

EIC General Assembly

8 October 2024 – Online (Zoom)

Time:

13.30 - 15.00 / 1.30 - 3.00 pm Reykjavik 15.30 - 17.00 / 3.30 - 5.00 pm Berlin/Rome 14.30 - 16.00 / 2.30 - 4.00 pm London/Lisbon 16.30 - 18.00 / 4.30 - 6.00 pm Helsinki/Istanbul

Zoom meeting access:

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Meeting ID: 816 3144 2878

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Agenda

- 1. **Welcome** by Heather Rogers (EIC Chair)
 - 1.1. Election of the scrutineer
 - 1.2. Approval of the agenda
 - 1.3. Approval of the record of the last General Assembly Please see minutes of the 2023 EIC General Assembly <u>here</u>.
- 2. Discussion and Approval of the EIC annual report and its annual accounts

Heather Rogers (EIC Chair), Andy Bray (EIC Treasurer), Barbara van der Linden (EIC Board Member). Please see Appendix 1 for the EIC Activity and Financial Report 2023/2024.

- 3. **Discharge of the Board of Directors,** Heather Rogers (EIC Chair)
- 4. Taking note of the EIC strategy (2022-2026) and budget (2024/2025)

Heather Rogers (EIC Chair), Andy Bray (EIC Treasurer)

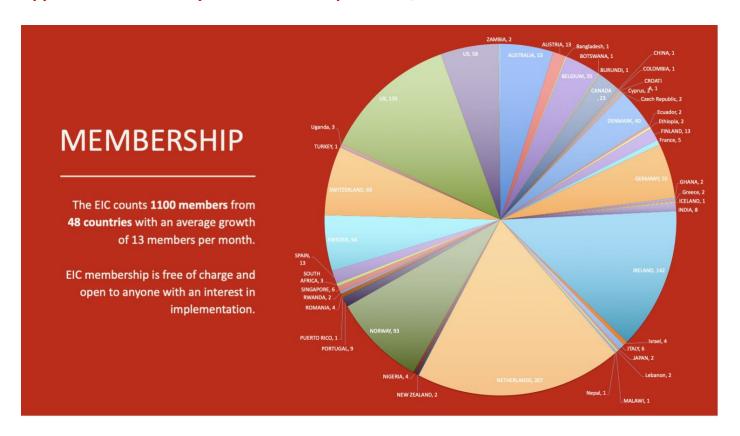
- 4.1. New business invited from the floor
- 5. A conversation between <u>Dr Annette Boaz</u>, Professor of Health and Social Care, and <u>Dr Allison Metz</u>, Professor of the Practice:

Being inclusive in implementation research and practice – what does it really mean?

We invite all EIC Members to join this conversation! There will be time for exchange between EIC Members/guest speakers in breakout rooms. Further information about the speakers will be shared soon. The conversation will be introduced by Jackie Dwane (EIC Board Member).



Appendix 1: EIC Activity and Financial Report 2023/2024



KEY EIC ACTIVITIES 2023 October* - now

2023 OCT - now

- Three-monthly Board meetings
- Implementation of the EIC Strategy 2021 – 2026
- EIC Member engagement
- Support EIC Working Groups and research projects

2022 SEPT - **now**

 Co-PI of the European Implementation Mapping Project (led by IfIS)

2024 JAN - now

Planning of the 2025
European
Implementation Event

2024 JAN

UNC Scholarships

2024 MAR - APRIL

 Teaching at Barcelona Technology School

2024 SEPT

UNC Scholarships

2024 JUNE

Meeting with the 8
 national
 implementation
 networks: update &
 input for EIC Strategy,
 EIE2025 contribution

^{*} The activities since the last General Assembly in October 2023 are presented.



RESEARCH PROJECTS 2023/24



EUROPEAN IMPLEMENTATION MAPPING (EIM)

Led by IfIS, EIC as project partner (Co-PI & part of research team)

REVERSE EU-PROJECT

> EIC is a member of the External Stakeholder Panel

OUTPUT AND ENGAGEMENT Oct 2023 - Aug 29, 2024



Newsletter:

- 2023: 8 Newsletters, 2024: 7 Newsletters
- Currently 1244 subscribers

Social Media:

- LinkedIn / WhatsApp as main communication channels for EIE2025
- EIC is currently not active on Twitter / X

Implementer portraits:

• 29 portraits on the EIC website

Blogposts:

• 8 blogposts on EIC website

* as of August 29, 2023



EIC WORKING GROUPS

The EIC focuses on creating links between the individuals and groups working in implementation science and practice across Europe by establishing open working groups

> EARLY CAREER IMPLEMENTATION PROFESSIONAL (ECIP)

92 members, regular WG meetings, involvement in the EIE2025 programme planning, EIE2025 activities, involvement in research project, weekly "Writing Hour"

- ➤ QUALITATIVE IMPLEMENTATION RESEARCH (EIC QIR)
- > IMPLEMENTATION IN PHYSIOTHERAPY

Working Groups in preparation:

- > IMPLEMENTATION IN SOCIAL WORK
- > IMPLEMENTATION EDUCATION AND TRAINING
- > EIC BOARD ALUMNI

EIC Financial Report - financial governance

- In 2022, EIC moved its legal 'home' from Denmark to Switzerland and updated our by-laws.
- EIC is now hosted by *The Institute for Implementation Science in Health Care* (IfIS) at the University of Zurich. In September 2023, EIC was officially registered in Switzerland.
- EIC opened a bank account with their Swiss address.
- Thank you to Tom Jefford, who acts as **independent auditor** of the 2024/2025 EIC accounts.



EIC Finances 2023/2024

- A balance of €49,799 was carried forward by the new Board.
- 2023/2024 was a quiet year for EIC on the financial front.
- Financial activity to date has been concerned with routine and day to day operation of the EIC.

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ltem	Time period	Income	Expense	Note
Account balance Sept 2023		€ 49,371.03		
September 2023 – December 2023				
Running costs (Subscriptions, website)	Sept – Dec 2023		€ 178.35	
Secretarial services	July – Dec 2023		€ 4,560.00	
January 2024 – August 2024 (23.08.2024)				
Running costs (Subscriptions, website)	Jan – Aug 2024		€ 697.93	
Secretarial services	Jan – July 2024		€ 5,770.00	
EIC Board Meeting Dublin	May-24		€ 1,688.88	
				Current Balance
		€ 49,371.03	€ 12,895.16	€ 36,475.87

Approval by the General Assembly

The General Assembly will approve the EIC annual report, including the financial report, at the General Assembly on October 8, 2024.