



Integra LifeSciences Supports the European Burns Association's "Share your Care" Educational Program

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PLAINSBORO, N.J., Sept. 23, 2019 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- During the 18th [European Burns Association](#) (EBA) Congress, which took place in Helsinki, Finland, from 4 to 7 September 2019, [Integra LifeSciences](#) announced its support for EBA through an educational grant for their "Share your Care" junior exchange program dedicated to surgeons-in-training.

The fellowship program is aimed at setting up training programs for surgeons-in-training to develop skills and best practices in the management and treatment of acute burns.

"We are proud to support the EBA's 'Share your Care' program," said Michael McBreen, senior vice president and president, International, Integra LifeSciences. "It reflects our ongoing commitment to provide support for surgeons as they begin to develop their skills and knowledge in caring for burn patients."

The program will start in 2020 and help strengthen collaboration among established centers. Surgeons will benefit from taking up principles of advanced burn care in highly specialized burn centers and will learn about global burn care management and its needs. The training sessions will take place in selected EBA accredited burn centers in Europe.

About EBA

The European Burns Association (EBA) was founded in 1981 by leading burn specialists in Europe to encourage co-operation in the field of burn care throughout the continent.

The EBA serves as a forum through which medical specialists, researchers, professions allied to medicine (PAM), and other workers come in contact to discuss aspects of burn treatment and research. In this way, expertise and knowledge are spread throughout the countries of Europe.

It has been established as a non-profit making organization for the benefit of the public, to promote burn prevention, to study the prevention of burn injury and all other aspects of burn treatment, and, in particular :

- To disseminate knowledge of and to stimulate prevention in the field of burn injury
- To encourage and co-ordinate research into scientific, clinical and social aspects of burn injury
- To promote education in all aspects of burns, including first aid, nursing and rehabilitation
- To cooperate in international disaster planning
- To facilitate exchange of personnel
- To coordinate and to publicize congresses relating to burn care throughout Europe

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