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European Dental
Students' Association

What is EDSA?

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■ EDSA members

- EDSA was founded in 1988 in Paris, France.
- It is a non-profitable, non-governmental organisation currently representing more than 180 dental schools in 35 countries with more than 70,000 dental student members.
- EDSA is now based in Dublin, Ireland



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Advocacy

Access and
inclusivity

Networking

Mobility projects

**Offering students opportunities
beyond their borders**

Magazine

Oral health
promotion

Sustainability

Research
projects

Policy papers

**Integrating students
in the dental and healthcare fields**

Research
competitions

Essay
competitions

Collaborations

Congresses

Congresses

Podcasts

Our Goals

#1

Networking &
Collaboration

#2

Advocacy

#3

Research & Innovation

#4

Access & Inclusivity

#5

Oral Health Promotion

Our Activities

General meetings



Mobility Projects



Prevention Campaigns



Policy Papers



Research Competitions



Magazines & Podcasts



and many more...



GENERAL MEETINGS

- EDSA's biggest event, held twice a year
- Around 150–200 participants – dental students from 35 countries
- Voting on EDSA's future
- Workshops & trainings
- Exploring new cultures

GENERAL MEETINGS

Previous meetings:

- 71st Spring meeting Istanbul
- 72nd Summer meeting Liverpool
- 73rd Spring meeting Bucharest
- 74th Summer meeting Strasbourg
- 75th Spring meeting Coimbra
- 76th Summer meeting Dublin
- 77th Spring meeting Amsterdam

Upcoming meeting:

- 78th Summer meeting Budapest





MOBILITY PROJECTS

- Three types of projects:
 - European Visiting Programme (EVP)
 - Winter Camp
 - Summer Camp
- Opportunities to visit dental faculties abroad and explore dentistry from a new perspective
- 10-25 participants

MOBILITY PROJECTS 2025/26

Winter Camp Slovakia
Winter Camp Georgia
EVP Zagreb
EVP Turin
EVP Bucharest
EVP Istanbul Yeditepe
EVP Cluj Napoca
EVP Skopje



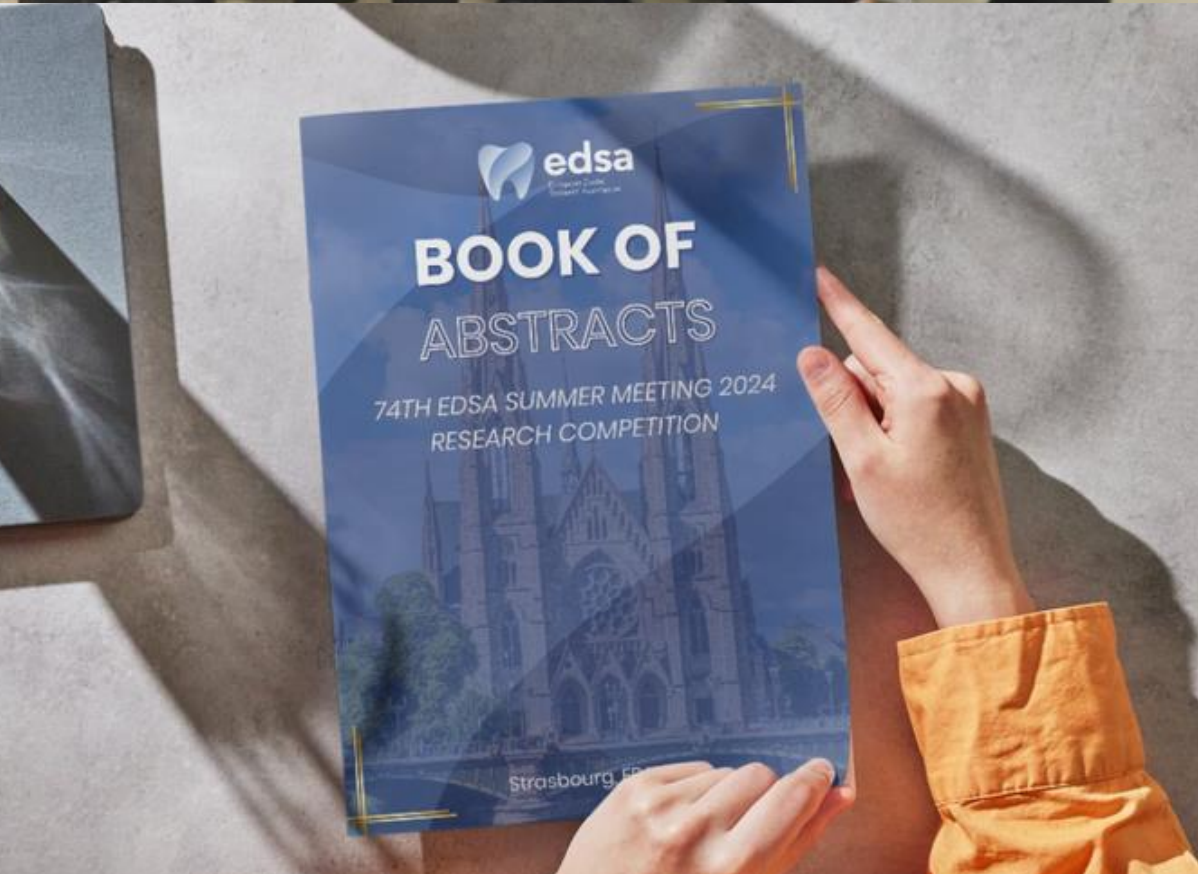
Summer Camp Rijeka
EVP Georgia
EVP Istanbul Medipol
Summer Camp Dubrovnik
EVP Slovenia
Research Camp Bologna





