

Re: IMPORTANT! Leave and Marie Curie



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Dear Dalia, Ronny, Torsten

Unfortunately, Luca's disease is back and his condition is not well. Right now, they are in Barcelona, trying another treatment - our last option really. I will fly there myself on Saturday and I don't know when I will be back. I will use my accrued holidays from Monday on and take a 30 days leave. (I don't apply for a sick leave because our budget is very tight now, and I cannot afford to lose a penny).

Dalia: I am sure you saw this coming given my agitated state at the Board meeting. I have finished my teaching and informed the students about it (I knew since Friday evening). They will get in touch with me via email and be patient with replies. I will submit my grades on 9 April. The student reps talked to all students and they have agreed to wait until the re-opening of LADOK. I am aware that we don't change deadlines under normal circumstances - and, believe me, I made this clear to them - but I guess extraordinary circumstances would allow for an exception.

Ronny-Torsten: Even though there is still time, and the project is my child as much as Pinar's (I had the idea and contributed heavily to the writing of the proposal), I think it would be best for me to step down as Pinar's supervisor. She was already looking into the ways of doing it. As long as the supervisor is from CMES, there will not be any problems. As for me, well, I have already taken some credit for bringing the award to CMES and under the circumstances, I don't care about anything other than my son.