



EAACI	- The European Academy of Allergy and Clinical Immunology is a non-profit organisation active in the field of allergic and immunologic diseases such as asthma, rhinitis, eczema, occupational allergy, food and drug allergy and anaphylaxis. EAACI was founded in 1956 in Florence and has become the largest medical association in Europe in the field of allergy and clinical immunology. It includes more than 6'800 individual members from 107 countries, as well as 41 National Allergy Societies.
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Organisation	EAACI President 2011-2013: Prof. Cezmi Akdis
Founded	1956, in Florence
EAACI Mission	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Promoting basic and clinical research ▪ Collecting, assessing and diffusing scientific information ▪ Acting as a scientific reference body for other scientific, health and political organisations ▪ Encouraging and providing training and continuous education ▪ Collaborating with patients and lay organisations
EAACI Vision	We aim to provide the most efficient platform for scientific communication and education in the field of allergy and immunology, ultimately striving to ease patients' lives.
EAACI Congresses	<p>Featuring extensive multi-day scientific programmes, with up to 8,000 international participating delegates, providing in-depth understanding and discussion within targeted medical communities on topics such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Asthma ▪ Pediatric Allergy ▪ Allergic Rhinitis ▪ Food Allergy ▪ Drug Hypersensitivity ▪ Molecular Allergology ▪ Basic Immunology
EAACI Task Forces	Producing position papers on cutting-edge scientific developments and emerging knowledge on controversial and current allergy-related topics such as the effects of climate change on respiratory allergic diseases.
Allergy Schools	Training and educating Europe's motivated young medical specialists in a highly interactive and effective social networking environment.
Continuing Medical Education (CME)	EAACI congresses and schools provide CME credits to participants. EAACI also works as an umbrella organisation for accreditation of external scientific and educational events.
EAACI Fellowships	Every year, fellowships are awarded to junior members interested in increasing their knowledge and skills at Europe's leading scientific institutions.
EAACI International Journals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Allergy (<i>Impact Factor of 6,297, 2nd among 21 Allergy Journals in 2010</i>) ▪ Pediatric Allergy and Immunology (<i>Impact Factor of 2.874, 8th among 21 Allergy Journals and 10th out of 107 Pediatric Journals in 2010</i>) ▪ Clinical and Translational Journal (<i>Open access journal</i>)