

“What did the Romans ever do for us?”

...the benefits of ESAM membership!”



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- Most important : our **pan-European membership** which gives us credibility and power
- For a **very low fee** pp (and a successfull discount ☺)
- But we have to look to the future : our « **Strategy for ESAM** » is published together with the « **benefits of ESAM membership** » on our website
- Hence some **changes to the Statutes** are becoming necessary as published on the website and for vote today !
 - concept of a President-elect
 - electronic voting with possibility for proxy's

- **at EASA Rulemaking**

Part.Med Aircrew should be published in autumn 2011 for implementation in April 2012

- * **ESAM press release** on LAPL (- below ICAO - no AME)

- * **= late** to organise practicalities !

- * foresee problems linked to **translations** with equivalent legal value !

- * **class 3 ATC** Rules underway (16.000 ATCO's in the EU !)

- **In the SSCC of EASA**

- * legal status of **AMC's** ?

- * no EU harmonisation if AMC published longtime after IR's

- **In the 3 EASA-ESSI safety groups**

- **In the advisory medical group** of EASA Rulemaking

- Our **Advisory Board**
 - position papers about
 - * LAPL
 - * FTL
 - * pilots treated with insulin
 - **space medicine group** in contact with AsMA

- **Change** in Statutes proposed :
 - * AB lead by the « **Advisory Board Committee** » (chair, vice-chair, secretary)
 - * **appointed** by the EC

- **ECAM 2012** in **London !!!**

- With **AsMA**
 - very successfull « **ESAM Scientific Meeting** » in Anchorage
 - mixed working group to **prepare AsMA congress in EU** in 2018
(if possible shift your national congresses to this major event)
- Starting up with **CAMA**
- With **IAASM**
 - holding our GA at **EU ICASM's**
- With the **Interstate Aviation Committee** , gate to the East
- **BILDING BRIDGES**

- With the **EU CMO forum**
 - harmonisation **accreditation points** ! (subgroup CMO's)
- With **ECA**
- Possibility for member associations to **attend an EC meeting**

- **DON'T FORGET** our **website [www,esam,aero](http://www.esam,aero)**
 - with now frequent **blogs**

ESAM is airborne !



BUT ... we should stay realistic ...

- **The 5 % rule**
.....(> FAA)