

Presidents note

Dear Members

During the 1st quarter of 2019 you have already received a few messages from the Swiss Board, such as invitations for Intervision, the recent Meet&Greet event at ABB or the events for 2019 that were attached to the last invoice. You have also received news on our Linked-In group, if you are a member.

A question we always ask ourselves: Do you still like to receive newsletters from us or do you prefer LinkedIn postings? Please share with me your thoughts about this:

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I am looking forward to seeing you at one of our next events.

Heike Rudolf von Rohr



Heike Rudolf von Rohr and the Board EMCC Switzerland

Remarkable since last newsletter

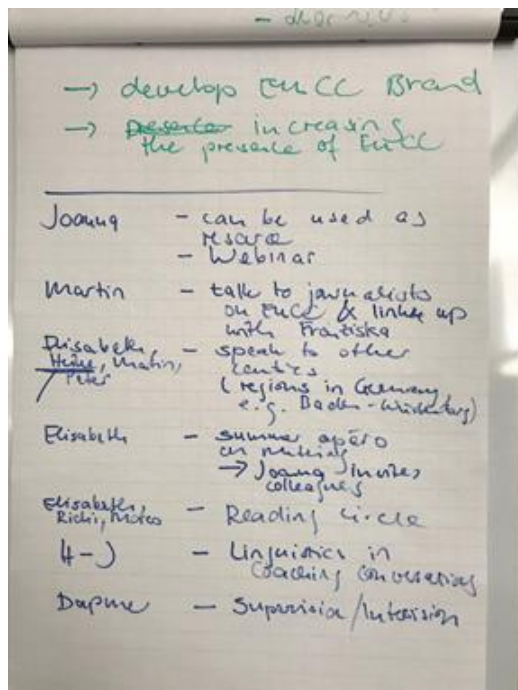
Linked-in group

We have a - still closed - Linked in Group EMCC Switzerland! We would like to communicate with you more promptly and more frequently. In addition, we would like to give you as a member the possibility to use the EMCC Community better or even to post your own contributions. To some of you we have sent via linked-in an invitation - interested parties we have not reached, please contact Franziska Liese: franziska@franliese.com

Members - Workshop 24th of January

Planning the future of the EMCC Switzerland together

In order to tailor the offering of EMCC Switzerland more to your needs, we met with 10 members for a workshop at HWZ Zurich. Over the past two years we assumed that the majority of the offering was unused by members and therefore probably no longer considered as adequate.



Against this background, we discussed what is attractive for our members and came up with new ideas, but also with the confirmation of paths already taken.

In a nutshell, we will focus our activities around growing professionally and strengthening the brand, which is very much in line with EMCC international strategy focus



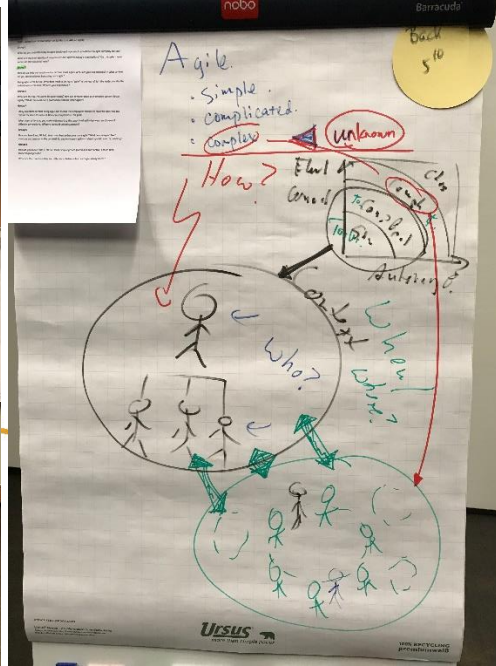
Intensive discussions, how to progress

Meet &Greet ABB March 12th, Baden

ABB Baden offered us the unique opportunity to hold our third Meet & Greet event at their place. We were very proud of having 12 participants from EMCC and together with the ABB delegates, there was an audience of almost 30 participants!

The primary goal was to talk about the many facets of agility in a business context. Two presenters were illuminating the challenges of agility in nowadays companies, followed by interactive conversations among the participants and by a cocktail in the nearby Blue City hotel.

Many thanks again to the learning and development team of ABB Baden. It was a real pleasure working with you.



Co-creative teams EMCC and ABB



One more reminder: 25th EMCC Conference April 24th- 26th, Dublin

The date of the 25th EMCC Conference comes closer. Take part !! - from own experiences it is a wonderful opportunity to share and learn. Furthermore, the Irish colleagues will surely give us a great party. We will look for a place in the hall and draw attention to Swiss participants with a Swiss cowbell !

General Assembly 2019 May 9th

On May 9th we invite you to the formal annual members meeting, - please join and provide the board with your mandate to represent EMCC Switzerland. The invitation will go out soon.

As Heike is laying down her presidency by then, we are happy that Martin Bless is willing to take over and presents himself for election. Here are a few words about him:



I joined the EMCC 10 years ago, after having followed a one-year course in Executive Coaching at Strathclyde University, Glasgow. At first, my interest in mentoring and coaching was motivated by a desire to become a better manager and leader.

However, I was increasingly asked to coach managers from other companies within the Group I was working for. With the encouragement and help of the EMCC President and Board, I decided to follow the EMCC accreditation process and was awarded EIA at Practitioner level in 2016.

I now work as an independent executive coach with a focus on Change Management, with a particular interest in Agility and Design Thinking. My 40 years in management and leadership have shaped my core values based on human-centred management approaches. In my experience, these have repeatedly been effective and profitable to all stakeholders (incl. shareholders). Apart from my individual coaching, I work with "L'Institut Suisse de Coaching & Formation" training and supervising students.

I am Swiss, married with two daughters and two granddaughters. I have worked in the three main linguistic regions of Switzerland and coach in French, English, and Italian and now live in Neuchâtel.

Intervision Events 2019

One of the benefits of being a member of EMCC Switzerland are the Intervision events that allow you to keep up with the standards of a Certified Coach.

Participation is open to all EMCC-Members who are interested in sharing one of their current cases and to make use of the colleagues' input to take their work to the next level. As an innovation, we hold the meetings alternately in the German and French part of Switzerland and we offer you to participate through Skype in case you cannot attend in person.

The next events will be held as follows:

**06th June, Romandie;
15th August, Zurich;
14th November, Romandie,**

Each from 06:00 to 09:00pm.

Please register no later than two days prior to the event with Daphne Manon Rohr, Loyal Partner, Elisabethenstrasse 43, 8004 Zurich, daphne.rohr@loyalpartner.ch.

Please send your Skype name if you wish to participate online. Thank you.

Supervision day together with our annual Summerapéro 2019

Mark your diary!

Ian Reid, Psychological Counsellor based in Basle, will be our Speaker at the next Supervision Event taking place in Zurich, 3rd July, 2019. Ian will speak about „The Seven Eye model“ followed by work in small groups and our Summer Apéritif.. Details will follow through separate mail.

See you there !!