

An OT-EU research Network and the connection with Occupational Science

The ROTOS standing committee

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Occupational Therapy
Europe

Outline of this meeting

- Personal introduction
- Aim of OT-EU & ROTOS
- Outline for building a strong EU network
- Discussion with audience
 - Shared ambitions?
 - Shared knowledge domain?
 - Shared needs?
 - Shared wishes?
 - Requirements for collaboration



Personal introduction





Occupational Therapy Europe

- Initiative of COTEC & ENOTHE
- To establish Non-Governmental Organisation
- To strengthen position of OT (practice, education, research) in EU



Aim of ROTOS

**To establish a strong European Network of OT and OS researchers
that both supports
access to occupation-based knowledge for all EU citizens,
and
strengthens the occupation-based knowledge generation.**



Terms of references

- Establish occupation as powerful knowledge domain
 - Knowledge generation, development, dissemination
 - Horizon scanning
 - Interdisciplinary
- Using research outcomes for advocacy
 - Strong research leadership
 - Marketing
- Strong collaboration
 - Dynamic research network
 - Link research & researchers
 - Create opportunities for funding & research education

Questions so far?



What do you think?

Please discuss with each other

1. The aim
2. Occupation as core knowledge domain
3. Advocacy
4. Collaboration

Fill in the sheet provided with everything worthwhile to tell us

Brief summaries

TELL
US WHAT
YOU THINK...

Closing

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