

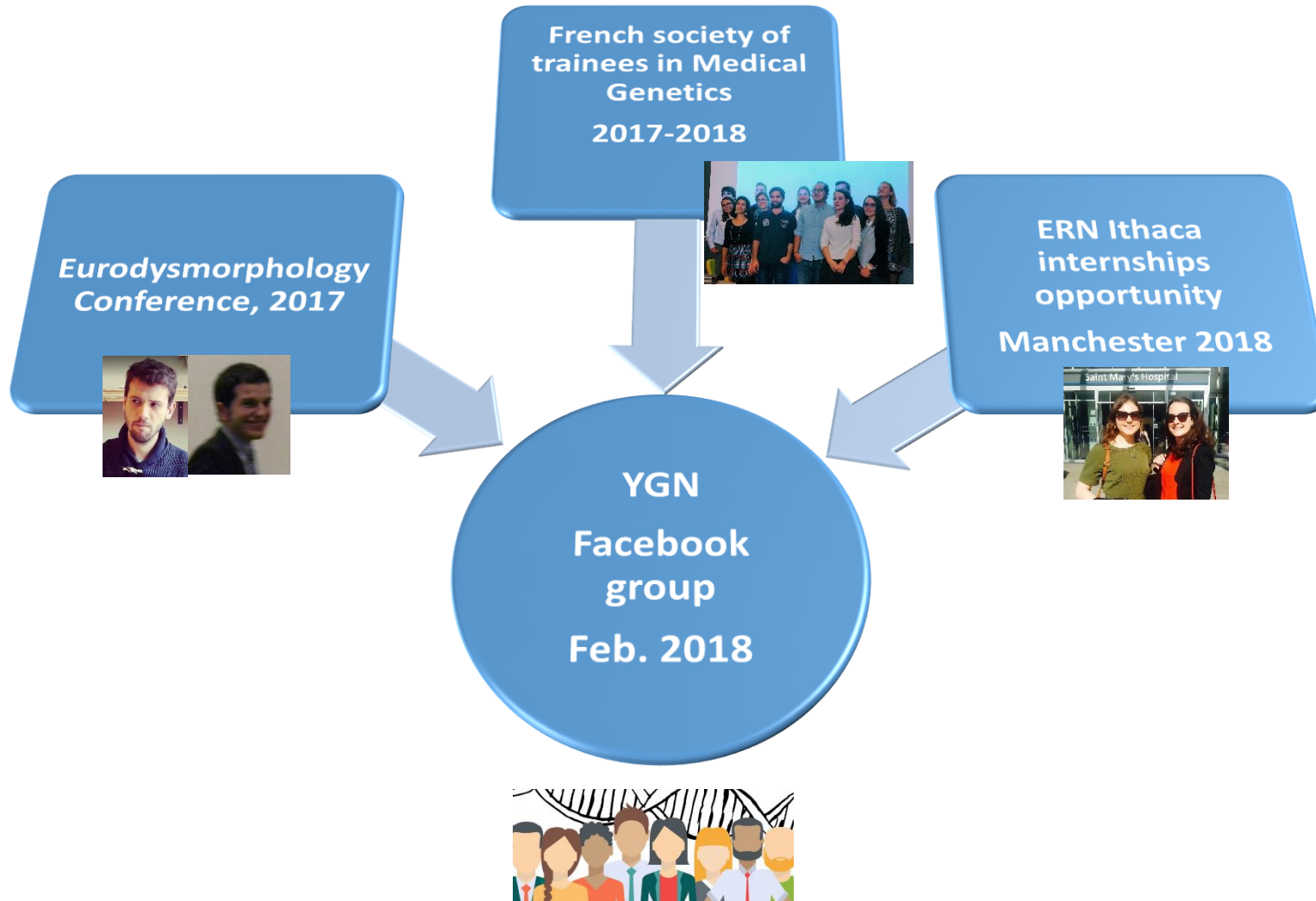


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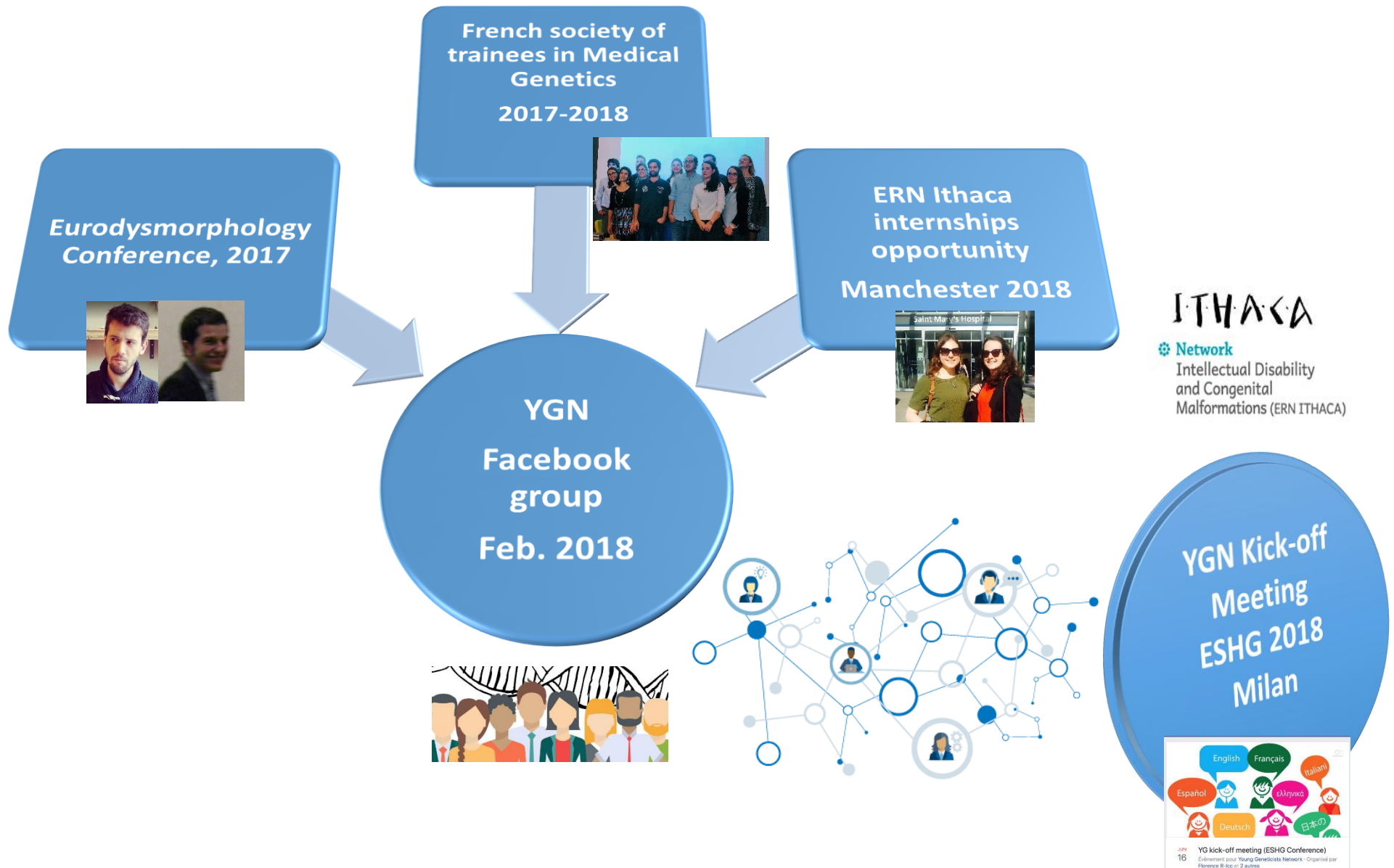
# Young Geneticists Network



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# YOUNG GENETICISTS NETWORK KICK-OFF MEETING - ESHG 2018 - MILANO

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YG kick-off meeting (ESHG Conference)  
Évènement pour Young Geneticists Network · Organisé par  
Florence R-icc et 2 autres



- Why a YG Network ?
- Genetics training in different EU countries
- ERN ITHACA overview and opportunities
- Future perspectives for YG Network



# YG Network: who are we?

- Young professionals
  - Are under senior supervision (intern/resident/trainee, PhD student,...)
  - Have to develop professional experience
  - Need support and a professional network
- Open to all Human geneticists
  - Clinicians, biologist and scientists
  - Mainly but NOT ONLY medical doctors
- Under 35 years-old
  - Or above if training started later (e.g.: career change,...)
- All around the world (at least 27 countries)



**N=397**

# What are our expectations ?

- Peer support
- Learning and training opportunities (registration and funding)
  - Simulations and case presentations in the CPMS platform
  - Conferences, webinars
  - Internships opportunities and funding
  - Agenda of conferences
- Collaborative projects
  - Calls for specific research cases
  - SOLVE RD connect



**Carla Sargiotto**

4 May

## Argentina



Hello!

Has anyone in this group or know someone who has done the pilot for the European Exam on Genomic Medicine??? How was it?? Do you recommend to do it ??

Thank you!

