

# XXII EAEF Conference

Prague, Czechia  
*5th - 8th June 2024*

# BOHEMIA

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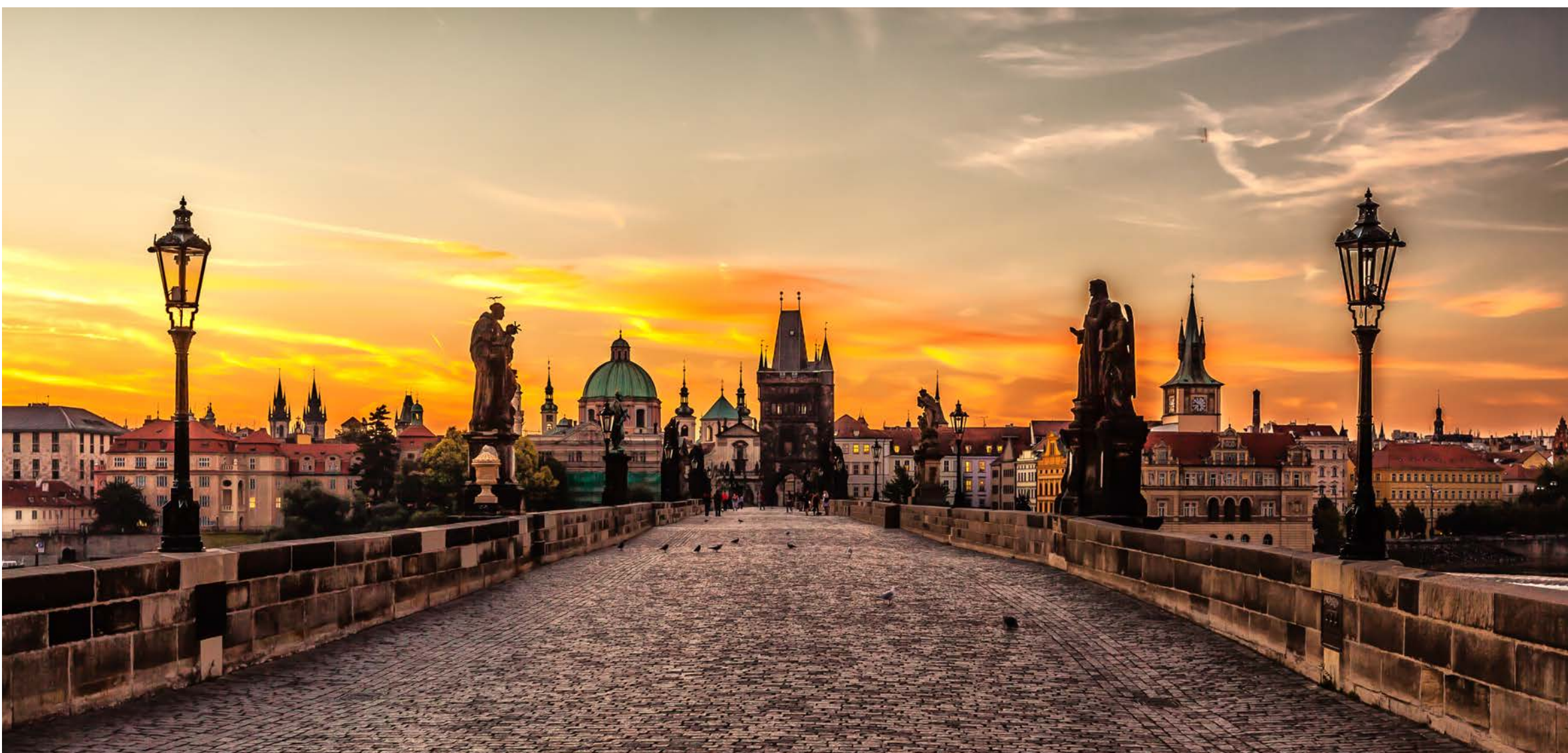


# BOHEMIA

*Bohemia: a district inhabited by persons, typically artists, writers, and intellectuals, whose way of life, dress, etc., are generally unconventional or avant-garde.*

Prague, a Bohemian city, will be the host to this year's conference.

Join us on a journey of self-discovery into the future of Employee Assistance as we look at unconventional support pathways and the advent of advanced technology within the mental health and wellness industry.



