pour :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Copie**Jane Nicholson <jane@nicholj.plus.com>, Rombaut Bart <brombaut@vub.ac.be>, Lea Noel  
à :<lea.noel@vub.ac.be>, Daisy Volmer <daisy.volmer@ut.ee>, Kian Schmüker Conteh  
<ksc@pharmadanmark.dk>, Michiel Ringkjøbing Elema <MEL@Lundbeck.com>

Dear Jeff,

Thanks for your very comprehensive document on the Danish Pharmacy education and

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**Sujet:**Pt pharmine

**Date :**Mon, 17 May 2010 21:18:54 +0100

**De :**Afonso Miguel Cavaco <acavaco@ff.ul.pt>

**Pour :**<jeffrey.atkinson@orange.fr>, <brombaut@vub.ac.be>

**Copie à :**José A Guimarães Morais <jagmorais@ff.ul.pt>

Dear Profs Jeff and Bart,

Prof Morais asked me to finish and send the Pt Pharmine report.

Attached are also the files mention in this report, including a translation of our syllabus (Annex 1).

If anything else is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Best regards, Afonso.

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----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**PHARMINE WP7 survey The Netherlands 250510

**Date :**Tue, 25 May 2010 14:39:51 +0200

**De :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Pour :**Jane Nicholson <jane@nicholj.plus.com>, "Frontini, Roberto" <Roberto.Frontini@medizin.uni-leipzig.de>, Rombaut Bart <brombaut@vub.ac.be>

**Copie**  
**à :** John Chave <J.chave@pgeu.eu>, Daisy Volmer <daisy.volmer@ut.ee>

Dear All,

Here is the first version of the PHARMINE WP7 survey The Netherlands produced by Prof. Tom Schalekamp from Utrecht.

PGEU, EIPG, EAHP: Could you ask your national representatives (you may have already sent names but I cannot find them) to read it through and come up with suggestions if they feel they are required?

Bart R.: Did you not have a contact also?

All: Could you suggest documents to go with this survey in the PHARMINE "Country profile" for The Netherlands (see Finland for example on [www.pharmine.org](http://www.pharmine.org)).

Best regards,  
Jeff

Professor Jeffrey ATKINSON

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**Sujet:**PHARMINE WP7 Survey Italy 250510

**Date :**Tue, 25 May 2010 15:12:25 +0200

**De :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Pour :**paola.minghetti@unimi.it

**Copie**Carlo rossi <cfrossi@unipg.it>, Rombaut Bart <brombaut@vub.ac.be>, Lea Noel  
à :<lea.noel@vub.ac.be>, Jane Nicholson <jane@nicholj.plus.com>, Daisy Volmer  
<daisy.volmer@ut.ee>

Dear Prof. Minghetti,  
Jane Nicholson sent me a copy of the slides you showed at the recent  
EIPG meeting in Milan.  
I would like to put them on our PHARMINE website in the country profile  
documents for the PHARMINE WP7 Survey Italy (see:  
[http://www.pharmine.org/losse\\_paginas/Country\\_Profiles/Italy/](http://www.pharmine.org/losse_paginas/Country_Profiles/Italy/)).  
Do you agree?  
Best regards,  
Jeff Atkinson

Professor Jeffrey ATKINSON

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----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**Re: PHARMINE WP7 survey FYROM Norway Turkey 260510

**Date :**Wed, 26 May 2010 12:45:43 +0300

**De :**Daisy Volmer <daisy.volmer@ut.ee>

**Pour :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

Dear Prof. Atkinson,

Norway is not in the list of countries I have to contact with. And as far  
as I remember our first priority was to take EU countries.  
But I have file with your questions dated September 11, 2010. If you have  
not received any reply until today, perhaps you or I could resend the  
document?

Regards,

Daisy



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----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**Re: PHARMINE WP7 survey for Austria - reminder 260510

**Date :**Thu, 27 May 2010 09:41:50 +0200

**De :**Christian Noe <christian.noe@univie.ac.at>

**Pour :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

I distributed the questionnaire to my colleagues,  
and will immediately request the answers to send them back asap.  
Best regards

At 15:15 26.05.2010, you wrote:

>Dear Prof. Noe,

>Any news?

>Best regards,

>Jeff Atkinson

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>26/05/2010 15:15

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----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**Re: PHARMINE WP7 survey Belgium 290310 reminder 270510

**Date :**Thu, 27 May 2010 12:49:27 +0200

**De :**Bert Thys <bert.thys@vub.ac.be>

**Pour :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

Dear prof. Atkinson ,

I am forwarding you the e-mails I have sent to prof. Praet, chairwoman of the Belgian Association of Pharmaceutical Sciences, so you can see I am working on it. I am waiting for their final reports.

