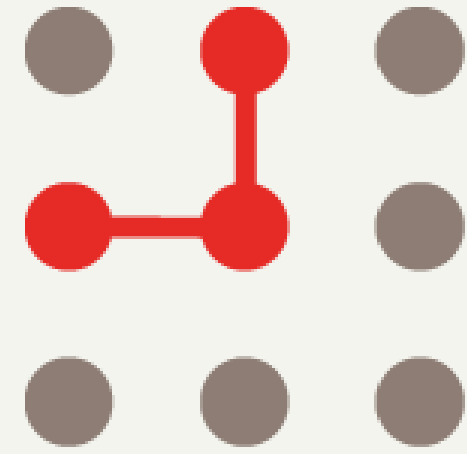


# GENERAL ASSEMBLY 2025

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EUROPEAN  
IMPLEMENTATION  
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Inspire Implement Improve

## Zoom etiquette



- **Add your network affiliation and country to your zoom name**
- **Use the chat function for questions, comments, and to introduce yourself**
- **Put any implementation-related updates from your organisation or network in the chat to share with attendees (events, updates, key publications)**
- **Mute yourself when not speaking**

# The EIC Board 2023-2026

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**Heather Rogers**  
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**Leah Bührmann**  
Northumbria University, UK  
EIC Chief Operating Officer

# AGENDA

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- **Welcome by Heather Rogers (EIC Chair)**
  - Election of the scrutineer
  - Approval of the agenda
  - Approval of the record of the last General Assembly
- **Discussion and Approval of the EIC annual report and its annual accounts**
- **Discharge of the Board of Directors**
- **EIC strategy (2022-2026) and budget (2025/2026)**
- **Session led by the winners of the EIE2025 Spark & Shift Award:**

**Time to sing? The use of music and singing as participatory methods to facilitate co-production in implementation science**



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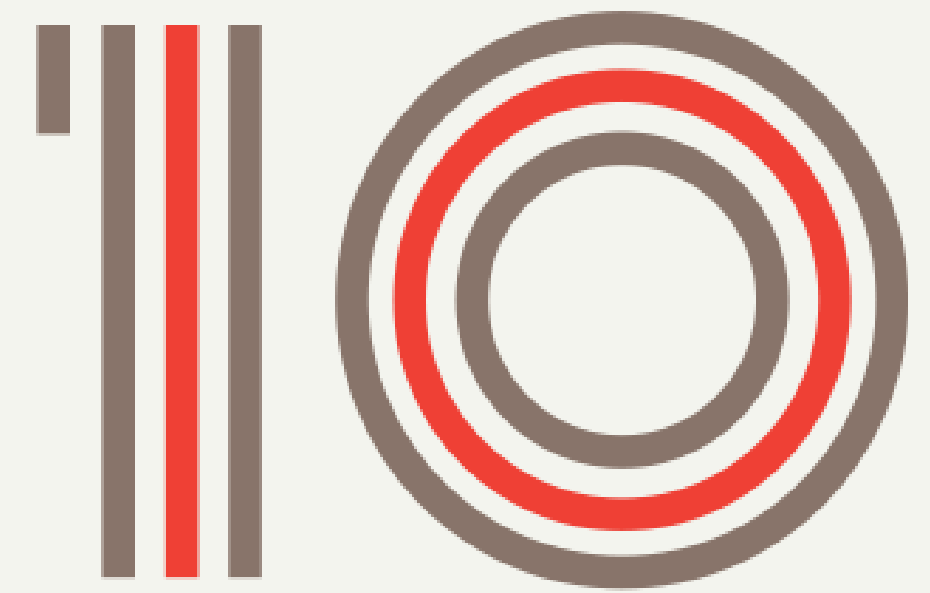
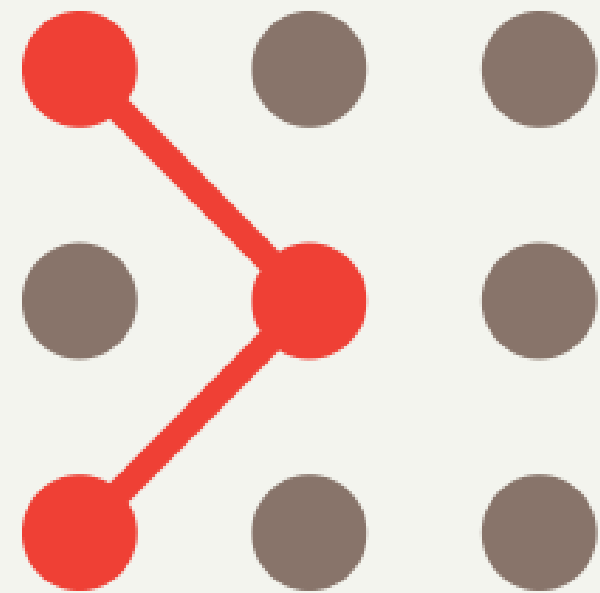
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# 10 Years EIC!

