

Minutes EUSA Meeting Online-Meeting 9th December 2021

Attendees:

EUSA Members:

Austria: Christian Stelzmüller

Belgium: Joeri Dils

England: Chris Hayes, Will Dando

France: Nicolas Osanno

Germany: Bert Granderath (President), Dieter C. Rangol, Ute Wanschura

Greece: Alexis Krallis, Dimitrios Ioannidis,

Portugal: Cristiano Silva

Spain: Agusti Ferrer, Patrik Sanden

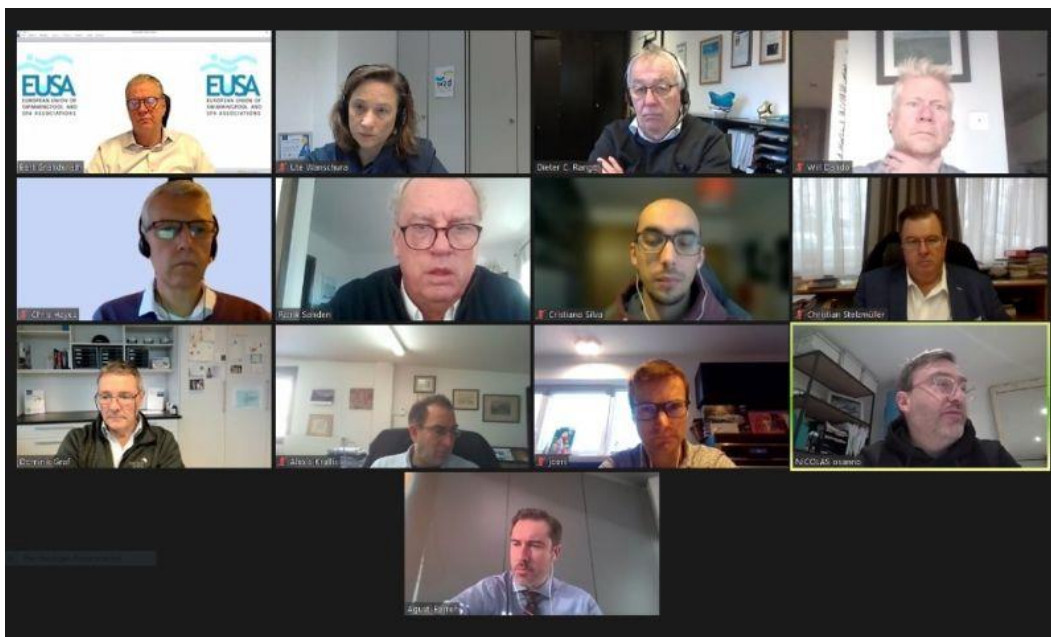
Switzerland: Dominik Graf

Members excused:

Italy: Ferrucio Alessandria

Sweden: Mille Örnmark

Turkey: Fuat Akuzman, Korcan Kurtoglu, Turgay Olcay



Minutes last meeting

The minutes of the last EUSA meeting on 22nd July were accepted.

Exchange about the current market situation

The situation for private swimming pools is still good. Demand remains at a high level. One sees with concern, however, the effects of inflation, the increased raw material prices and the problems in the delivery chains. The smaller countries in Europe in particular are concerned that they will be served last in view of the current global delivery problems. Two further challenges for the future are that permanent prices cannot be given and that the price increases could have a negative impact on the mid-market segment.

EUSA AWARDS

Ute Wanschura asked all EUSA members to respect these rules for the next EUSA Awards:

Pictures:

Please send jpg or png, no tiff or other files
maximum 3 MB
name the pictures (as described in the entry form)
no © or company name on the picture
only 1 picture per project

Sending the pictures to EUSA:

Each federation sends the entries to EUSA (not the companies of the federations).
EUSA cannot accept entries of member companies in the future.

After the judging:

Please check, after you were asked by EUSA secretary, the name of "your" winner companies and websites.

Preparation for the ceremony:

Please prepare some sentences about each winner company to have some details for the ceremony. For example:

- Where is the company based?
- How old is the company?
- Facts about the company, e.g. has the biggest pool exhibition, supports social projects etc.
- Is known for special pools, special service
- Hobbies of the owner
- Did they win other prizes?

Please invite "your" winner companies and communicate with them about tickets, travelling, time and place. It is not the job of EUSA secretary to communicate with the winners. This must be done by the national federations (after they had received all information by EUSA).

Press work:

EUSA members get a press release, the digital medals and the digital certificates of their winners and were asked to use it for public relation of EUSA AWARD in their countries and national magazines.

New energy standard EN 17645/ WG 5

Will Dando offered to develop a calculation tool (Excel) based on the standard. He will present this at the next EUSA meeting. Then it should be considered whether EUSA wants to develop further tools for swimming pool builders - for example an app, so that they can better use the standard. Olivier Crespy (convenor WG 5) should be involved in the process. Latest edition of the draft EN 17645 is attached.

Aliénor Monitoring

In the past, the monitoring was very extensive. Aliénor therefore offered EUSA the following: either the monitoring continues to the same extent and EUSA pays more. Or we reduce the topics and keep the price. It was decided to keep the budget and reduce the topics. These topics will be covered in the future:

CHEMICALS

- REACH
- Biocides
- Health

- Safety
- CLP
- Chlor

SUSTAINABILITY

- Ecodesign / Waste / WEEE / Batteries
- Energy efficiency / Energy performance / Climate

FINANCES/REPORTS

EUSA members thanked Chris Hayes for his work for EUSA. The finance documents (attached) were accepted. The technical report and the website report are attached.

UPDATE ON EUSA REGISTRATION IN BRUSSELS

Dieter C. Rangol reported that the registration of EUSA in Brussels has unfortunately not yet been completed – due to unpaid bills in the past that had delayed the registration process. It is to be expected that further costs will arise before EUSA is officially registered again.

WAPSA

Chris reported on the hybrid WAPSA meeting at Piscina & Wellness in Barcelona (29 th November 2021), where very interesting information was exchanged. In order to continue benchmarking in the future, all EUSA members who have not yet responded to the WAPSA questionnaire, are asked to enter their data here:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CYYM8TD>

NEXT MEETING

The next EUSA meeting will take place online on 26 th April 2022 at 10 a.m. (England 9 a.m.)

To join the Zoom-Meeting click here:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83992780409?pwd=ZVY0QkVnTnBLWmJVanp0aEdzRFpQQT09>

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