

Financial obligations of the EBBS for the AGM's, Special lectures at FENS and International Lecturers

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1. EBBS AGM's are sponsored with € 2.500,--. The EBBS at the end is responsible for all financial arrangements and losses. The EBBS will receive the profits. The treasurer is member of the Local Organizing Committee (LOC) and in cases the losses are expected to be more than the income (from attendance fees and sponsorships), the treasurer has the mandate to cancel the AGM. In case an AGM is organized in conjunction with another society, the companion society doubles the sponsorship (or any other arrangement is made, not exceeding € 2.500,-) and the profits or losses are shared,

2. The EBBS sponsors one review lecture at the FENS meeting. Sponsorship will not exceed € 1.350,-- and this amount is expected to cover travel and lodging expenses. An EBBS banquet at the FENS meeting (if taking place) should be budgeted such that expenditures and receipts are in balance. Losses (to a reasonable limit) or profits of the banquet are to the EBBS.

3. In 2009 EBBS started a new initiative replacing the former financial "workshop – support".

Members are invited to submit proposals to the committee for support for an EBBS sponsored International Lecturer at a local or national meeting or workshop. A travel grant of Euro 700,- will be awarded to defray the additional costs of a lecturer from another country. Applicants (who should be members of EBBS) should provide sufficient details to satisfy the committee that

- the lecturer would make an important contribution and enhance the meeting
- the lecture will raise the profile of both the meeting and the EBBS
- the meeting will be advertised widely, with EBBS support acknowledged
- the meeting will be open to all EBBS members
- a short report should be submitted after the meeting, to help us assess the efficacy of this scheme in supporting the aims of EBBS

Awards will be made on a case by case basis and will be competitive with other applications.

Applications (which should include a one-page c.v. of the nominated lecturer) should be made by June 1 / December 1 and addressed to the Secretary.

Successful applicants will be informed after the meeting of the EBBS Committee in January /July (FENS years) or September (EBBS AGM)