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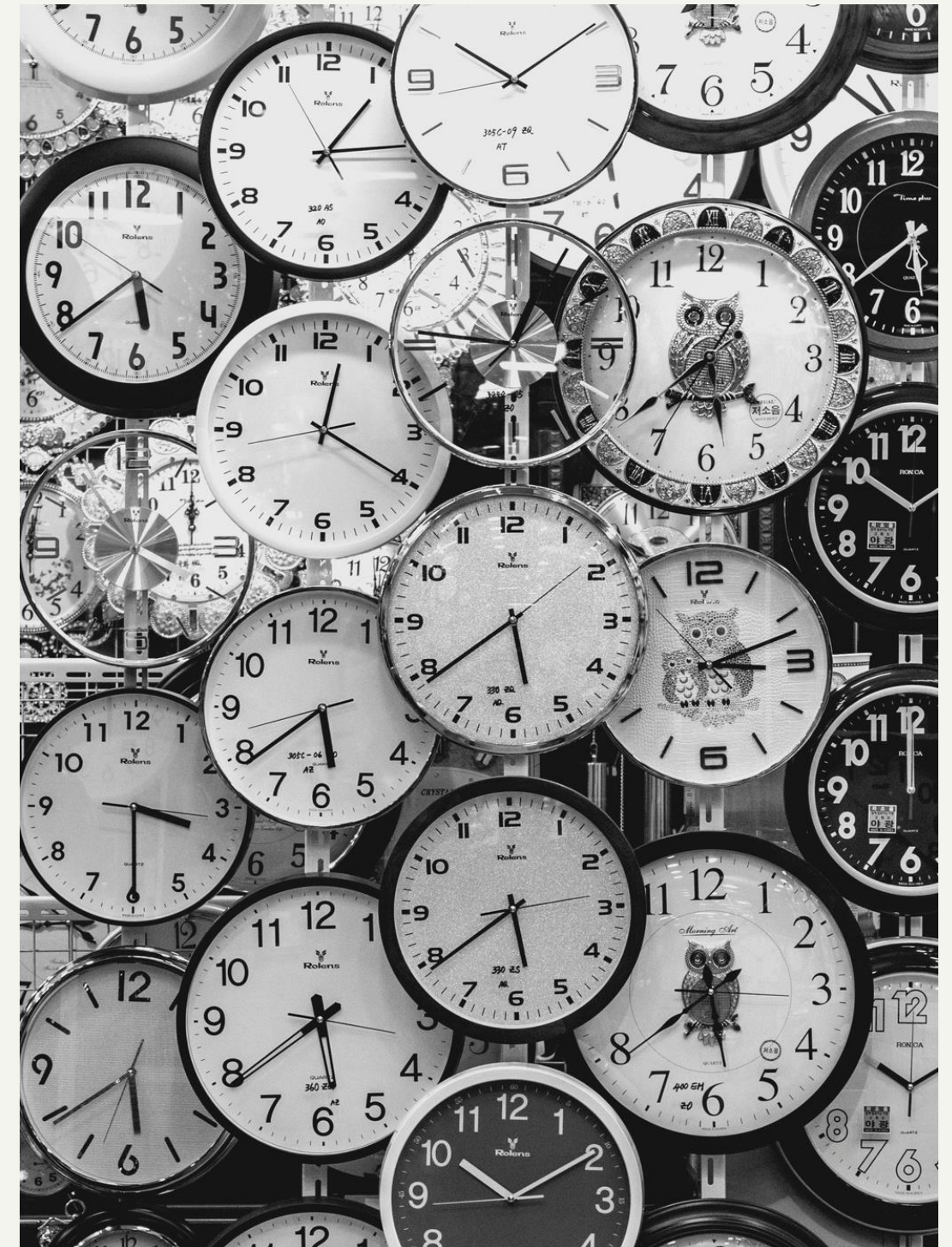
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