SRF Travel Grant Report:

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I express my sincere gratitude towards the Society for Reproduction and Fertility for kindly awarding me with the SFR Travel Grant to attend the 23TH EBCOG EUROPEAN CONGRESS OF OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY in Glasgow, UK (May, 2014).

For the first time I present the oral presentation «The breast diseases, dysmorphies and breast cancer risk factors in adolescent girls». Thanks to the broad theme of the meeting, I was able to discuss my research work with others researchers, practicing gynaecologists. The specificity of my research work is closely related to the program of the EBCOG Meeting 2014.

This was my first attendance at the hands-on training sessions (HOTs). I had the opportunity to improvement the manual experience in the reproductive ultrasound examination.

There were multiple sessions I found especially useful, such as "Hot topics in reproductive medicine", "Prevention of gynaecological cancer", "New trends in gynaecology", "Hot topics in perinatal medicine", "Research and innovation in obstetrics and gynaecology".

I also had the opportunity to attend the keynote lectures: "The power of vision" A. Wattiez (FR); "Inverting the Pyramid of pregnancy care" K. Nicolaïdes (UK) and "Ovarian tissue cryo-storage and transplantation for patients at high risk of ovarian failure" C. Benedetto (IT).

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