# Information from the Nordic Dermatology Association

## Update from the NDA Education Committee

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The NDA Courses have overall been very well attended, and in addition to the high professional standard of the courses, social aspects and networking between participants have also been emphasized.

We have at the moment a total of 4 courses "up-and-running":

#### Nordic Course in Virtual Dermatopathology

This course has its debut this spring, 27–28 April 2017, Reykjavik.

#### • Nordic Dermoscopy Course

This course has been given twice. Preliminary dates for the next Nordic Dermoscopy Course are set to April 5–6, 2018.

#### Nordic Course on Skin Surgery

This course has been given 4 times, last in November 2016. Next course will be held on November 16–17, 2017. Registrations opens on May 2.

#### Global Dermatology Course

This course has been given once as a Nordic course, and the next course is planned in January 2018 in Stockholm and Addis Abeba. More information will follow on the website.

Topics for new courses that have been proposed to include a STD course, a paediatric course, as well as a course on psychological aspects in dermatology. The educational group is at the moment exploring further into this. Courses can be proposed by all members of the NDA with an academic affiliation, and new proposals are welcomed. A guideline for course proposals is available at the NDA website.

On the website there is a list of the Nordic Educational courses for residents. Courses are in some countries reserved for residents only, while in other countries the courses are open for other applicants as well.

Current members of the Education Committee are Laura Huilaja, Sirkku Peltonen, Bolli Bjarnason, Eidi Christensen, Elisabeth Nylander and Tove Agner (Chair).



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