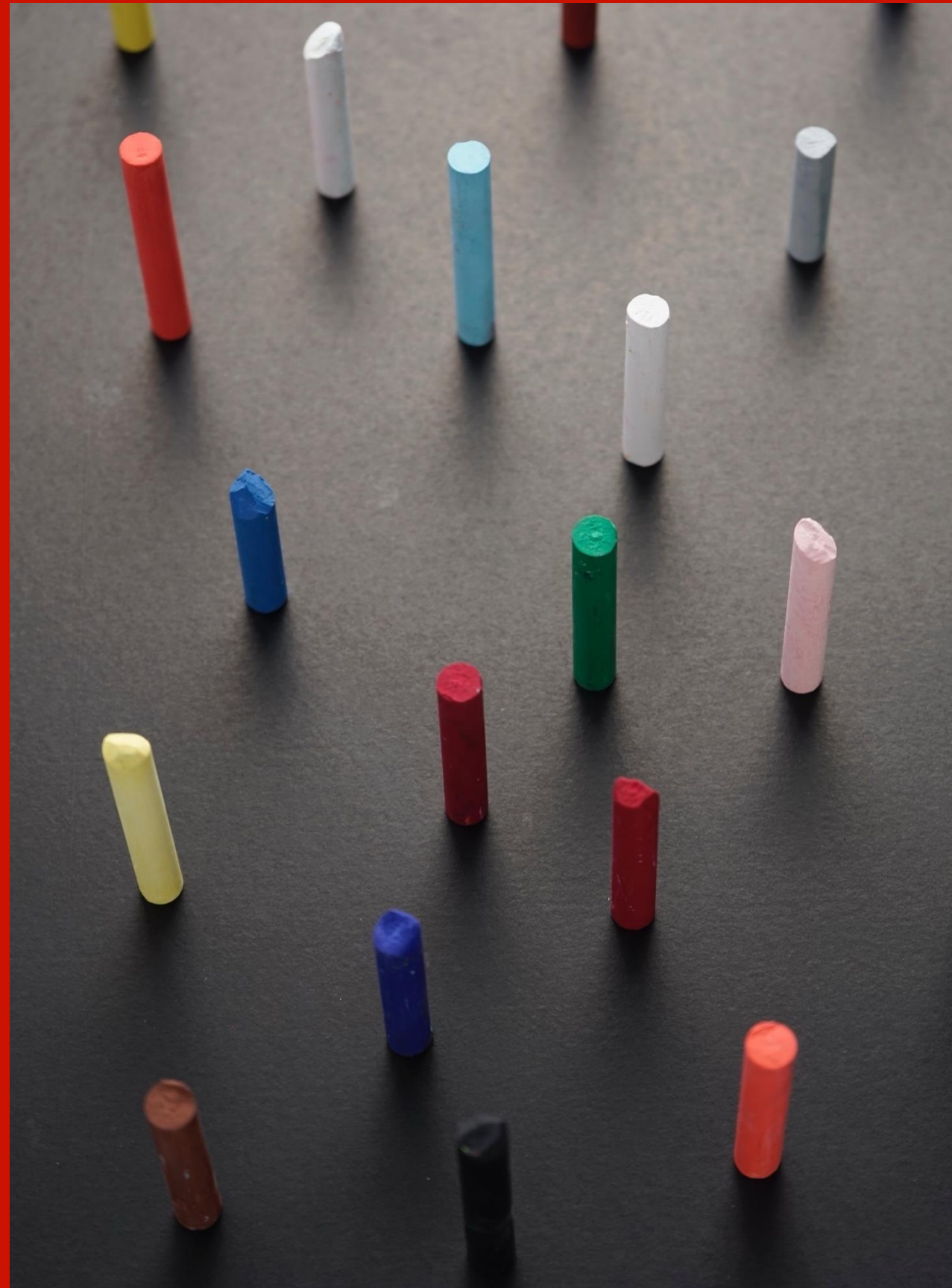
2. Do you **approve** the agenda for the EIC General Assembly 2025?

