



## *European Region*

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#### **AGN International Europe Ltd held 2014 regional meeting in Madrid, Spain**

AGN International Europe Ltd successfully held its 16th annual regional meeting which gathered more than 100 delegates representing a total of 41 firms from more than 20 countries at the Melia Madrid Princesa hotel on 12-14 June 2014. One of the highlight of the meeting was the introduction of new regional Director and recently appointed Association's CEO.

After a general welcome by AGN Europe chair, Riccardo Biaggi (Fiduciaria Mega SA, Switzerland), Miguel Cano de Miguel from the local Spanish firm Ejsi Syrtrec gave some key facts and figures about Spain, followed by insightful presentation by guest speaker Mr. Fernando Eguidazu, Director General of International Economic Relations of the Spanish Ministry of Foreign Affairs who spoke about the Spanish economy's status and policies, strategies and the challenges faced ahead.

Major internal AGN matters were discussed amongst which the introduction of new European Region Director, Marlijn Lawson and of the new AGN International CEO, Malcolm Ward. Update and forthcoming plans about Membership development, Education and Taxation activities in the region was also supplied by relevant Committees in charge.

Presentations were also made by AGN's new member firms in the region including Leon Tax (Slovakia), DK Accountants & Adviseurs (The Netherlands). A newly formed companies owned by the existing member firm in Germany Wirtschaftstreuhand was also introduced to members who learnt more about 'GATIC German and Turkish International Consultancy GmbH' in Turkey and 'WIG WirtschaftsTreuhand Investment Greece GmbH' in Greece. Finally, the conference was also completed by various technical sessions dealing with Business Development, Tax and Audit and presentation of new members.

Delegates and companions enjoyed a captivating social programme covering a visit in Spanish capital's historic center and a scrumptious gala dinner at the distinctive Palacio de Negralej.

Next year regional meeting was announced and will take place in Copenhagen, Denmark, location of local AGN member firm 'Ecomentor' represented in Madrid by Sten Glarkrog.

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