# Conference Schedule

- 5th June 2024 - Arrival Cocktail (evening)
- 6th June 2024 - Conference Day 1
- 7th June 2024 - Conference Day 2
- 8th June 2024 - Optional Day Tour (additional cost)

## Conference Fees | Full Conference

	Early Bird	Regular	Day Tour
Members*	€ 475,00	€ 575,00	€ 120,00
Non-Members	€ 825,00	€ 925,00	€ 120,00

\* Members who have paid membership fee in full will receive a discount voucher of €350,00

\*\* If you would like to invite a guest to the arrival cocktail or the main conference dinner, please contact us. Costs are as follows:

Arrival Cocktail: € 55,00 | Main Conference Dinner: € 95,00

## Conference Location

### Vienna House by Wyndham Andel's Prague

Stroupeznického 21  
Prague, 15000  
Czechia

[Click here for Conference Hotel reservation.](#)

## Registration

Click on the link below to register for this year's conference

<https://eaef.org/events/registration>

## Need more information?

Contact us at [info@eaef.org](mailto:info@eaef.org) for any questions or concerns.

# REGISTER TODAY!







# Conference Programme

Wednesday, 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2024		
18:30 – 20:30	<b>ARRIVAL COCKTAIL</b> VENUE: Oscar's (Conference Hotel)	<b>CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS</b> (included in conference fee)
Thursday, 6 <sup>th</sup> June 2024		
8:30 – 9:00	<b>REGISTRATION (&amp; NETWORKING)</b>	All Participants
MAIN CONFERENCE		
9:00 – 9:10	Opening Remarks & Welcome Speech	Speaker: Kenny Medeiros – President, EAEF
9:10 – 10:10	Keynote Presentation & Q&A <i>Embracing the Unconventional: Navigating Life as an Imposter</i>	Speaker: Jo de Groot – Principal Consultant, NeuroPower Group
10:10 – 10:20	Introduction of EAEF Award & Presentation of 1st Nominee	Moderator: Alexandru Manescu – Secretary, EAEF Speaker: Nominee to be announced
10:20 – 11:15	EA Association Roundtable <i>Embracing Tomorrow: Tradition in the Age of Innovation</i>	Moderator: David Levine, Executive Board Member - EAEF • Kenny Medeiros – President, EAEF • Michele Grow – Board Member, APEAR • David Hughes – Board Member at large, EAR
11:15 – 11:20	Presentation - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Nominee EAEF Award	Moderator: Alexandru Manescu – Secretary, EAEF Speaker: Nominee to be announced
<b>11:20 – 11:45</b>	<b>COFFEE/TEA BREAK (25 mins)</b>	
11:45 – 12:45	Breakout sessions 1 :	
	<b>Session 1</b>	From Swipe Left to CEO: Decoding Gen Z Speaker: • Tobba Vigfusdottir – CEO, Kara Connect
	<b>Session 2</b>	ROI Insights: EAP competitiveness in Europe's digital wellbeing landscape • Lou Servizio – Principal, Wellcast ROI • Anca Coriiu – European Distributor, Wellcast ROI
	<b>Session 3</b>	Digital Empathy: AI's Role and Ethical Dilemmas in Mental Healthcare • Marineuza Dias – Director of Member Experience Quality, Workplace Options • Maria Guimarães - Director of Clinical Global Infrastructure, Workplace Options
	<b>Session 4</b>	Through the looking glass: Evolution of EAP in the Middle East • Alexandru Manescu - International Director of Clinical Services, CCS • Mohamed Llama – Regional Coordinator for Middle East, CCS
<b>12:45 – 13:45</b>	<b>LUNCH BREAK (60 mins)</b>	
13:45 – 14:45	Breakout sessions 2 :	
	<b>Session 1</b>	Predictor of workplace critical incidents • Gana Diagne – Chief Knowledge Officer, Workplace Options
	<b>Session 2</b>	Supporting the front line: Reimagined EAP access for healthcare workers • Monique Thornton - Director, ECU Health System EAP • Daniel Hughes – Director, Mount Sinai Health System EAP
	<b>Session 3</b>	Fostering empathy, compassion and trust in confidentiality with a chatbot: Case example in LATAM • María Migali – Commercial Director, Grupo Wellness Latina • Andrea Lardani – Director, Grupo Wellness Latina
	<b>Session 4</b>	Bohemian EAP: join us in crafting an innovative service offering for our industry! • Dirk Antonisen – Partner, Human and Work Group • Christine Loos – Director of International Strategy, Stimulus
14:50 – 14:55	Presentation – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nominee EAEF Award	Moderator: Alexandru Manescu – Secretary, EAEF Speaker: Nominee to be announced
14:55 – 15:05	Clinical Governance Task Force - Introduction	Moderator: Alexandru Manescu – Secretary, EAEF
15:10 – 16:10	Clinical Governance Workshops (3 themes)	
<b>16:10 – 16:25</b>	<b>COFFEE/TEA BREAK (15 mins)</b>	
16:25 – 16:30	Presentation - 4 <sup>th</sup> Nominee EAEF Award	Moderator: Alexandru Manescu – Secretary, EAEF Speaker: Nominee to be announced
16:30 – 16:50	Presentation – Clinical Governance Workshop Outcomes	Moderator: Alexandru Manescu – Secretary, EAEF
<b>16:50 – 17:00</b>	<b>DAY 1 – CLOSING</b>	
19:00 – 21:30	<b>CONFERENCE DINNER</b> Venue: Municipal House	<b>ALL CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS</b> (included in conference fee – set menu)
21:30 – 00:00	<b>CONFERENCE DINNER "AFTER-PARTY"</b> Venue: TBD	<b>ALL CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS</b> (not included in conference fee – pay per use)



