

**IMPORTANT:** The information you provide in this form must be true and complete.

You assume full responsibility for identifying any potential conflicts of interest and raising these with the ESC compliance office.

You should be aware that you can be excluded from ESC activities and as a member of the ESC in case of inaccurate declaration.

The period covered in this form is from 1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024.

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Last update date:

Last submission date:

Person:

Address:

I am a member of the following ESC bodies (Boards, Associations, Councils, Working Groups, Task Forces, Committees, Educational Course Director, ESC Spokespersons):

Other (please explain):

Your main employer:

Hospital / University / Other:

City / Country:

Position:

Questions 2 to 12 below apply to you, or any entity controlled by you (questions A) and your spouse/partner, or any entity controlled by your spouse/partner, (questions B) during the year of reference as stated in the title.

Nonetheless, if questions B are not applicable to your situation, or if your spouse/partner has activities unrelated to the healthcare industry or has nothing to declare, you can indicate this in the box below to avoid responding to each individual question.

☐ Questions B are not applicable to your situation or nothing to declare for your spouse/partner or entity controlled by your spouse/partner, for the entire declaration.

**1- Ongoing research funding from public and/or not-for-profit organisations. This information is not mandatory and does not impact one's ability to join an ESC activity:**

☐ Skip this question

Organisation name:

Period covered:

Funding type

☐ Funding under your supervision received by department/institution

☐ Funding received personally/by entity controlled by you

☒ Remove Funder ☒ Add Funder

**2.A - Payment from healthcare industry: speaker fees, honoraria, consultancy, advisory board fees, investigator, committee member, etc., including travel funding related to these activities.**

**For yourself/ entity controlled by you**

☐ Nothing to declare

Company: (One company only):

Topic area:

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year

☒ Remove Company ☒ Add Company

Was the sum of all the direct personal payments received by you and entities controlled by you declared in 2.A greater or equal to 10k€ per year?

☐ Yes, greater or equal to 10k€ ☐ No, lower than 10k€

**2.B - Payment from healthcare industry: speaker fees, honoraria, consultancy, advisory board fees, investigator, committee member, etc., including travel funding related to these activities.**

**For spouse/partner or entity controlled by spouse/partner**

☐ Nothing to declare

Company: (One company only):

Topic area:

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year

☒ Remove Company ☒ Add Company

Was the sum of all the direct personal payments received by your spouse/partner and entities controlled by your spouse/partner declared in 2.B greater or equal to 10k€ per year?

☐ Yes, greater or equal to 10k€ ☐ No, lower than 10k€

**3.A - Payment from healthcare industry to your department or institution or any other body for your personal services: speaker fees, honoraria, consultancy, advisory board fees, investigator, committee member, etc, including travel funding related to these activities.**

**For yourself/ entity controlled by you**

☐ Nothing to declare

Company: (One company only):

Topic area:

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year

☒ Remove Company ☒ Add Company

Did any or all of the payments received by your department/institution declared in 3.A impact your personal remuneration/ your entity's income (yearly remuneration/income)?

☐ Not at all ☐ Yes, to a modest degree (<10k€/year) ☐ Yes, to a substantial degree (≥10k€)

**3.B - Payment from healthcare industry to a department or institution or any other body for personal services provided by your spouse/partner or entity controlled by your spouse/partner: speaker fees, honoraria, consultancy, advisory board fees, investigator, committee member, etc, including travel funding related to these activities.**

☐ Nothing to declare

Company: (One company only):

Topic area:

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year

☒ Remove Company ☒ Add Company

Did any or all of the payments received by your spouse/partner's department/institution declared in 3.B impact your spouse/partner personal remuneration/ your spouse/partner entity's income (yearly remuneration/income)?

