



## Notice of Forthcoming ECCO Governing Board Elections

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Dear Colleagues in IBD!

Notice is hereby given that the following position on the Governing Board of ECCO is open for election:

### **ECCO Scientific Officer 2027-2030**

The ECCO Governing Board is implementing § 5.3.4.6 of the ECCO Statutes by giving notice at least 12 weeks prior to the General Assembly, taking place on Thursday, March 4, 2027 in Copenhagen, Denmark where the announcement of the elected candidate will take place.

#### **Tasks:**

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

#### **Eligibility:**

Any Regular Member of ECCO in good standing who has served a term on the Operational Board or in an ECCO Committee can stand for election unless they hold a current position in industry or have already served one term as Scientific Officer.

#### **Term of office:**

ECCO'27 Copenhagen Congress, March 4, 2027 until the ECCO Congress in 2030, 3 years.

#### **Nomination process:**

The candidate can be nominated by any Regular Member and requires two seconders. Both the proposer and seconders can be any Regular Member of ECCO or any Y-ECCO Member in good standing, except members of the Governing Board. The nominee, nominator and seconders must all be from different nations.



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The form for nominating and seconding a candidate can be found [here](#).

**Application documents:**

- One A4 page Curriculum Vitae
- A letter of intent (max. 1500 words)
- A nomination form including proposers and seconders

Please apply [here](#).\*

**Deadline for submission is November 30, 2026**

By applying, you confirm you have read and agree to the [ECCO Code of Conduct](#) and the [ECCO Outline of Responsibilities](#).

*\*Data processing consent and retention: in the online submission process of an application to this call, you agree to the data privacy statement for the above-described project.*

If you have trouble logging in, please contact [ecco@ecco-ibd.eu](mailto:ecco@ecco-ibd.eu)

Nomination details will be published online at least 6 weeks prior to the General Assembly.

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

With best wishes,

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ECCO President

Edouard Louis  
ECCO Secretary