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## FIM Europe at Norwegian Motorcycle Federation's centenary



*Above, from the left: Roy Øwre, Martin de Graaff, Emilie Westbye (head of NMF Motorcycling) and Dr Wolfgang Srb, FIM Europe President. Below, Roy Wetterstad (on the left) and Alessandro Sambuco*

On Friday 5<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> August the Norwegian Motorcycle Federation celebrated its centenary in Oslo.

The prestigious City Hall in Oslo, home of the Nobel Awards ceremony, hosted the official celebration in presence of the people who participated in the recent history of the NMF, the representatives of the international and continental motorcycling and nearby Federations.

In fact, to celebrate the event together with the President of the FMN Roy Øwre and the Secretary General Roy Wetterstad there were the former Presidents NMF Svendsrud Tore, Tore Kittelsen, Per Madsen, Terje Rønning and Lene Fevang, the former FIM President Jos Vassen, the FIM Representative Jos Driessen, the FIM Eu-





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rope Europe Dr Wolfgang Srb with the 1<sup>st</sup> Deputy President Martin de Graaff, the Vice-President Juhani Halme and the Secretary General Alessandro Sambuco, the Presidents of DMU Jorgen Bitsch, LMSF Virginijus Visockis, SML Tapio Nevala and SVEMO Håkan Leeman.

A dynamic, full of surprises Gala Dinner successfully signed the two days of celebrations.



*From the left: Dr Wolfgang Srb, Roy Øwre and Jos Driessen*

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**About FIM Europe ([www.fim-europe.com](http://www.fim-europe.com))** - The FIM Europe (in the past UEM, Union Européenne de Motocyclisme) includes 47 National Federations (FMNs) and 6 Regional Motorcycling Associations and is a European organization acting within its attributions in all matters in relation with motorcycling activities and, as such, in domains ranging from sport, tourism, leisure, environment, mobility, road safety, legislative affairs, protection and defence of the rights and interests of motorcycle users. As far as motorcycle sport is concerned, the FIM Europe is the supreme and sole European authority empowered by the FIM to control European motorcycling sport activities organized under its jurisdiction throughout Europe. The aims of FIM Europe are to develop and promote all forms of motorcycling in Europe as well as the co-operation and friendship between its members, and notably: to examine all questions related to the development of motorcycling in Europe; to organize European Championships and to establish all competitions that appear beneficial subject to the prior approval of the FIM; to co-operate with the FIM in all matters relating to the organization of international events and motorcycling in general; to organize camps and seminars for riders, officials, coaches and administrators of various European FMNs; to support the creation and development of motorcycling activities in all European countries; to promote the co-operation among all European FMNs; to promote motorcycling among young people, both as sport and motorcycling in general; to encourage the use of motorcycles in European countries and to develop motorcycle tourism; to represent the interests of motorcyclists before European authorities; to promote in the media the sport of motorcycling and the use of motorcycles in all of Europe.

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