



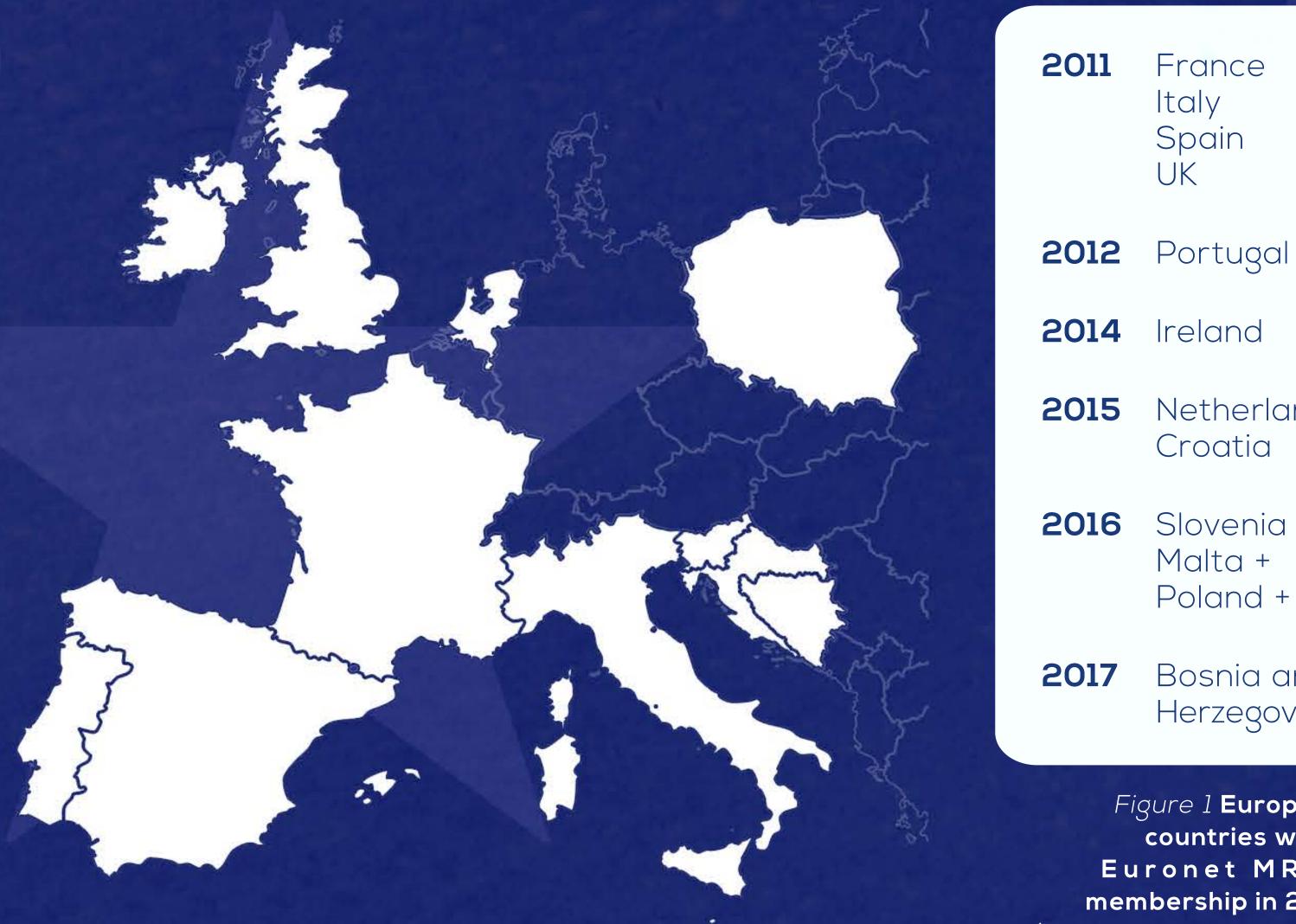
## INTRODUCTION TO THE EUROPEAN NETWORK OF MEDICAL RESIDENTS IN PUBLIC HEALTH

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## INTRODUCTION

EuroNet MRPH stands for the European Network of Medical Residents in Public Health. We are an independent network of national associations of public health residents and residency programmes around Europe.



At EuroNet MRPH, we aim to share information on residency programmes, facilitate internships and common activities, as well as to develop a body of scientific research.

The idea of a network of European associations **first emerged in 2008** when French and Italian residents started a collaboration on a project exploring the satisfaction of residency programs in the two countries.

Since then we have grown to include **9 member associations** representing more than 2.000 resident physicians and trainees in public health. Besides national member associations, we also have individual members from three European countries (figure 1).

Netherlands Croatia

Slovenia Malta + Poland +

Bosnia and Herzegovina +

Figure 1 European countries with **Euronet MRPH** membership in 2017 (+ individual membership)

## THAT'S HOW WE ROLL

Our work focuses around three pillars of EuroNet MRPH: networking, research and internships.

**Connecting public health residents** 

Pan-European relevant research

Each member can propose, lead and/or get involved in one of our Working Groups (figure 2).

**Facilitating international mobility** 

- Monthly teleconference meetings.
- 3 EuroNet meetings each year.
- Specific workshops and educational events.

We have formed **partnerships** with:

- European public health organisations Association of Schools of Public Health in the European Region, European Public Health Association, EUPHAnxt and European Public Health Alliance.
- Global health organisations Child Family Health International.
- Non-European residents' networks Public Health Physicians of Canada and the South African Public Health Medicine Association.
- We have helped residents across Europe to carry out their research projects by providing information through signposting.
- Several activities and working groups that we developed have been focused improving the quality and on homogeneity of public health training programmes across Europe.
- Euronet have created the **Platform**, an online platform that will help researchers across Europe to create public health research projects.

- than 50 EuroNet-specific • More internship positions in national and international institutions covering a wide range of public health topics.
- In the last three years, we have processed 64 applications from 34 residents requesting an internship in 6 different countries.
- We have recently increased the offer of internship positions, including:
  - World Federation of Public Health Associations;
  - EuroHealthNet;
  - International Consortium for Health Outcomes Measurement.





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Euronet MPRH grew extensively since its beginnings. Scope and extent of our activities have enlarged accordingly.

We see it as an organic development of a well-functioning network and we certainly hope its growth will uphold for many new generations of public health residents to come.

- Make public health careers' more visible to young European physicians;
- Facilitate formation of residents' associations;
- Guide young professionals aspiring to work in international teams;
- Contribute to development of public health residency programmes;
- Foster the culture of cooperation, innovation and partnership;
- Organise and advertise opportunities for development of public health residents.

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