

## Welcome Address

Distinguished Colleagues,

Eurasian Hematology Oncology Group has been expanding its network to the Americas, Africa and EMEA during recent years.

EHOg is a non-profit organization established to build a bridge in the field of hematology and oncology between these regions.

The main core of this formation is the HSA (Hematology Specialist Association), but the goal is to transform EHOg into an international society in the near future.

We believe that EHOg will fill a gap in these regions not only in a scientific way but also culturally. Our main objective is to bring together scientists from different countries, to know each other and to start joint projects and studies in the future.

This meeting was originally supposed to be held in beautiful city of Istanbul however it has been transformed to a virtual congress on 21-24 October 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic that affected everyone around the world.

We believe deep in our hearts that with its special online concept, EHOc 2020 will fill in a significant gap in our region.

The attendees will be able to enjoy scientific programs in both Adult & Pediatric Hematology as well as Nursing. There will be online oral and poster presentations sessions. Pharmaceutical companies will get an opportunity to interact with the attendees live in the virtual exhibition area.

We hope that you will benefit in the best way possible in this virtual version of EHOc 2020 and we are looking forward to meeting you in face - to - face EHOc 2021 meeting in Istanbul.



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