Plenary Meeting
8:00 – 10:30 am  •  Monday, May 14, 2018

8:00 – 8:10 am
Welcome to Cologne
Speaker:
Christof Gessner, PhD
Chair, HL7 Germany; European Strategic Advisory Board

8:10 – 8:20 am
Welcome Address to Working Group Meeting & CEO Report
Speaker:
Charles Jaffe, MD, PhD
CEO, HL7 International

8:20 – 8:25 am
Introduction of Plenary Program and Keynote Speakers
Session Chair:
Robert Stegwee, PhD
Chair, CEN/TC 251 Health Informatics

8:25 – 8:50 am
Keynote 1:
eHealth Network of Member State Representatives: Past, Present and Future
Speaker:
Clemens Martin Auer, MD
Director General, Federal Ministry of Health, Austria; Chair, eHealth Network

8:50 – 9:15 am
Keynote 2:
Patient at the Center of Digital Health Developments
Speaker:
Margo Brands, Msc
Senior Policy Advisor Digital Health, Dutch Patients Federation; Stakeholder Manager, MedMij

9:15 – 9:40 am
Keynote 3:
Healthcare in the Age of Digitization: Focus on Portugal
Speaker:
Henrique Martins, MD, PhD
CEO, Shared Service, Ministry of Health (SPMS), Portugal

9:40 – 10:05 am
Keynote 4:
Using Law and Standards to Make the Most of the European Reference Networks for Rare Diseases
Speaker:
Petra Wilson, PhD
Managing Partner, Health Connect Partners, Brussels, Belgium

10:05 – 10:30 am
Keynote 5:
European Strategy for eHealth: The Role of Interoperability Standards
Speaker:
Tapani Piha, MD
Head of Unit, Cross-Border Healthcare & eHealth, DG Health and Food Safety, European Commission, Brussels, Belgium