

Dr. Roger Flage new General Secretary of ESRA



At the General Assembly Meeting June 20 during ESREL 2017 in Portorož, Slovenia, Dr. Roger Flage, University of Stavanger, was elected as General Secretary following Professor Coen van Gulijk. Flage is 33 years old and has been part of the ESRA community for over 10 years, attending all ESREL conferences since 2007 and serving as a co-chair of the ESRA technical committee on uncertainty analysis since 2016. His professional career has been spent both in industry/consulting and in academia, two of the key domains of the ESRA member base. Both his education as well as his past and current research interests cover the core of and the main topical pillars on which ESRA is built, namely risk, safety and reliability. He has considerable experience also from administrative positions and activities, ranging from committee work to project management to study programme development.

We welcome Roger to the Board of ESRA. I am confident that he will do a great job, with his strong background and personal qualities. I know he is eager to contribute further to the continued operation and development of ESRA. As the General Secretary he will ensure a smooth transfer of ESRA information and experience to new members of the Board in 2018.

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Chairman of ESRA