Dear President and EFP Delegate,

It is our great pleasure to let you know that preparations for EuroPerio 8 are progressing rapidly. As we mentioned in Brussels the scientific programme is almost set and promotion for the EuroPerio 8 is in full swing. The Ambassadors chaired by Nikos Donos are doing a great job in this regard. Therefore we would like to share some more information with you at this stage.

**Translation of Lectures**

The plans for providing simultaneous translations will follow the EuroPerio 7 model: The main auditorium will be equipped with a translation infrastructure. National societies interested in translation into their language are asked for a cost contribution of app. EUR 8,000.00 net (depending on language and scope of translation). This cost contribution is independent of final number of delegates.

The rationale is: the more delegates from your home country attend, the higher your share will be of the distribution of the meeting surplus after the congress. Promotion of the translational concept will start with the printing of the 2nd Announcement early September 2014 and thereinafter play an important role in the marketing plan. Thus, to take advantage of all these and your local promotional activities, your principal decision on offering translation is needed by Wednesday July 2nd, 2014. English is the official language of the congress.

**Call for Abstracts & EFP Clinical Research Prize in Periodontology (Jaccard Prize)**

**Submissions**

On-line abstract submission will begin on Monday, September 22, 2014 and will be available until Friday, November 28, 2014 via [http://www.efp.org/europerio/europerio8](http://www.efp.org/europerio/europerio8). We would appreciate very much if you could invite your colleagues, students and researchers to submit their papers.

We also encourage young researchers to submit their publication for the EFP Clinical Research Prize in Periodontology (Jaccard Prize) via EFP site ([www.efp.org](http://www.efp.org)) before November 28, 2014. On-line registration and accommodation booking for delegates will also start on Monday, September 22, 2014.

Please also make sure that you provide the direct link to the EuroPerio 8 site ([http://www.efp.org/europerio/europerio8](http://www.efp.org/europerio/europerio8)) on your society’s website.

**Evening for National Societies**

We would like to draw your attention to the possibility of organizing a dinner for your members on Thursday, June 4, 2015. At discussed at Brussels we shall be holding a Conference party that evening but the numbers for this will be strictly limited to 1,200 persons, and we know that many of the largest societies particularly like to organize their own get together. Obviously London has many exciting, interesting and unusual venues suitable for receptions and dinners. Alexandra Bret, Project Manager TFI Corporate, will be pleased to advise and assist you in the organisation of the gathering. Her contact details are: phone (+44) 207 233 5644 and email address: [alexandra.bret@tfigroup.com](mailto:alexandra.bret@tfigroup.com)
General Information
Similar to EuroPerio 7 in Vienna, we will create an area for institutional booths in the commercial exhibition or at another very prominent spot. After summer we expect to give you more information about the EP8 EFP Village.

Thank you once again for supporting EuroPerio 8 and for helping us to make it another highly successful EuroPerio conference.

We look forward to seeing you in London in June 2015.
Best personal regards

Prof. Francis Hughes
EuroPerio 8 Chairman