

# ESASO Fellowship Programme



Lugano, 26 June 2015

## Minutes: Selection 2015

### Fellowship Selection Committee

For the fourth time, the ESASO Fellowship Committee met for the selection of the new ESASO Fellows in Lugano on 26 June 2015. Present committee members were Borja Corcóstegui, Leonidas Zografos, Anat Loewenstein, Giuseppe Guarnaccia, Christoph Scholda, Ramon Medel and Maurizio Battaglia Parodi. Stanley Chang, Rupert Bourne, and Sobha Sivaprasad were skype-connected to interview the candidates.

Maurizio Battaglia Parodi, the Fellowship Committee Secretary, informed the members that 57 applications were received for the ESASO Fellowships 2015-16. Thereof, 12 candidates were selected and invited for personal interview to Lugano.

The 2015 ESASO Fellowship Programme includes specialisations at the following institutions:

Anterior Segment Surgery	Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain
Glaucoma	Anglia University Oxford, Great Britain
Medical Retina	Moorfields Eye Hospital, London, Great Britain
Oculoplastic Surgery	Instituto de Microcirugía Ocular (IMO), Barcelona, Spain
Surgical Retina	Instituto de Microcirugía Ocular (IMO), Barcelona, Spain
Surgical Retina	Ophthalmology Department of University Vienna, Austria
Surgical Retina	Ophthalmology Department of University Tel Aviv, Medical Center (TLVMC) & Sackler Faculty of Medicine, Tel Aviv University (TAU), Israel
Surgical Retina	Ophthalmology Department of University of Rostock, Germany

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The ESASO Fellowship Board led in-depth interviews with all candidates to understand their personal motivation and professional profile.

After a thorough discussion, the ESASO Fellowship Board assigned two ESASO Fellowships to:

- **Michael Martinez, MD, Mexico** for **Surgical Retina Fellowship** at Ophthalmology Department of University of Tel Aviv.
- **Gil Peretz, MD, Israel** for **Glaucoma Fellowship** at Anglia University of Oxford.

President of the Committee, Borja Corcóstegui, adjourned the meeting at 16.30 hrs.

Director of the Fellowship Programme

Stanley Chang, USA

President of the Committee

Borja Corcóstegui, Spain

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Rupert Bourne, Great Britain

José L. Güell, Spain

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