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I have had the honour to participate in the EFORT Travelling Fellowship in France 01-07 April 2012. I was very proud to take part in traveling fellowships, because EFORT are leaders in orthopaedics in the world. It was a great opportunity to meet people from other countries and to exchange knowledge. I had the possibility to get the experience of orthopaedic surgery in Marseille and Nice.

Clinical sessions, live surgeries, lectures and social meetings were organised for us. We were a group of about 14 fellows from different countries. The duration was limited to one week. The group was active from the first day. I was creating many close acquaintances and very good working relations that I actually have at present.

From our personal presentations we found out how orthopaedic is practiced in different countries from Europe and also to get experience in how different medical education systems work. We have discussed various methods of orthopaedic surgical treatments, exchanged experiences on different pathologies and compared the position of orthopaedic surgeons among European countries.

The accommodation was great. The week spent in France enabled us to see beautiful Marseille, Nice and even brilliant Monte Carlo, where we enjoyed good food and drink in great restaurants.

It was a wonderful seven days' stay in France. At every time we were greeted by hospitality and this is what I will never forget. All our hosts did their best to make our stay maximally enjoyable, and succeeded in making it unforgettable.

I would like to heartily thank to the EFORT, SOFCOT, Corinne Füglister, Prof. Dr. Philippe Neyret, Prof. Dr. Jean-Noel Argenson and his perfect team, also Prof. Dr. Pascal Boileau, Prof. Dr. Christoph Trojani and everyone who welcomed us in their hospitals.



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Nice



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I would definitely recommend this fellowship to later applicants.

With best wishes, Sergey Morev Moscow, Russia