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Returning to Brussels after a hectic but extremely fruitful AGA and Conference in Cascais, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you who were with us for your help in making it such a success. For those of you that couldn't be with us, you can check out the [highlights](#), including a video interview with the new EFC Chair Marco Parlangeli, on our website. Moving on from the conference, we are currently undertaking a review of the learning events we offer – so if you would like to have your say then please complete the [two-minute survey](#).

Warm regards,

Gerry Salole  
Chief Executive



### Marco Parlangeli takes up EFC Chair

Marco Parlangeli of Fondazione Monte dei Paschi di Siena says that he plans to ensure continuity while also introducing new ideas on the

future direction of the Centre.



### President of Portugal sees crucial role of foundations in building more hopeful future

Anibal Cavaco Silva stressed the need for combining the efforts of government, the scientific

community and NGOs to provide better knowledge of the oceans and find ways to minimise risks to them.



### Francis Charhon awarded EFC Philanthropy Compass Prize

Awarded during the 22nd AGA and Conference in Cascais, the Prize honours individuals who have had a major impact on the course of

European philanthropy.



### EFC Capacity Building survey

The EFC organises a number of learning events throughout the year – have your say by taking this two-minute survey!



### Fondazione Cassa di Risparmio di San Miniato wins 2011 EFC Photo Competition

The winning photograph, 'Companions', captures the joie de vivre of two women playing table

football in a social centre as part of the foundation's Ithaca project which provides assistance to the elderly.



### Check out all the highlights from the 22nd Annual General Assembly and Conference in Cascais!

Photos, video interviews, day-by-day synopses...all the highlights from an action packed conference in

Portugal.

## Publications

[EFC Annual Report and Financial Statement 2010](#)

## New members

[Lego Foundation](#)

[Stiftung Deutsche Welthungerhilfe](#)

## Events

[TIEPOLO Knowledge Sharing Meeting - 22 June 2011](#)

[360 Degrees for Mission: Aligning Mission and Investments towards Greater Impact – 30 August 2011](#)

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