3. Do you **approve** the records of the EIC General Assembly 2024?



# Activity and financial report 2024/2025

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# KEY EIC ACTIVITIES 2024 October\* – now



\* The activities since the last General Assembly in October 2024 are presented.

# OUTPUT AND ENGAGEMENT Oct 2024 – Sept 2025



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## Newsletter:

- 2024: 11 Newsletters, 2025: 10 Newsletters
- Currently **1182 subscribers**

## Social Media:

- LinkedIn / WhatsApp as main communication channels for EIC / EIE
- EIC developed and just launched its social media strategy and plans to increase its outreach

## Implementer portraits:

- 29 implementer portraits on the EIC website
- 2 portraits of EIE2025 partner organisations

## Blogposts:

- 8 blogposts on EIC website

# EIC WORKING GROUPS

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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, quarterly WG meetings, involvement in EIE programme planning, research activities, weekly “Writing Hour”
- **QUALITATIVE IMPLEMENTATION RESEARCH (EIC – QIR)**  
68 members, monthly WG meetings with varying formats
- **IMPLEMENTATION IN PHYSIOTHERAPY**  
18 members, regular WG webinars, research activities
- **IMPLEMENTATION IN EDUCATION**  
13 members, quarterly WG meetings / webinars
- **DIGITAL HEALTH IMPLEMENTATION (DiHI-WG)**  
54 members, regular WG meetings / webinars

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*Working Groups in preparation:*

- **IMPLEMENTATION IN SOCIAL WORK**
- **EIC BOARD ALUMNI**

# EUROPE'S IMPLEMENTATION NETWORKS



Denmark



German-speaking countries



Ireland & Northern Ireland



Netherlands



Nordic Implementation Interest Group



Italy



Norway



Switzerland



UK



Portugal

- **Annual meetings of the European implementation networks organised by EIC**

- Past meetings: June 2025 (at EIE2025), June 2024 (online)
- Updates from networks / EIC
- Networking / Collaboration

- **Involvement of networks in EIE2025**

- Meeting of the networks (pre-event day)
- Session organised **by** the networks:

*Professionalising Implementation Science and Implementation (Support) Practice: Do we need practice standards? A European Debate.*

- **Representation of networks in EIC communications**

- **New networks in early stages of development:**

- Belgium, Greece, Spain

# EIC Finances 2024/2025

- A balance of **€36,474.44** was carried forward by the 2024/2025 Board.
- The main EIC income in 2025 was generated through **EIE2025** (income to be finalised and reflected on the 2025 financial report).
- Other financial activity has been concerned with routine and day to day operation of the EIC.
- Thank you to **Tom Jefford**, who acted as independent auditor of the 2024/2025 EIC accounts.

Item	Time period	Income	Expense	Note
Account balance Sept 2024		<b>€ 36,474.44</b>		
<b>September 2024 – December 2024</b>				
Running costs (subscriptions, website)	Sept – Dec 2024		€ 162.76	
Secretarial services	July – Dec 2024		€ 5,514.00	
<b>January 2025 – August 2025 (30.08.2025)</b>				
Running costs (subscriptions, website)	Jan – Aug 2025		€ 679.99	
Secretarial services	Jan – July 2025		€ 6,520.00	
EIC 10 Year Logo	May 2025		€ 500	
Vouchers volunteers	August 2025		€ 160,48	
				<b>Current Balance</b>
		<b>€ 36,474.44</b>	<b>€ 14,537.23</b>	<b>€ 22,937.21</b> <b>(CHF 21,464.96)</b>

ANY  
questions?