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Answer of prof. Preat on May 21

Dear Dr Thys,

I don't recall receiving this email.  
We shall have the board of the BSPS next week and the document will be discussed.  
I shall send it too to the "commissssion d'enseignement" of UCL.

What is the deadline?

Regards,

V.Preat

Second e-mail to prof. Preat on May 21

Bert Thys a écrit :  
>Dear Prof. Praet,  
>  
>A couple of weeks ago, I have sent you an e-mail  
>with a few questions concerning a European  
>project about pharmacy education in Europe  
>(PHARMINE). May I kindly ask you if you have  
>received this e-mail or if you have already some  
>information for us. In case you don't have time  
>to answer to the questions, you may let it know  
>to us so we can find another solution.  
>  
>Kind regards,  
>  
>Bert Thys  
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Original e-mail to prof. Preat on April 6

>Dear Prof. Preat,

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**Sujet:**RE: PHARMINE W7 survey Ireland 270510

**Date :**Thu, 27 May 2010 14:20:45 +0100

**De :**Judith Strawbridge <JStrawbridge@rcsi.ie>

**Pour :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Copie**Lea Noel <lea.noel@vub.ac.be>, Rombaut Bart <brombaut@vub.ac.be>, Daisy Volmer  
à :<daisy.volmer@ut.ee>, "Paul Gallagher (Staff)" <pgallagher@rcsi.ie>

Dear Prof Atkinson

Your email reminder is timely - I have just been filling in the questionnaire even as your email arrived. I apologise for the long delay, but teaching and an institutional review have just finished and I can now make progress again. We have also just received results from a National review of Pharmacy Education - so I'm now better placed to answer some of the questions than before.

Kind regards

Judith

-----Original Message-----

From: Jeffrey ATKINSON [mailto:Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr]

Sent: 27 May 2010 14:14

To: Judith Strawbridge

Cc: Lea Noel; Rombaut Bart; Daisy Volmer; Paul Gallagher (Staff)

Subject: PHARMINE W7 survey Ireland 270510

Dear Prof. Strawbridge,

Any news on the matter below?

You can find examples of PHARMINE country profiles at:

[http://www.pharmine.org/losse\\_paginas/Country\\_Profiles/](http://www.pharmine.org/losse_paginas/Country_Profiles/)

Best regards,

Jeff Atkinson

27/05/2010 15:14

----- Message original -----

**Sujet:**FW: PHARMINE

**Date :**Thu, 3 Jun 2010 08:45:04 +0100

**De :**Judith Strawbridge <JStrawbridge@rcsi.ie>

**Pour :**Jeffrey ATKINSON <Jeffrey.Atkinson@pharma.uhp-nancy.fr>

**Copie**Lorraine Horgan <Lorraine.Horgan@pharmaceuticalsociety.ie>, Paul Gallagher (Staff)  
à :<pgallagher@rcsi.ie>

Dear Prof Atkinson

Please see below the contact details for Ms Lorraine Horgan, Head of Professional Development and Learning of the PSI, who has indicated that there may be an opportunity

**Brussels meeting 26/9/2009 – minutes**  
**J. Atkinson, Executive Director (P9)**

A meeting was held at the invitation of PGEU (P6) in Brussels on the 26/9/2009.

The meeting started at 11h14.

All partners were represented except P4 - University of Lisbon (see attendance list).

J.A.G. Morais (coordinator P4) was held up in Lisbon by a strike of Portuguese Airways (TAP). WP6 - that P4 coordinate - was not discussed at this meeting.

Bart Rombaut (BR, coordinator, P1) thanked everyone present for giving up their time on a Saturday for such a meeting. BR explained the reasons for the absence of P4.

**1. Progress report deadline 30/9/2009.**

- a. Jeffrey Atkinson (JA, executive director, P9) asked for comments on the text of the public part of the above report. This was sent out to all partners on the 21/9/2009. Several points were raised and are to be incorporated into the final version. In view of time limits this revised version will not be circulated for comment.
- b. JA reminded partners that reports (progress and final) to the Education, Audiovisual & Culture Executive Agency (EACEA) of the Directorate General "Education and Culture", would be evaluated by external experts of EACEA and that their evaluation scores influence the amount of the total funds given to a project.
- c. BR reported that he still needed the time sheets and activity reports from several partners.
- d. Time sheets and reports should be sent to BR before 30/9/2009.

**2. Next meeting of partners (PGEU, Brussels).**

- a. Dates proposed: January 2010 – 4<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> or 11<sup>th</sup> through 15<sup>th</sup> (not the 14<sup>th</sup>)
- b. Partners should send in their preferences to Lea Noel ([lea.noel@vub.ac.be](mailto:lea.noel@vub.ac.be)) by the 15/10/2009. A date will be fixed on the 30/10/2009.

