

## **NorPEN Executive Committee meeting**

August 30, 2022, 13-14 CET Chair: Björn Pasternak

Chair: SE; Note keeper: Arto Puranen (and Lotte Rasmussen)

Present: Lina Steinrud Mørch, Maurizio Sessa, Larus Steinþór Guðmundsson, Arto Puranen, Björn Pasternak, Lotte Rasmussen, Hedvig Nordeng

1. Approval of minutes from the last meeting

Minutes from last meeting in June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022 was approved.

2. Update from Educational group

Carolyn: progression with seminar to launch during fall. Are contacting speakers currently.

Upcoming educational meeting in late september/start october.

3. NorPEN 2022 in Tampere, Finland

No one present from the organizing community. Arto will ask if there is anything for the EC to do.

4. Ongoing papers

In future agenda keep this point focus on EX com initiated work. There was some discussion considering keeping this point on the agenda

For a wider scope: suggestion about a google document with ongoing projects. Could maybe be a paper in the future on the development of nordic pharmacoepi. Bring this question up again in the beginning of next year.

5. Updates on webpage

To be noted, Edu group was included on the web pages.

6. Other points

Upcoming elections for some countries representatives which are done in association in NorPEN meeting. Elections are upcoming apparently for Pharmacoepidemiological societies, Sweden, Norway and Finland. Arto will ask Leena who were elected and when to determinate which representatives are in subject of elections. Hedvig is probably going to step down if it is her time.

7. Next meeting

Rotation of the Chairmanship: DK, NO, IS, SE, FI, societies, register holders.

Next chair: FI