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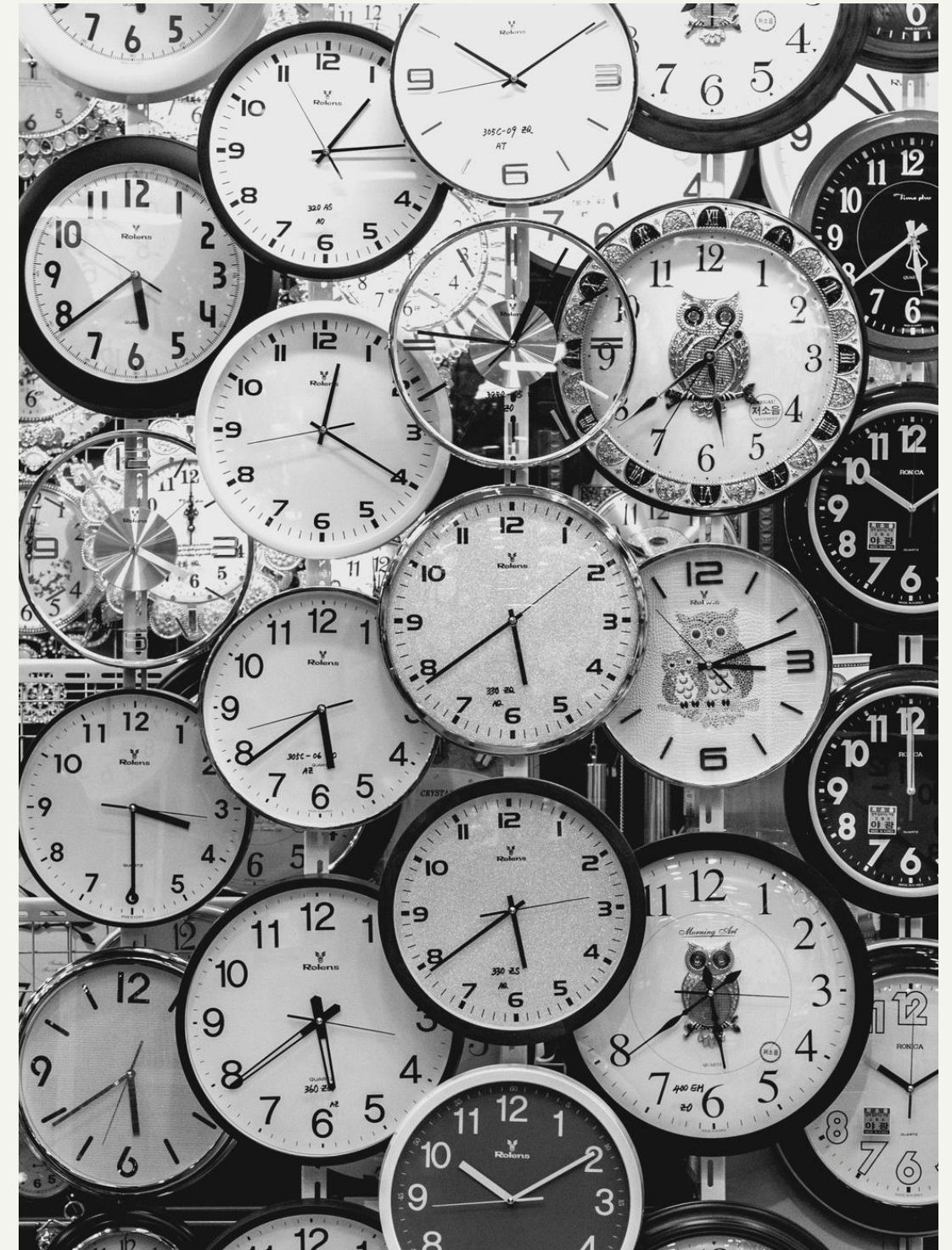
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4. Do you **approve** the annual report of the EIC for 2024/2025?