# Conference Programme

Friday, 7 <sup>th</sup> June 2024		
8:45 – 9:00	<b>CHECK-IN FOR DAY 2</b>	Participants pick-up certificate of attendance/Networking
9:00 – 9:15	<b>OPENING REMARKS</b> Summary/Take-away of Day 1	Speaker: Anke Luts – President Elect, EAEF
9:15 – 10:00	Preserving a humanized experience in an increasingly robotic world	Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Leticia Babcock, MA - Program Manager, Medtronic</li> <li>Jeanne Hermes, MA, LPCC, CEAP - EAP Consultant, Medtronic</li> <li>Chris Wachholz, PsyD, LP, CEAP - EAP Consultant, Medtronic</li> </ul>
10:00 – 11:00	Employer Roundtable	Moderator: TBD Panellists: TBD
<b>11:00 – 11:20</b>	<b>COFFEE/TEA Break (20 mins)</b>	
11:20-12:20	Breakout sessions 3 :	
	<b>Session 1</b>	Passionate Leadership and Employee Well-being: <i>A Bohemian Approach</i>
	<b>Session 2</b>	From manufacturing happy employees to planning bohemian well-being programmes: <i>the 8-steps approach</i>
	<b>Session 3</b>	An analysis of factors affecting EAPs' acceptance and utilization – German perspective
	<b>Session 4</b>	Building Psychological Safety and Trust in the Workplace
12:30 – 13:15	Annual General Meeting	For EAEF Voting Members only
<b>13:15 – 13:30</b>	<b>CONFERENCE CLOSING &amp; EVALUATION</b>	
<b>13:30 – 14:30</b>	<b>LUNCH BREAK (60mins)</b>	
14:30 – 16:30	Social Networking Activity	
Saturday, 8 <sup>th</sup> June 2024		
9:00 – 19:00	<b>OPTIONAL SOCIAL EVENT</b> Day Trip to Karlovy Vary	<b>ALL CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS</b> (Not included in conference fees – ticket must be purchased)



# Conference Activities

## Arrival Cocktail

5th June 2024 | 18:30-20:30



Oscar's Bar  
Vienna House by Wyndham Andel's Prague  
Stroupeznického 21  
Prague, 15000 Czechia

*Located at Conference Hotel.*

*For all conference participants. Included in conference fee. Guests welcome for an additional fee.*

## Main Conference Dinner

6th June 2024 | 19:00-21:30



Municipal House Restaurant  
Náměstí Republiky 1090  
Prague, 11000 Czechia

*15 min metro or tram ride from Conference Hotel*

*For all conference participants. Included in conference fee. Guests welcome for an additional fee.*

## Main Conference Dinner - "After Party"

6th June 2024 | 21:30-00:00

Continue with the good vibes by hanging out with the EAEF at a nearby location (TBD). No entry fee - drinks are at your expense. Guests are welcome.

# Conference Activities

## Optional Saturday Tour

8<sup>th</sup> of June 2024 | 9:00 – 19:00

Join us on a day trip to Karlovy Vary!



Karlovy Vary is the largest and best known of the Czech spa towns with a spa district, surrounded by forest-clad hills. It is situated in western Bohemia, in the picturesque valley of the little rivers Teplá and Ohře, approximately 130 km (81 miles) west of Prague. It is named after King of Bohemia and Holy Roman Emperor Charles IV, who founded the city in 1370. It is historically famous for its hot springs and makes use of 12 of the total 13 main springs and about 300 smaller springs, and the warm-water Teplá River - with temperatures ranging from 42 to 72 degrees Celsius.

*Not included in conference fees unless Optional Tour option selected, or separate ticket purchased.  
Guests are welcome with purchase of a ticket.*

Starting time: 9:00  
Finishing time: 19:00

### Schedule Includes:

- ✓ Bus Transportation from Vienna House by Wyndham Andel's Prague Hotel
- ✓ Tour of Moser Glassworks & Moser Museum
- ✓ Lunch
- ✓ Tour of Karlovy Vary & the springs
- ✓ Guided round trip ride by funicular to Diana Observation Tower
- ✓ Leisure time
- ✓ Bus Transportation to Prague





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