



Vienna, 07 November 2022

### **NOTICE OF FORTHCOMING GOVERNING BOARD ELECTIONS**

Dear Colleagues in IBD!

Notice is hereby given that the following position on the Governing Board of ECCO is open for election: **ECCO Education Officer 2023-2026**

The ECCO Governing Board is implementing § 5.3.4.7 of the ECCO Statutes by giving notice at least 12 weeks prior to the General Assembly, taking place on Thursday, March 2, 2023 at the Bella Center Copenhagen, where the announcement of the elected candidate will take place.

#### **Tasks of Education Officer:**

1. The Education Officer will make every effort to assist ECCO in achieving its mission and objectives (see also §5.3.2.).
2. The Education Officer co-chairs the Operational Board and is the main Governing Board liaison for the education committees of ECCO.
3. The term of office of the Education Officer is three years. Re-election is not possible. Only in case no new candidates stand for election, the current Education Officer is encouraged to act for another full term.

**Eligibility of Education Officer:** Any Regular Member of ECCO in good standing, who has been an ECCO Member for a minimum of two years and who has served a term on the Operational Board or in an ECCO Committee can stand for election unless he/she holds a current position in industry or has already served one term as Education Officer.

**Term of office:** ECCO'23 Vienna Congress, March 1, 2023 ending at the ECCO Congress in 2026, 3 years.

**Nomination process:** Nominations for the position of Education Officer require one proposer and two seconders who are current ECCO Committee Members or have served on an ECCO Committee in the past, and all must be from different nations. Members of the Governing Board are excluded. The nominations must be sent to the ECCO Office in line with the calls for elections.

#### **Application deadline is December 9, 2022**

*\*Data processing consent and retention: By sending an application by email to [ecco@ecco-ibd.eu](mailto:ecco@ecco-ibd.eu), you agree to the data processing for the above described project: ECCO Office stores applicants' personal data of this application for the project timeframe. You have the right to object at any time at [ecco@ecco-ibd.eu](mailto:ecco@ecco-ibd.eu). ECCO Office will delete data securely after the end of this project.*

Please include the following documents:

- One A4 page Curriculum Vitae and
- A letter of intent (max. 500 words)

The details of the nominations will be published online at least 6 weeks prior to the General Assembly. Forms for proposing and seconding a

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In case you need any assistance please do not hesitate to contact the ECCO Office.

With best wishes,

*Laurent Peyrin-Biroulet*  
*ECCO President*

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