



**ACNAP**

Association of Cardiovascular  
Nursing & Allied Professions

## Elections to ACNAP Board 2020-2022

**Application for the position:**

**ACNAP President Elect**



1. Your Identity	
Title	Professor
Family Name(s)	UCHMANOWICZ
First Name(s)	IZABELLA
Birth Date	20.03.1970
Institute/Organisation	WROCLAW MEDICAL UNIVERSITY, FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES, UNIVERISTY HOSPITAL, CARDIAC DISEASES CLINIC, POLAND
City	WROCLAW
Country	POLAND
Profession	NURSE
Position	PROFESSOR



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## 2. General Curriculum Vitae (300 words max)

### Diplomas and degrees

- a) Completed MA in Nursing at the Faculty of Nursing, Wroclaw Medical Academy (1995).
- b) BA degree in Nursing confirmed by the State Education, Department of the University of the State of New York, USA (1997).
- c) Obtained the title of a Doctor of Medical Science in the field of Social Medicine, Faculty of Postgraduate Medical Training, Wroclaw Medical University.
- d) Completed specialist training in Cardiac Nursing, Center of Postgraduate Training for Nurses and Midwives in Warsaw (2012).
- e) Completed postgraduate course at the School of Banking in Wroclaw: Research and Development Project Management (2014).
- f) Obtained postdoctoral degree ("habilitation") in Health Science, Pomeranian Medical University in Szczecin (2016).
- g) Nursing License, UK (2018–present).

### Research work

My academic record includes over 100 full-text papers:

- a) **Impact Factor: 140.4**
- b) **Hirsch Index: 10**

### Research projects (last 4 years)

- a) European Grant: "Program for postgraduate education in nursing and midwifery in Western Poland" within a Ministry of Health competition titled "Postgraduate education in nursing and midwifery in areas related to epidemiological and demographic needs", no. POWER 05.04.00IP.05-00-002/15, under Priority Axis 5: Support for Health Care, Measure 5.4: Professional competence and skills of medical staff. Project supervisor (2016–2020).
- b) European Grant: RANCARE – "Missed Nursing Care: An International and Multidimensional Problem" – COST Action CA15208, (2016–2020).

### Membership in expert teams and committees

- a) Member the Work Package 2 expert group: "Standards and Audits in the European Society of Cardiology (ESC)". The purpose of the program is to raise awareness on cardiovascular disease prevention and implement standards to ensure the success of prevention programs based on ESC guidelines throughout Europe (2018–2019).
- b) Member of the Expert Group of the Polish Society of Cardiology for Palliative Care in Heart Failure (2018–present).
- c) Expert at the National Agency for Academic Collaboration (2018–present).



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### 3. Previous experience(s) in ACNAP, ESC or your National Bodies?

*If you answered yes to at least one of these questions, please provide details, specifically indicate if you hold an Executive position (President, Vice President, President Elect) in a National Cardiac Society (Nursing or Allied professions) or in the ESC. If so, please indicate which one as well as the term of this position.*

- a) Education Committee of the Council on Cardiovascular Nursing and Allied Professions (CCNAP) of the European Society of Cardiology. Position: Member (2012–2016).
- b) Nominating Committee of the Council on Cardiovascular Nursing and Allied Professions (CCNAP) of the European Society of Cardiology. Position: Member (2012–2016).
- c) Patient Care Committee of Heart Failure Association of the European Society of Cardiology (2012–2016).
- d) Council on Cardiovascular Nursing and Allied Professions (CCNAP, currently ACNAP) of the European Society of Cardiology. Position: Board Member – Congress Coordinator (2016–present).

### 4. Are you a board or Nucleus member of any other scientific association?

Yes ☒ No ☐

*If you answered yes, please provide details.*

European Nursing Research Foundation, (ENRF) – external Director.

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**5. Why are you interested in joining the ACNAP Board and what would you like to achieve if you were elected (300 words max)?**

I would like to become the President-Elect of ACNAP in connection with many years of activity in the current association. I have been involved in a number of activities and projects as part of ACNAP and would like to continue and develop this association. I have many ideas about the future of ACNAP: to develop new activities, to continue on the path that has been started and to develop new ideas. Above all, attracting new members, encouraging them to submit their ideas, writing guidelines to be implemented in Europe and worldwide. My research skills can be useful in building various research projects. I would also suggest working closely with the European Nursing Society and the European nursing research foundation to build cooperation and further strategies for the development of ACNAP.

**6. How will you balance your work commitments with your commitments to ACNAP (300 words max)?**

Until now I have been involved in many ACNAP activities and I believe that I have always been able to complete the tasks expected. I am a very disciplined person and I manage my time well. Additionally, my Rector (supporting letter attached) Prof. Piotr Ponikowski declares his full support for my eventual increased activity within the ACNAP structures.



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- The internal ESC / ACNAP staff responsible for the organization of the elections
- ACNAP Nominating Committee 2018-2020
- ACNAP Voting members, during the e-voting
- Visitors Website
- National Cardiac Societies and Nursing-Allied Professions National Groups

Your data will only be used to make a list of candidates to the 2020-2022 Board elections to be reviewed by the ACNAP Nominating Committee 2018-2020 and then posted on the ESC website and made available through the electronic voting platform. All data are mandatory as part of the election process.

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