News from Scandiatransplant office

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Introduction

The Scandiatransplant website is the face shown to the world – to all interested in transplantation activities.
It has been a wish for some time to create a new website that will present the right 'Scandiatransplant image' in a more intuitive way by using a more modern layout.
March 15, 2012 student programmer Tito Phiri was hired 10 hours per week. His main working task has been and still is to create and upgrade a new Scandiatransplant website.
The new website will be launched August 15, 2012 – and will be available from this date at **www.scandiatransplant.org** as usual.

Purpose
By this information letter we wish to communicate to you about the office status and progress within the system, collaboration with groups related to Scandiatransplant and ongoing working projects.
We hope that you will read it and share the information with whom it might concern.
As always don't hesitated to contact us for further information, ideas, problems and help.

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1. **The first goal**

The first part of making the new website has been create a more user friendly structure and to transfer all the relevant information from the old website to the new website.

This process has given us the opportunity to evaluate and update all the existing material.

2. **NEW - data request form**

One of our central working tasks at the office is to make data extractions from the database when it is requested.

As a new initiative a data request form has been made, which is available on the website. This from is mandatory to fill out when you request data.

The filled in data request forms will be stored and later on used for statistic, documentation and FAQ's (= Frequently Asked Questions are listed with answers).

3. **Committees area**

Each specialised expert committee has its own area with the possibility to display relevant information. In this area appointed committee members can be editors and keep the information updated.

4. **What is next to come**

Tell us what you like, and what you do not.

We would like to encourage you to take a look at the new website and tell us what you think. Please use the evaluation form found on the front page (bottom) of the new website.