

Mission & vision

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Mission

- To encourage, stimulate, coordinate, facilitate the development and maintenance of high standards of care and training in Plastic Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery, while fostering the highest professional, ethical, and quality standards.

Mission

- To be the leading examination body for the examination of theoretical and practical knowledge in Plastic Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery in UEMS member countries.

Vision

Every patient that needs/seek treatment by a Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeon within the UEMS influence zone should get care according to the highest professional and ethical standards.

Vision

Therefore it is necessary that education and training of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons is organized along the lines laid down in the **European Training Requirements** for the Specialty of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery.

Training of Plastic Surgeons in UEMS member countries should take place in **training centres meeting the requirements laid out in the ETR**

Vision

The UEMS section of PRAS will encourage all member states to adopt the EBOPRAS exam as part of accreditation and as an indicator of the highest standard of training.

Vision

The UEMS section of PRAS will offer support and help to National Societies in any matter of interest to the specialty

Strategy

- The GA should discuss, refine and agree on this mission & vision statement April 2018
- The presidents or general secretaries of all national societies (NS) will be invited to discuss, refine and agree on this mission & vision statement
- All NS should encourage relevant regulatory bodies & training centres to implement the ETR and EBOPRAS as board exam.
- Accreditation of training centres should be streamlined and conducted in UEMS countries
- The EBOPRAS exam should be regularly re-evaluated and developed.