

Basel, July 17, 2019

Prof. Dr. Fernando Hamuy Diaz de Bedoya
LACTRIMS President

Dear Prof. Diaz de Bedoya

Thank you for sending us your proposal regarding the collaboration between LACTRIMS and ECTRIMS. ECTRIMS values LACTRIMS contribution to the field of MS in Latin America and is very much interested in strengthening the cooperation.

The ECTRIMS Executive Committee has discussed your proposal in detail during their last meeting and has come to the following decisions:

1. ECTRIMS would be happy to support the LACTRIMS annual meeting by organizing an ECTRIMS Symposium and helping LACTRIMS find European speakers.
2. ECTRIMS encourages future joint activities in Latin America. Both Regional Teaching Courses which took place in Latin America in 2018 (Buenos Aires, Argentina and Curitiba, Brazil) were a great success.
3. ECTRIMS can unfortunately not offer LACTRIMS a symposium during the ECTRIMS meeting, since there are limited slots available. However, ECTRIMS annually offers LACTRIMS a room during the ECTRIMS congress, where the Latin American community can meet and we hope that you will continue to make use of this offer.
4. We are pleased to confirm that a direct link to the LACTRIMS website can be found on the ECTRIMS Website.

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ECTRIMS looks forward to continuing the excellent partnership with LACTRIMS in the future.

Best regards,



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