VOLUNTEERING PROJECTS

- Pre-Congress, part of Mobility Projects
 - Free dental check-ups and oral health education for underserved communities
- Awareness Campaigns
 - Initiatives on oral cancer, cleft conditions, and World Oral Health Day
- Miles for Smiles
 - A charity fitness event where participants run, walk, or cycle to raise funds for select charities



RESEARCH COMPETITION

- Students submit their scientific abstracts and present it live to a jury
- Two categories:
 - Original Research
 - Case Report
- AMS: 24 accepted abstracts in total
- Standardized format
- Hybrid participation
- FDI-ERO Scientific Reward*



WEBINARS

- Educational lectures for EDSA members across Europe
- Introduced EDSA Research Week
- Delivered 10 international webinars to date this term, with more to come
- Collaborations between leading clinicians, renowned researchers, industry partners & professional associations



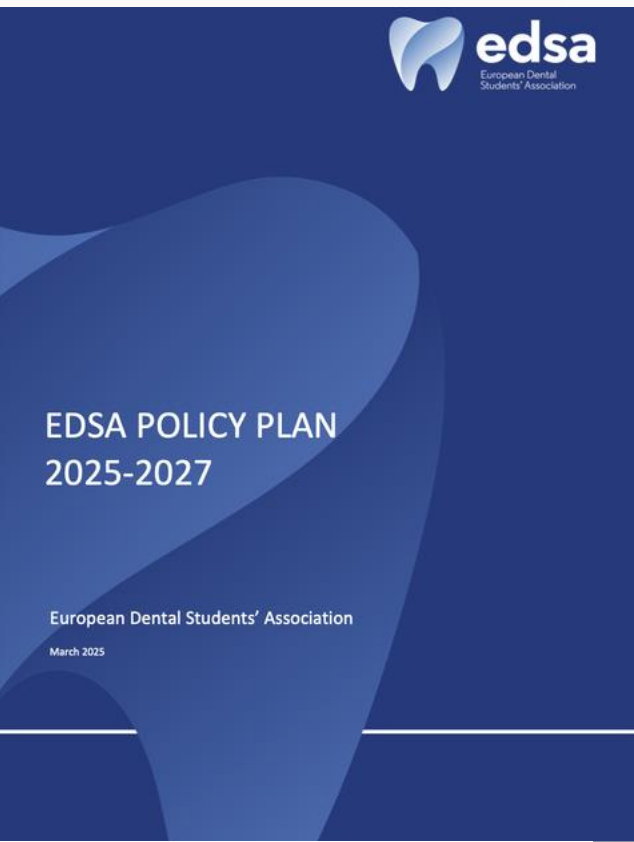
PREVENTION

- Organization of prevention campaigns at local and international level
- Building a network of students interested in prevention and public health
- Active participation in international health awareness days
- Collaboration with partners to promote oral health initiatives



PUBLIC RELATIONS

- Newsletter
 - Bi-monthly email update with projects, opportunities & deadlines
- EDSA magazine
 - Written by students, for students
 - Clinical articles, interviews, reports...
 - Published twice a year, print & digital.
- EDSA Flossophy podcast
 - Real stories, interviews, experiences and insights about dentistry, careers, and education from around Europe.
 - Started in 2022 – 7 episodes & growing!



POLICY

- EDSA publishes evidence-based recommendations on topics that matter to students.
- To represent students' voices in Europe, protect student rights, influence dental education reforms, develop leadership & public health skills...

WHO Global Strategy and Action Plan on Oral Health 2023-2030

Environmental Impact of Tobacco – White Paper

Position on Corporate Dentistry

WHO ARE WE WORKING WITH?



ADVANCED EDUCATION AND ORAL HEALTH



Stop Caries NOW for a Cavity-Free Future



MAKESENSECAMPAIGN





Any questions?

Thanks!

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