Our resident friends, specialists and our praelectors participated in THE 9th DERMATOLOGY SPRING SYMPOSIUM of the Society of Dermatovenereology, which was held in Rixos Premium Hotel in Belek, Antalya between 12 and 15 April 2017. The topics were selected carefully in order to address the current needs.

In the congress, 40 contemporary issues were presented to us by 45 speakers from our praelectors. The current information, novelties and changes were highlighted quite well and clearly in almost all of the sessions and speeches. The discussions at the end of the sessions were very impressive. Particularly in the questions-answers section at the end of the speeches, our praelectors who shared their experiences with us delivered unprecedented information to us. The session involving different views and discussions among the speakers during the "Narrowband UVB or PUVA?" and "Specialist Approach with Cases in Facial Rejuvenation" sessions where opposite outcomes and approaches were discussed was enjoying, suspenseful and beneficial. Although the presentations were made in a single hall, the fact that the hall was full until the last speech in the last session showed that subject selection and the program were successful.

The filling course I attended was prepared for practical purposes and was quite successful.
The groups being composed of a small number of people was effective in establishing sincere communication with the educators. Adoption of a presentation style involving responses to the parts students struggled to understand or visualize during practices in the courses was also quite beneficial.

The verbal presentations were very impressive and well-designed, but they could be scheduled in a way to involve more participation. The poster discussion was quite beneficial and informative. It was really a very informative and educating session.

The symposium hotel was very comfortable. All session, show and exhibition areas being close to each other prevented being late and made it possible for the participants to spend more time with each other. The Turkish Classical Music night and the Premiere Night within the framework of the social program were quite entertaining; a social, joyful and friendly atmosphere
It was very pleasing to meet our resident friends working in other clinics, to discuss with them our future plans and problems, and to chat about professional activities.

I extend my endless thanks to the team that organized this congress, which was quite beneficial and entertaining for me in both scientific and social terms, and to our pralectors who contributed to it. I hope to meet all of you again in the next spring symposium.

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