Greetings from Argentina



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6 comments



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**Zafer Yüksel** Dear **Carla Sargiotto**, I was one of the Pilot examinee last year. It is worth to check your general knowledge. Therefore, I can recommend. You can check the general information here: <https://clinicalgenetics-uems.pt.e.hu/.../edm-gg-examination> and the sample questions here: <https://clinicalgenetics-uems.pt.e.hu/.../edm-gg-exam....> Best luck,

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**Carla Sargiotto** **Zafer Yüksel** thank you for your response! What do you mean by checking your general knowledge? I have already read those documents you send, would you say the sample questions represent the mcq of the actual exam?  
Thank you!

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## Nigeria



**Obisesan Gbenga**

3 June at 09:37

Please after graduating as an animal geneticist and animal biotechnologist and an animal breeder

So can the person go and study  
Molecular genetics or medical genetics  
In masters degree and phd



You, Valentin Ruault and 1 other

2 comments



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**Marek Turnovec** I think it depends on exact study programme and its curriculum, on rules of the following programme and of course on the country...

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**Obisesan Gbenga** **Marek Turnovec**

Thank you sir

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# YG Network: where are we now?

## I. Focus on the ESHG official group : “ESHG Young”

### • Election

- Board elected at this ESHG Conference (Gothenburg, 2019)
- Compounded of 4 people
- From 4 different European countries
- in charge for 2 years (next election in 2021).



Result vote ESHG Young per June 14, 2019

	My vote(s) go to			
	Patricia Calapod	Ruta Marcinkute	Florence Riccardi	Célia Soares
Votes	33	12	10	3
Total votes for this person	33	12	10	3
Percentage	47,83	17,39	14,49	4,35
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# YG Network: where are we now?



- **Guest presentation to the**  
**14<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the European Human Genetics Societies**
- **Opportunities**
  - have a spot at the conference (ESHG board - website, exhibitory room,...)
  - help organising ESHG conferences, *e.g. chairing sessions...*
  - suggest topics, type of workshops, education materials ,...

# YG Network: where are we now?



- **Annual meeting at the ESHG conference**
  - Official meeting



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YGN official meeting : who are we and where are we going ?

Evento para Young Geneticists Network · Evento criado por Florence R-Icc

✓ You ▾

✉ Convidar

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# YG Network: where are we now?



- Annual meeting at the ESHG conference
  - Unofficial meeting



Thank you  
Aurelien Juven !  
😊

Picture will be  
available next year!

JUN 16 ESHG Young Geneticists Network Dinner 2019

Evento para Young Geneticists Network · Evento criado por Aurélien Juven e Florence R-Icc

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# YG Network: where are we now?



## II. Projects with the ERN ITHACA (WG teaching & training)

- **WP teaching and training (Prof. A VERLOES)**

Opportunities:

- develop eLearning tools (beta testers and users) and live teaching
- manage specific sessions in an European Master
- co-fund a specific meeting for YG

Missions: volunteer work

- participate to web WG meetings
- translate “non-English” Expert National recommendations for rare disorders (*acknowledged officially in ITHACA website and on the translated document*)
- implementing the coding with HPO terms in ORPHANET

# YG Network: where are we now?

## 2/ Projects with the ERN ITHACA (WG teaching & training)

- **Eurodysmorpho conference**
  - reduced fee for about 10 YG !!!

### SPECIAL TRAINEE RATE : 550 €

ERN ITHACA will support up to 20 trainees, with a reduced registration fee. This reduced fee will be attributed following in the order of registration.

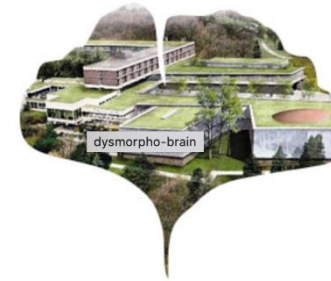
To be eligible, the candidate must send his/her registration form AND a support letter from his/her Mentor (head of the department,...) confirming that he/she is still training in Medical Genetics

This fee includes:

- Abstract book
- All meals and coffee breaks, from Wednesday evening to Saturday morning
- Hotel accommodation for 3 nights.
- Bus shuttle from/to Strasbourg train station and Strasbourg airport (Wednesday evening and Saturday morning)

30TH EUROPEAN DYSMORPHOLOGY MEETING  
LE BISCHENBERG CONFERENCE CENTRE (NEAR STRASBOURG)

SEPTEMBER WED. 11-FRI. 13, 2019



<http://eurodysmorpho.org>

# Future perspectives

- Keep the network growing
  - Involve more scientists (PhD students, post-doc,...)
  - genetic counselors,...
- Improve our communication
  - mailing list, including a specific “ESHG Young” mailing-list
  - contact senior societies (UEMS, other ERN,...)
  - contact young societies (EJD,...)
- Create a newsletter
  - share calls for international PhD programs, meetings, courses and scholarships.
- Collaboration with ESHG and ERN ITHACA



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Opened for discussion

Any questions ?

*Enjoy your conference !*