5. Do you **approve** the annual accounts of the EIC for 2024/2025?

6. Do you **approve** the discharge of the current Board of Directors?



# EIC Vision and Strategy

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**A connected European community of practitioners, researchers, and policy makers with contemporary implementation skills and expertise, improving the quality of life for all people.**

## **OFFER EXPERTISE**

... be the “go to” network for knowledge and resources on European implementation science and practice

## **CONNECT WITHIN**

... connect individuals, groups, networks, and organizations, reducing the implementation science – practice gap

## **PROMOTE EQUITY**

... actively promote equity in implementation science and practice

## **COLLABORATE EXTERNALLY**

... collaborate with organizations, networks, and groups outside the EIC to push forward implementation science and practice

## **DEVELOP THE EIC**

... Sustain, manage, and develop the EIC optimizing available resources

# Finance forecast 2026

Item	Income	Expenditure	Notes
Secretarial services		€ 12,034.00	Estimate based on annual payments to date.
Dropbox		€ 240.00	
Google Suite		€ 248.40	
Website		€ 325.64	
Zoom		€ 200.00	
Website work		€ 4,500.00	
In-person Board meeting		€ 2,000.00	Estimate based on previous spending.
Seedcorn funding		€ 5,000.00	
Barcelona School	€ 1,000.00		
EIE2025	€ 50.419,17		Exact amount still to be confirmed.
<b>Totals</b>	€ 51,419.17	€ 24,548.04	
	<b>Balance (Expenditure-Income)</b>	<b>€ 26,871.13</b>	
	<b>Balance (overall EIC finances by end 2026)</b>	<b>€ 49,808.34</b>	

- Because of a financially successful EIE2025, the **EIC plans to invest in member engagement activities.**
- In the coming two years (2026 and 2027), **two rounds of seedcorn funding** - each € 5000 in total, that can be divided into smaller projects – will open to financially support EIC Working Groups and national network activities.
- Applications will be reviewed by the EIC Board; selection criteria will be made transparent.

# Election of an independent auditor

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Do you **approve**  
*Tom Jefford* to act as  
independent auditor for  
the EIC in 2025/26?



**Dr Tom Jefford,**  
Director Family Psychology Mutual CIC (UK)

Winner of the EIE2025  
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2026-2029



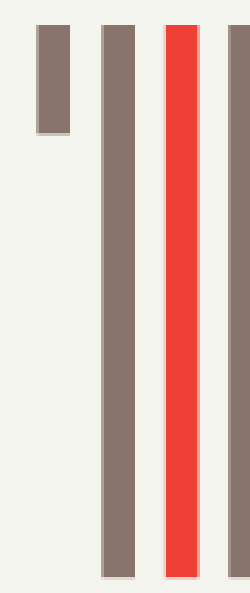
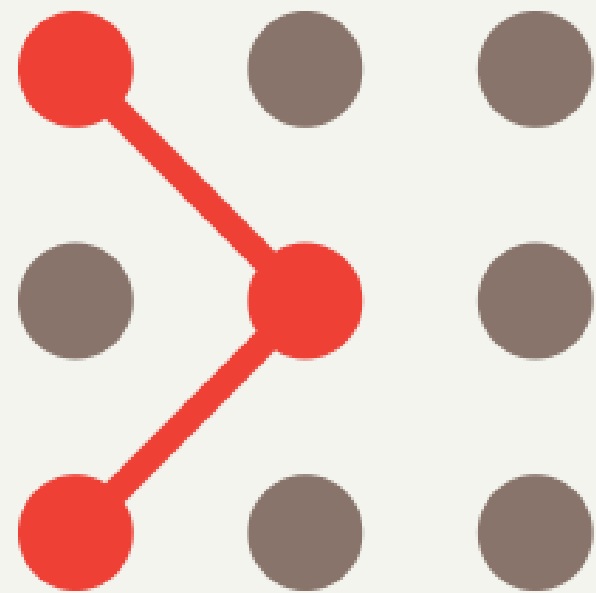
RUN FOR ELECTIONS 2026!

WE WOULD LOVE TO SEE YOUR APPLICATION

WE  
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YOU

# 10 Years EIC!

*Time for a photo!  
Please hold your "EIC  
word" in the camera 😊*



# Thank you!

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