EFORT Forum

during the 69th Annual Congress of the Hellenic Association of Orthopaedic Surgery and Traumatology, (HAOST)

Open fractures on the leg

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Welcome

The project called EFORT Fora, launched in 2002 at the DGOOC Congress in Berlin, aims at organising specific EFORT symposia during the annual congresses of our member National Societies.

The initial idea was to choose one topic for several events, e.g. Thromboprophylaxis, and let European experts from various countries discuss it to clarify different European criteria and arrive at new standards. The concept was very well accepted, but the problem was to find European speakers ready to deal with the same topic during numerous events. On the other hand, the national expectations from such symposia are distinct from country to country.

Consequently, EFORT changed the format of the project and decided to organise these European Fora on specific topics non-related between them but rather embedded in the topics highlighted in each national congress. Today, under the supervision of our Fora Chair, Prof. Thierry Bégué from Paris – France, EFORT organises around 10 European Fora each year.

We plan to provide updates on a variety of hot topics within orthopaedics and traumatology. National Societies are free to choose a topic and propose a two-to-four-hour session during their yearly congress. Half of the speakers come from the organizing National Society and the other half should be appointed by EFORT from other European countries.

In recent years the EFORT Fora have enjoyed a very high scientific level and provided an excellent exchange between National Societies and EFORT. Accordingly, the interest in such Fora has grown markedly.
### EFORT Forum

**Wednesday, 02 October 2013**

**18.00 – 20.00**

18.00 Opening of the EFORT Forum  
M. Tyllianakis

18.10 Management of severe bone defects after open leg fracture in the acute phase?  
T. Bégué

18.30 Acute management in open fracture of the leg  
N. Haas

18.50 The activities of the European action for road traffic injury  
C. Wagner

19.10 Mangled extremity: What is the validity of the severity scoring system for the salvage of the extremity?  
S. Varytimidis

19.30 Management of large bone defects with distraction histogenesis  
I. Hatzokos

19.50 Summary of the EFORT Forum  
M. Tyllianakis

### Faculty

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  Greece

- **Christof Wagner**  
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