

**Advisory Board Meeting of CEAUL, Lisbon,**

**October 13, 2010**

Attending the meeting:

Head of the center: Dr. Antonia Amaral Turkman  
and the former head: Dr. Maria Isabel Alves Fraga

Advisory Board: Dr. Antonio St. Aubyn, Dr. Jürg Hüsler, Dr. Wolfgang Urfer

Group leaders: Dr. Dinis Pestana, Dr. Maria Ivette Gomes and Dr. Antonia Amaral Turkman,  
together with one representative of each group: Dr. Manuela Neves, Dr. Helena Iglesias, Dr. Marilia Antunes

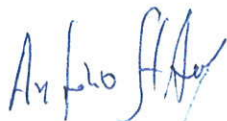
Head of the department: Dr. Feridun Turkman

**Agenda:** discussion of the reports on the activities of the center CEAUL on October 13, 2010.

Each of the three group leaders presented the activities of the group members, mentioning the integrated investigators and the collaborators as well as the ph.d. students involved in the group research activities. All three groups showed their numerous links to other research groups in Portugal as well as in other countries. The number of papers published in peer-reviewed and non-peer-reviewed journals was mentioned, which shows clearly the tremendous work addressed by the investigators and collaborators. The number of publications is not stable over the years, because the publication process may vary by some reasons of back-log or submission of papers or research reasons. However, the number of published papers has increased strongly in comparison to the year 2009.

It is quite obvious that the research activity of this center is rather high, in particular when one notes the conditions of their usual work load at university which have risen tremendously.

We discussed also the question whether the center should somehow focus more on certain important research activities and not to spread out too much into many active fields of research. Different points of view were mentioned since in earlier evaluations different statements were postulated. No unique agreement is necessary. Each group might follow its own program of activities.



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Dr. Antonio St. Aubyn



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