



Minutes 42.st SHLG meeting

Virtual meeting (zoom), November 22. 2021 16:00-17:30 central European time

	Welcome
	Attending per zoom: Karl Lemström, Maja Halme, Jesper Magnusson, Sandra Lindstedt, Johan Nilsson, Michael Perch, Inga Leuckfeld, Arnt Fiane, Are Holm, Ilse Duus Weinreich (Please note: this list may not be complete; please return corrections to Are)
1	Formalities and governance
1.1	Minutes from the meeting in April 2021 and agenda for this meeting were approved.
1.2	Are gave an update on the evaluation of membership for Latvia and Lithuania.
15	ELECTION OF NEW CHAIR. Karl Lemström (Helsinki) was unanimously elected as new chair of the SHLG.
1.6	Replacements for Executive Board will be agreed later as needed. Are volunteered to serve as executive board member until a replacement has been found.
2	Organ Exchange and Scandiatransplant Registry
2.1	Ilse presented data on transplant activity and organ exchange including urgent calls for 2021. The volume is lower due to the pandemic, but no further comments were noted.
2.2	Ilse informed about the current status of the registry. There is still need for assistance with the adaptation to the ISHLT registry. Moreover, the lung registry needs revision. Jesper, Michael and Are volunteered to collaborate with Ilse on this.
2.4	The suggestion from the allocation group for revision of urgent organ exchange system for lungs was discussed. None of the suggestions for change were approved by a majority of the participants, and thus the current system is continued.
3	Research
3.1	Jesper informed about the current status of the ScanCLAD study (lung): SCANCLAD update. The Study is fully included and running within parameters. The last follow-up for the main study is expected in the end of fall 2023. The last protocol amendment for the extension study has been approved by the Swedish ERB and has been forwarded to all sites for filing with respective local ERB.
3.2	Michael informed about the current status of the EPOS study (lung)
3.5	Michael informed about the current process of introducing a clinical study of the efficacy of ECP (photopheresis).
3.6	Sandra Lindstedt informed about a study of COVID in thoracic transplant in the Nordic countries, and will at a later time point approach each center for collaboration.
4	The next meeting will be planned as an overnight meeting from April 4. to April 5. 2022, suggested venue Helsinki. The form and location will of course depend of the state of the pandemic at that time.

Oslo, 15. December 2021

Are Holm