☐ Not at all ☐ Yes, to a modest degree (<10k€/year) ☐ Yes, to a substantial degree (≥10k€)

**4.A – Funding from healthcare industry for travel to, and attendance of events and meetings, unrelated to the activities listed in 2.A and 3.A.**

**For yourself/ entity controlled by you**

☐ Nothing to declare

Company: (One company only):

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year

☒ Remove Company ☒ Add Company

**4.B – Funding from healthcare industry for travel to and attendance of events and meetings, unrelated to the activities listed in 2.B and 3.B.****For spouse/partner or entity controlled by spouse/partner**☐ Nothing to declare

Company: (One company only):

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year☒ Remove Company ☒ Add Company**5.A – Receipt of royalties for intellectual property.****For yourself/ entity controlled by you**☐ Nothing to declare

Company: (One company only)

Topic area:

Please specify:

☐ pending ☐ granted but not generating royalties ☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year☒ Remove Company ☒ Add Company**5.B – Receipt of royalties for intellectual property.****For spouse/partner or entity controlled by spouse/partner**☐ Nothing to declare

Company: (One company only)

Topic area:

Please specify:

☐ pending ☐ granted but not generating royalties ☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year☒ Remove Company ☒ Add Company**6.A - Research funding from healthcare industry received personally by you or an entity controlled by you.**☐ Nothing to declare

Company/organisation providing financial support or other resources to any institution to which you belong: (One company only):

Total amount of grant/financial support:

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year

Total amount from the grant/financial support received to support own research or activity:

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year☒ Remove Company ☒ Add Company

Was the sum of all the research funding received personally by you and entities controlled by you declared in 6.A greater or equal to 10k€ per year?

☐ Yes, greater or equal to 10k€ ☐ No, lower than 10k€**6.B - Research funding from healthcare industry received personally by your spouse/partner or an entity controlled by your spouse/partner.**☐ Nothing to declare

Company/organisation providing financial support or other resources to any institution to which your spouse/partner belongs: (One company only):

Total amount of grant/financial support:

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year

Total amount from the grant/financial support received to support own research or activity:

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year

☒ Remove Company ☒ Add Company

Was the sum of all the research funding received personally by your spouse/partner and entities controlled by your spouse/partner declared in 6.B greater or equal to 10k€ per year?

☐ Yes, greater or equal to 10k€ ☐ No, lower than 10k€

**7.A - Research funding from healthcare industry received by your department/institution or an entity controlled by your department/institution, under your direct/personal responsibility.**

☐ Nothing to declare

Company/organisation providing financial support or other resources to any institution to which you belong: (One company only):

Short description of activity:

Start year of research activity:

End year of research activity:

Total estimated amount of grant/financial support for entire project:

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year

Role in research or activity

Total amount from the grant/financial support received to support own research or activity:

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year

☒ Remove Company ☒ Add Company

Did any or all of the research funding declared in 7.A impact your personal remuneration or your entity's remuneration/income? (yearly remuneration/income)

☐ Not at all ☐ Yes, to a modest degree (<10k€/year) ☐ Yes, to a substantial degree (≥10k€)

**7.B - Research funding from healthcare industry received by your spouse/partner's department/institution or an entity controlled by your spouse/partner's department/institution, under your spouse/partner direct/personal responsibility.**

☐ Nothing to declare

Company/organisation providing financial support or other resources to any institution to which your spouse/partner belongs: (One company only):

Short description of activity:

Start year of research activity:

End year of research activity:

Total estimated amount of grant/financial support for entire project:

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year

Role in research or activity

Total amount from the grant/financial support received to support own research or activity:

☐ <10k€/year ☐ 10-50k€/year ☐ 50-100 k€/year ☐ +100 k€/year

☒ Remove Company ☒ Add Company

Did any or all of the research funding received by your spouse/partner's department/institution declared in 7.B impact your spouse/partner's personal remuneration or your spouse/partner entity's remuneration/income? (yearly remuneration/income)

☐ Not at all ☐ Yes, to a modest degree (<10k€/year) ☐ Yes, to a substantial degree (≥10k€)

**8.A Direct financial interest in healthcare, media, education companies or in companies related to (suppliers), or in competition with the ESC and its mission: to reduce the burden of cardiovascular disease.**

**For yourself/ entity controlled by you**

☐ Nothing to declare

☐ Healthcare

Please select a topic:

Please specify

☐ Media

Please specify

☐ Education

Please specify

☐ Other

Please specify

**8.B Direct financial interest in healthcare, media, education companies or in companies related to (suppliers), or in competition with the ESC and its mission: to reduce the burden of cardiovascular disease.**

**For spouse/partner or entity controlled by spouse/partner**

☐ Nothing to declare

☐ Healthcare

Please select a topic:

Please specify

☐ Media

Please specify

☐ Education

Please specify

☐ Other

Please specify

**9.A Employment (including part time) in healthcare industry.**

**For yourself/ entity controlled by you**

☐ Nothing to declare

Name of employing organisation:

Position held (job title or role):

Number of days per week:

**9.B Employment (including part time) in healthcare industry.**

**For spouse/partner or entity controlled by spouse/partner**

☐ Nothing to declare

Name of employing organisation:

Position held (job title or role):

Number of days per week:

**10.A Membership or affiliation in political or advocacy groups working in the field of cardiovascular medicine.**

**For yourself/ entity controlled by you**

☐ Nothing to declare

**10.B Membership or affiliation in political or advocacy groups working in the field of cardiovascular medicine.**

**For spouse/partner or entity controlled by spouse/partner**

☐ Nothing to declare

**11.A Any other interest (financial or otherwise), that should be declared in view of holding an ESC position (e.g. editorial role in non-ESC publications—editor in chief or other editorial position—and/or officer position in other organisations)**

**For yourself/ entity controlled by you**

☐ Nothing to declare

**11.B Any other interest (financial or otherwise) that should be declared in view of holding an ESC position (e.g. editorial role in non-ESC publications—editor in chief or other editorial position—and/or officer position in other organisations).**

**For spouse/partner or entity controlled by spouse/partner**

☐ Nothing to declare

**12 Was the total impact on your and your spouse/partner income or income to an entity controlled by you or your spouse/partner (as declared in 2.A, 2.B, 3.A, 3.B, 6.A, 6.B, 7A, 7B) greater or equal to 10k€ per year?**

☐ Yes, greater or equal to 10k€   ☐ No, lower than 10k€

☐ I confirm the following:

- I have read the [ESC Declaration and Management of Conflict of Interest Policy](#) available on the ESC website.
- I understand that certain positions or activities of the ESC require the publication of elements included in my declaration of interests, in the framework defined in the personal data privacy terms.
- The information I provided above is true and complete.
- I will promptly advise the ESC compliance office at [doi@escardio.org](mailto:doi@escardio.org) should any changes occur concerning my financial interests or positions of influence which might impact my ESC activities during the current year.
- I assume full responsibility for identifying any potential conflicts of interest and I am aware that I can be excluded from the ESC in case of inaccurate declaration.
- (if applicable) I confirm that I have informed my spouse/partner and obtained his/her explicit consent for the disclosure of the information related to him/her.

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The recipients of the data are:

- ESC Management and ESC staff who handle the administration of the DOIs.
- The cardiologists carrying out peer reviews of your declaration (to determine whether there may be a potential conflict of interest).
- Other cardiologists engaged on the same activities as you (e.g., those on the same Committee or Task Force) who can view your DOI.
- Visitors to the ESC website: certain ESC activities / positions may require the publication of your DOI, e.g., ESC Guideline positions.
- Subcontractors in the framework of the random checks of DOIs against published sources, journal publishers in the framework of the conflict of interest management for scientific publications.

Data collected in your Declaration of Interests will be kept within the ESC database for 10 years or longer if they are related to a publication or a mandate within the ESC which remains still current. Data included in a publication will also remain available as part of the published material as long as the latter is available.

In accordance with the chapter 3 of the European Regulation 2016/679 with regards to data protection, you and your spouse/partner have the right to request from ESC, access to and rectification or erasure of your personal data or restriction of processing concerning your data or to object to processing as well as the right to data portability.

For such, please contact [dataprivacy@escardio.org](mailto:dataprivacy@escardio.org) (be aware that a proof of identity will be requested during the process via a secured web link).

You have the right to lodge a complaint with a supervisory authority, and for information, ESC has appointed a Data Protection Officer that you can reach at [dpo@escardio.org](mailto:dpo@escardio.org).