

CONFERENCE AGREEMENT : RULES FOR THE ORGANIZATION OF EBTA CONFERENCES.

1. EBTA promotes an annual EBTA Conference, which is organized by a local Conference Organization Committee in any European country. The EBTA Conference organizers are to be teams with experience in solution-focused work (not professional agencies)
2. Conference Organizers become so by invitation of the EBTA board, or by making an application that then receives the official endorsement of the EBTA board.
3. The Board decides on the structure, format and the theme of each Conference. Conference organizers should consult with the board on these matters.
4. The Conference Organizers will consult first with the board in the spring meeting 18 months before the conference and they will present a design for their conference at the Board meeting 12 months before the conference. Their costs for attending one of these EBTA Board meetings will be covered by EBTA.
5. The Conference Organizers will consult with the board about any major changes. If the conference is not organized according to the rules established by EBTA, the board may withdraw the EBTA endorsement.
6. The Board makes sure that the Conferences are open to a broad spectrum of presenters from inside and around the solution-focused movement.
7. At each Conference, an EBTA levy of 50 € will be collected from each participant by the Conference Organizers on behalf of the EBTA. Students pay no EBTA levy. This fee is not the property of the conference organisers and will be paid to the EBTA Treasurer immediately after the Conference.
8. The Conference organizers will provide a list of participants to the Secretary of EBTA.
9. EBTA does not participate in the profits or losses resulting from the conferences. It is a tradition within the EBTA that both presenters and board members pay their own registration, travelling and accommodation.