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Training :

1975 Hacettepe University, Faculty of Medicine,

1979 Ankara University, Faculty of Medicine, Specialist in Internal Medicine

1981 Ankara University, Faculty of Medicine, Specialist in Cardiology

1982 London.St.Thomas' Hospital,Scholar of British Council (Echocardiography)

1984 Ankara University, Faculty of Medicine, Assistant Professor

1986 Ankara University, Faculty of Medicine, Associate Professor

1989 Leeds,UK.Scholar of Turkish Scientific Council,Leeds University

1992 Ankara University, Faculty of Medicine, Professor of Cardiology

Positions in ESC and others :

2003-2018 **Head of the Cardiology Department and Head of the Dept. of Medical Sciences**

2004-2006 Board member of EAE (National Societies Committee)

2006-2008 Credential Committee member (ESC)

2006-2008 Research and Training Grant Committee member (ESC)

2006-2010 President of Turkish Society of Cardiology

2008-2012 President of Turkic World of Cardiology Association

2008-2010 Member of the ESC Nominating Committee

2010-2012 Research and Training Grant Committee member (ESC)

2012-2016 Member of the Committee for Practice Guidelines (ESC)

2013-2017 Member of The Higher Education Council for Turkey

2014-2016 Councillor,ESC Board

Editorial Boards :

Editors of Journals of Medical Faculty,MN Cardiology,Turkish Journal of Echocardiography

Members of Editorial Board :

European Heart Journal,Cardiology-KARGER,Cor et Vasa,Journal of Cardiovascular

Echography,Anatolian Cardiology Journal,Hellenic Journal of Cardiology

Fellowships /Honours :

1996 FESC

2000 Research award for Behçet's Disease from The Turkish Scientific and Technical Research Association (TUBITAK)

2001 FACC

2002 Member of ASE

2009 Honorary membership of Hellenic Society of Cardiology

Major (international) publications :

Please refer to pubmed using **Erol C** for publication

Major research interest :

Echocardiography, hypertension, invasive cardiology

Steering Committees :

OVERTURE ,ASSENT-4 PCI, RELY, ARISTOTLE, APPRAISE 2,EUROASPIRE III-IV

MOTIVATION LETTER AS A CANDIDATE FOR ESC BOARD VICE PRESIDENT

I have the honour to be nominated by my National Society unanimously for the position of Vice President in the ESC Board for the term 2016-18 and accepted enthusiastically this proposal without hesitation because I have always been an active and extremely motivated FESC since 1996,especially after 2004.

I had the opportunity to work together with Professor Pinto during his Presidency at **EAE** in 2004-2006, and shared the honour of being a Board Member in the first term of the EAE as an ESC Association. Then in 2006-2008 I was the members of two ESC Committees: **Credential Committee** and **Research and Training Grant Committee**. I worked as a Member of the **ESC Nominating Committee** in 2008-10. I was re-elected as the **Research and Training Grant Committee** member of the ESC in 2010-2012 and I served as a member of the **Committee for Practice Guidelines of the ESC** in the last two terms (2012-2016). For he last two years(2014-2016) I was elected as a Councillor of the ESC Board.

Along with these assignments in the ESC, I was also the **President of Turkic World of Cardiology Association** in 2008-2012 and always encouraged all the members of this association to attend the ESC activities and to apply for membership. During my Presidency at the **Turkish Society of Cardiology (2006-2010)** TSC participated in all the European Heart Health Project and realized the Project with great success. We also completed the frist National Heart Health Policy Document of Europe in 2006 and delivered it to both the Grand National Assembly and the Ministry of Health at the end of 2006. Our Society and the Turkish ministry of Health was among the first signees of the European Heart Health Charter in June 2007 and we realized the National Signing Ceremony of the Charter in December 2007 together with the Grand National Assembly, the Ministry of Health and scientific medical Societies of all the related fields. Now Turkey has the National Strategic Plans for Control and Prevention of CVD, Obesity, Diabetes, Tobacco Consumption and National Strategic Plan for Promoting and Encouraging Physical Exercises.

As my continuous duties in the ESC organization imply, I have a comprehensive knowledge and understanding of ESC at all different levels that make me feel comfortable to assume the responsibility of being a Vice President and I will always be an enthusiastic supporter and a hardworking activist of the ESC ideals to bring together all the forces and resources for joint aims and projects.

Looking forward to be honored with the nomination to become a candidate for the position of Vice President of the ESC Board for 2016-18, I extend my best wishes.



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