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Dear Prof. Dr. Elizabeta Zisovska,

Turkish Evidence Based Medicine Society (KDTD) is organizing "4th National Health Technology Assessment Forum and 2nd Evidence Based Medicine Symposium" with the main theme of "Clinical Practice Guidelines and Health Technology Assessment" in Ankara during 12-13th March 2015. Attached to this meeting also will be organized "1st Eurasian Health Technology Assessment Forum", with the support of TIKA (Turkish Cooperation and Coordination Agency). The meeting will host several international and national speakers who are distinguished experts in their fields.

We will be honored if you accept to join this important event on 12-13th March 2015, including a social dinner and a closed Eurasian HTA Forum on 12th March evening. We will appreciate your official response about your participation to esrameltemkoc@kanitadayalitip.org by 24th February, 2015. In case you accept to participate the event airfare (economy) will be covered by TIKA, the meeting expenses by KDTD, but the participant is expected to cover own accommodation expenses. You might contact directly with Cahit Sıtkı Bozkurt from the event agency at csb@renawaturizm.com for organizing your accommodation.

All participants are expected to prepare a text about their country of about 600 words to be included in the conference program latest by 1st March, 2015. Please make sure that your text includes answers to the following questions: "What is the current structure in your country regarding guidelines and/or HTA? mention any organizational structure if there is one. What are the current activities regarding evidence based medicine and evidence based policy making in your country? Do you have any plan or strategies for the future? What do you think the benefits of Eurasian initiative could be for the region? What can we do together at the international level?" Please also include your CV of around 200 words and a picture in order to be included in the conference program.

Feel free to contact us in case you have any questions or comments. We look forward to hosting you in Ankara.

Sincerely,

Ass. Prof. Dr. Rabia Kahveci

President of Turkish EBM Association

Congress Chairman