**3. Meeting with MEDINE (BR).**

- a. AMEE MEETING 29/8 – 2/9/2009, MALAGA – Spain
  - i. AMEE is the Association of Medical Educators in Europe. The annual conference of this association is the main meeting of medical educators in the world. This year, more than 2300 participants from 87 countries were present.
  - ii. During previous meetings, some educators joined and decided to start MEDINE (*MEDical Education IN Europe*). This project was funded by the European Commission within the Erasmus LLP programme (Thematic Networks). During previous meetings of AMEE, also some pharmaceutical educators learned about MEDINE. As a consequence, and after further debate within EAEP (European Association of Faculties of Pharmacy), PHARMINE (*PHARMacy Education IN Europe*) was established.
  - iii. The MEDINE project was successfully completed although some financial matters have as yet not been settled.
  - iv. During the AMEE conference in Malaga, it was announced that MEDINE-2 was funded by the European Commission, LLP programme, Thematic Networks. BR was invited to join the first meeting of the Executive Committee of MEDINE-2 on August 31<sup>st</sup> at the AMEE conference.
  - v. It was proposed that MEDINE-2 and PHARMINE will closely work together as many goals and objectives of both projects are similar since both professions are much related.

[PHARMINE 26/9/2009, minutes]

vi. MEDINE-2 asked whether members of PHARMINE could act as external reviewers for their project. This was accepted and PHARMINE asked members of Medine2 to do the same vice versa.

vii. BR had the opportunity to present the PHARMINE project in session 10, "Progress with the Bologna Process".

- b. All partners present approved point 3.a.vi. above.
- c. BR was congratulated on the successful accomplishment of interaction with MEDINE.
- d. It was judged that interaction between educators in the medical and pharmaceutical fields was essential.

**4. Discussion on the Bologna philosophy.**

- a. A discussion was held on the importance of the Bologna philosophy in the work of the consortium.
- b. JA reminded partners that this was clearly identified in the application (page 27).

**Aims and objectives**

Define the concrete aims and objectives of the project / network and describe the ways in which the situation set out under the previous point will be changed and the specific needs will be addressed by the project / network.

- The aims of the PHARMINE consortium are to
- i. Identify, localise and survey existing core competence curriculum in pharmacy education and training in the EU
    - a. those in which attempts have already been started to incorporate the Bologna process into the curriculum and those in which attempts have not been made in order to
      - i. Determine to what extent EU pharmacy curricula have adopted the Bologna philosophy
      - ii. Evaluate how the Bologna process has been incorporated (in which framework - local university, national EU...)
      - iii. Evaluate the impact of incorporation of the Bologna process on pharmacy employment. Given that a minimum of 5 years is required to train a professional pharmacist (directive 2005/06/EC), in pharmacy faculties which deliver bachelor as well as master and doctorate degrees the consortium will determine the employment opportunities for all 3 levels, especially the bachelor level
      - iv. Evaluate any potential conflicts between EU directives and the Bologna philosophy

- c. Whatever the outcome of the project, PHARMINE will have to reply to EACEA on the above points.
- d. This does not influence any recommendations it may make to DG Internal Market and Services.

**5. White papers and recommendations.**

- a. White papers that contain descriptive factual material only – with no opinions – will be published on the consortium website and elsewhere with no further ado.
- b. Any recommendations made by the consortium will be subject to a consensus process. The latter will take some 2 months.
- c. Both white papers and recommendations will be the work of WP2 DISS. P3 and P4 will be incorporated into WP2. This will be stated in the confidential part of the progress report.

**6. Timing.**

- a. On the basis of point 5 above the recommendation report of WPs 3, 4 and 5 will follow the timetable below:

- i. First draft - 1/6/2010 to all partners
- ii. Final draft – 1/7/2010
- iii. Consensus finishes 30/9/2010

**7. WPs (work packages) 3, 4 and 5.**

- a. It was considered that:
  - i. "Specialization" refers to "post-registration specialization"
  - ii. Further discussion is required on terms such as "specialization" before a unanimously accepted glossary of terms used in WPs 3, 4 and 5 can be accepted
- b. EAHP (P7) confirmed that they are lobbying the EU for reciprocal recognition of hospital pharmacists.
- c. PGEU (P6) made it clear that they represented community pharmacy and pharmacists.
- d. The texts on WPs as presented in the application will not be changed. This was accepted unanimously.
- e. The title of WP4 will now read "Exploitation of results – recommendations on competency curriculum for pharmacy specialization (community and hospital)". This will be stated in the confidential part of the progress report.
- f. The titles of WP3 and WP5 do not change.